MRS. CHADWICK BANKRUPT

slightest idea among Gen. Stoessel's friends that he will surrender, even if he should be ordered to do so.

NAVAL PROGRAM AMENDED.

Beard Recommends Building of Three Battleships.

With the exception of the six torpedo boats, the board of construction has approved the recommendations of the general board for new ships to be authorized by Congress at its next session. The program as amended provides for three battleships, five scout cruisers, six torpedo boat destroyers, two squadron colliers, a gunboats not exceeding 70 feet in length, and a steam launch for use on Chinese rivers.

The construction board believed that he was unable to land, and was probably tossed about up shore all night.

It is believed that Nissen was either unconscious or so badly chilled that he was unable to save himself when the Fool Killer finally collapsed, and that he was drowned.

When the wrecked aquatic balloon was examined one of Nissen's business cards was found, on the back of which was a note from the dead adventurer, saying an air hose upon which he depended to renew his subply of air had broken, and that he was doomed to die of suffocation.

Dynamite Exploded.

One man is dead, two are dying and two more are in the hospital as a result of an explosion of 50 pounds of dynamite which some Italians were thawing out over a fire at Keel Ridge, several miles east of Sharon, Pa.

The construction board believed that torpedo boats are not as badly needed as are torpedo boat destroyers at this time.

CABLE BRIEFS.

Three Robbers Shot.

Three robbers burglarizing the city office of the American Express Company, in the business heart of Norfolk, Neb., were shot and wounded, two of them parkens fortill, while of the parkens fortill, while of the parkens fortill while of the parkens for two of them perhaps fatally, while a fourth, for whom the three wounded companions formed interference like a well-trained football team, hurled him self through a window with a quantity of valuable booty under his arm and escaped.

Kills Wife and Himself.

R. H. Jackson, aged 43, fatally shot is wife and then committed suicide their home in Joplin, Mo. The wonan was shot with a word of the Southwest African rebellion has proved highly successful. his wife and then committed suicide at their home in Joplin, Mo. The wo-man was shot with a revolver and then beaten over the head with the butt end of the weapon. Jackson cut his threat from ear to ear with a penknife

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The United States Steel Corporation has placed orders for 2,100 freight cars. Of this amount 1,100 were freight cars for the Bessemer & Lake Erie and the balance were for the ore roads in the northwest owned by the Steel Corporation. This order in-

Powder Press Mill Explodes. One man was killed and persons were probably fatally injured in an explosion at Goes, five mile north of Xenia, O. A press mill of the Miami powder works exploded with several pounds of powder, de-stroying the building and everything

Enoch Sloan of Shelby, Ky., while intoxicated, has shot and killed his wife, four small children and him-self. He was a farmer.

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CABLE BRIEFS.

Emperor William has bestowed the crown order of the third class upon Starr W. Cutting, professor of German literature at Chicago University.

THREE DURNED TO DEATH Refuses to Participate in Hague Con

STATUS OF THE WAR.

ant Skirmishes.

General Kuropatkin telegraphs under date of December 3, reporting unimportant skirmishes. He states that Russian scouts found at one point on the left-flank 17 Japanese corpses entirely stripped of clothing, probably by local inhabitants. General Kuropatkin also relates the discovery of two wounded Russians, who had been overlooked and left in the trenches since October 16. One of them, who had been less severely wounded than his fellow, procured food by searching the bodies of the slain, and upon this they had subsisted for 45 days.

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It has been decided to hold the next annual reunion of the Confederate veterans, set for Louisville by the late encampment, in Nashville, June 5, 6

Passenger Crashes into Construction

Production Estimated at 10,000 Bar-

sols entering the latter ports are extended the same privileges in the can all ports. Complete jurisdiction is granted the United States in the harbors of Colon and Panama as to sanitation and quarantine regulations.

Panama reduces her rate of post age to cents and is to furnish all stamps in the Republic and in the canal zone. The zone authorities are to purchase stamps from Panama at 40 per cent of their face value.

The order of Secretary Tat is to be ineffective until Panama shall put into effect the gold standard, according to the currency agreement of Jurgian diller, and jury, for bringing, soliders to 20, 1904.

Wholesale Fraud is Charged.

During the trial of six election officials in the Supreme court at Denver, George King, a handwriting experience of Ninth precinct of the Ninth precinct of t

OFFICIAL RETURNS.

CAPTURE A STRONG FORT OFFICIAL RETURNS.

"I fear that the many outrages of labor organizations or of some of their members have not only excited hist indignation, but at times have frightened courts into plain legal inconsistencies; and into the enunciation of doctrines which if asserted in litigations arising under any other subject than labor legislation would meet scant courtesy or consideration."

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