VESUVIUS POURS OUT LAVA

People Flee from the Destruct-Torrent-Many Peri h.

HUNGARIAN CRISIS ENDED

Emperor-King Assents to New Cab-

inet and Universal Suffrage.

After 14 months of controversy between the crown and the coalition parties, the Hungarian crisis has been settled. Both sides express satisfaction with the result, which appears to be a compromise. Under the terms of the agreement the Emperor-King assents to the formation of a new cabinet by the coalition to carry out the elections under the old limited election law this month and to hold a session of the parliament in May. The government guarantees to pass the budget of 1905-06 and also the recruiting military and investment bills and international commercial treaties, and to maintain the status quo between Austria and Hungary.

The new parliament will be asked to pass a bill adopting universal suffrage and will then be dissolved. allowing the election of a new parliament under the universal suffrage system to deal with the military demands and rights of the crown under the constitution. The government, after the universal suffrage election, after the universal suffrage election. inet and Universal Suffrage.

the constitution. The government, after the universal suffrage election, will be formed in conformity with the the desires of the majority of the parliament

GREAT DAMAGE DONE BY SOUTH SEA STORM

Latest Estimates Place Dead at 150 and the Property Loss

Mariposa arrived at The steamer Mariposa arrived at San Francisco, April 8, from Tahiti, bringing additional particulars of the storm which swept, the Society and other South Sea islands last February. According to the latest estimates 150 lives were lost and the property damage amounted to \$1,500,000

Among the Mariposa's passengers were B. Chalee, C. Brown and J. Harris, members of the crew of the British ship County of Roxburgh, Captain J. Leslie, which went ashore during the hurricane at Tokarva, in the Paumolee group of islands. Out of her crew of 24, 10 lives were lost

Other vessels lost during the storm Other vessels lost during the storm were the French schooner Tahitienne, 53 tons, with Captain Dexter and all of her crew and the French schooner Touture, 28 tons, with all on board. The French schooner Touture, 28 tons, with all on board. The French schooner Hittimi, 19 tons, went ashore at Monihi. Her crew was saved. Thirty-seven cutters of 12 to 15 tons vere also lost in the storm.

CURRENT NEWS EVENTS.

M. Slentoff, governor of Typer pro-

M. Sleptoff, governor of Tvor pro-ince, Russia, was assassinated by a omb while he was out driving.

The conference on Moroccan affairs, in session at Algeciras, Spain, adjourned finally, following the signing of the convention by France and

The estate of E. C. Swift, the Chicago meat packer who died in Boston, amounts to \$10,000,000. Beyond a bequest of \$5,000 to a church at Sagamore, Mass. There were no public gifts.

Rev. C. Harman and Market and Sagamore, Mass.

Rev. C. Hagar, an American mis-sionary of the Congregational church, was held up and robbed by Chinese pirates near Shanghai, who riddled with bullets a boat on which

was a passenger Governor Pattison in Hospital. Governor Pattison was removed Cincinnati where he was placed in Christ's Hospital, Mount Auburn, indefinitely. He was accompanied

by Mrs. Pattison, their son Jack, Colonel Haffelfinger of Springfield; Captain, Ramsey of Devton and Dr. Oliver P. Holt of Cincinnati. Emperor William has appointed Prince von Buelow, the imperial chancellor, to be a member of the Prussian house of lords: EXPORTS INCREASING

Agricultural Shipments Grow \$133,-000,000 During Eight Months.

According to a bulletin issued by the Department of Commerce and Labor the exports from the United OBSERVATORY WAS DESTROYED States for the first eight months of

The two men, Weith and Jergens, had left Berlin the previous day and their balloon was carried northeast. In crossing the Baltic sea the aeronits encountered a fierce snowstorm The balloon was torn, and they had to cut away the basket and all their save themselves from

For two hours they clung to the For two hours they clung to the net, the balloon being tossed about by the raging wind, until it reached the port of Kariskrona, on the Swedish coast. They descended in a forest near the town, and when the balloon was found by peasants one of the men was unconscious.

Both of them, after receiving the kindest treatment from the Swedes, returned to Germany the next day.

SULU PRINCE WINS.

Takes First Oratorial Honors at Columbia University.

Columbia University.

Columbia university's highest oratorial honors went this year to a full-blooded African prince, who won the annual contest for the George William Curtis medal. Prince Pka Isaka Seme is the name of the winner and he is a son of the line of chiefs that ruled Sulu up to the time England gained control. He time England gained control. He is a member of the 1996 class in Columbia and is a very ardent student, specializing in economics.

After getting his bachelor degree from Columbia. Seme will spend three years at Oxford and then return to Zululand where the position of attorney general for his people is being held for him. The subject of his oration was "The Regeneration of Africa."

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Huge Forgery.

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Benjamin M. Goldberger, clerk of the Registrar's Office in New York City, who was arrested on a charge of forging in connection with the filing of the petition of voters on which William R. Hearst was placed in nomination for Mayor as the representative of the Municipal Ownership League, confessed that he had procured 5,000 out of the 6,500 signatures to the Hearst petition and that the 5,000 were all fraudulent. It was said at the District Attorney's office that Goldberger has named the "men higher up" who got him to procure the signatures on the petition.

RAILROAD SOLD

branch of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad.

The road runs from Mount Holly Junction, where it connects with the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, to Webster Springs, W. Va. The purchased road will be extended at once up the Elk river valley above Webster Springs, 20 miles. It will pass through on unbroken forest, also tapping a new coal field recently acquired by John T. McGraw, of Grafton, W. Va.

The New York assembly practically killed the bill which would permit William Randolph Hearst to

Despite the petition signed by 10,-000 citizens of Indiana State, Gov. J. F. Hanley has refused to either pardon or parole David E. Sherrick, former Auditor of State, convicted and sentenced to 21 years' imprisonment for embezzling \$30,000 of the public funds.

Indians Want Wild West Life.

The nature of trouble that has incident to

WALL STREET BEATS ELIJAH Prophet Refuses to Be Ousted from

Followers of Dowie Claim He Plunged in Stock Market.

OBSERVATORY WAS DESTROYED

Population Terrified, 40,000 Are Driven from Home—Naples Shaken by Earthcukes.

A message from Naples, dated April S, says: The hope that Mount Vituliving Systems of the fiscal part 1906, 200,000 greater than for the corresponding months of 1905. The imports for the eight months of 1906 are \$1,100,000 greater than for the corresponding period of 1905. The growth in exports of manufacturers hecame more active than ever. The panic has spread to Naples, two strong earthquake shocks, which shattered windows and cracked the walls of buildings, were experienced today. The entire population runshed to the streets in terror, many persons crying "The Madonna has forsaken us; the end of the world has come."

No trace remains of Boscotrecase, and form the southward, is almost surrounded by the invading lava and a has been ward and store and as the church at San Giuseph very large than the southward, is almost surrounded by the invading lava and has been evacuated by its 30,000 inhabitants. The people were brought to Naples, building the delivery of the Guif of Naples, one mile to the southward, is almost surrounded by the invading lava and has been evacuated by its 30,000 inhabitants, the people were brought to Naples building the delivery of the Guif of Naples, one mile to the southward, is almost surrounded by the invading lava and has been evacuated by its 30,000 inhabitants, the people were brought to Naples by trains, street cars, military carts and setemaships. Similar means of the southward is a strong care there.

According to the latest particulary soveral houses and the church at San Giuseppe Vesuriano have collapsed, and 30 dead bodies have been taken from the ruins.

The observatory has been destroyed, and the employes, had narrow scapes.

HUNGARIAN CRISIS ENDED

ago.

At a secret meeting of 200 of the Zion City leaders evidence was submitted corroborating in detail John Alexander Dowie's polygamous inclinations.

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It is charged that the Mexican colonization plan was a scheme to promote polygamy and evade the laws of the United States. It was told that Dowie had selected seven women as the first installment for his harem. These he proposed to manny.

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Mrs. Jane Dowie was one of the witnosses. She said her' husband began to go daft on women two years ago. He talked plural wives to her until they had a violent quarrel, during which the "first apostle" hurled at her a chair, which didn't arrive at its destination. Dowie showed that the prophets of old were not restricted to one wife and as he not restricted to one wife and as he insisted he, too, was a prophet, the old order of things should prevail.

Ruth Ho?er, the young Swiss beliess, was to be one of the seven.

The other six he had selected from the comely maids of Zion. He threatened his wife with divorce threatened his wife with divorce and sought advice of his overseers on the question. They told him the people would never stand for polyramy or for a divorce for the purractices

BLOW UP JAIL TO ESCAPE.

Four Prisoners Freed in Missouri Through Aid From Outside.

Through Aid From Outside.

Four desperate prisoners, aided by crooks on the outside escaped from the jall at Benton. Mo. Dynamite was used to shatter the doors of the structure. The noise of the explosion aroused the inhabitants of the village in time to prevent six other prisoners from escaping.

The St. Louis authorities were notified of the outbreak and are on the lookout for the fugitives, who left Benton on a handcar and went to Commerce, where they stole a skiff and crossed the Mississippi. Benton is a village of 200 inhabitants and is the county seat of Scott county, 125 miles from St. Louis.

permit William Randolph Hearst to secure a recount of the vote cast in New York city for mayor at the last election, when George B. Mc-Clellan was elected on the face of the returns. The bill was recomnitted to the committee on judi-

Taxed By Anarchists.

The anarchist mmunist commit-

Leadership.

John Alexander Dowie, who was publicly and officially cast out of Zion refuses to stay cast out. From Mexico he sent a series of telegrams, de co he sent a series of telegrams, de-capitating General Overseer Vollya and sundry deacons and elders. He has created a new administration by telegraph and promises there will be trouble when he arrives in Zion, which will be "soon."

The first message was dated Ocot-lan, Mex., and was addressed to Judge V. V. Barnes, general counsel. It read:

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read:

Consequently upon the ungodly, illegal action of Voliva, I now inform you that I hereby revoke and cancel the power of attorney of W. G. Voliva and confer the same upon F. H. Wilhite. Inform clerk of Lake county and all others concerned that any expresse of nower of attorney by cvercise of power of attorney by Voliva will now be criminal. Act promptly and inform me that you have done so. I hold you strictly respon-sible in law in this matter. J. ALEXANDER, First Apostle.

QUARANTINE BILL PASSED

Power to Prevent Introduction of Yellow Fever.

low Fever.

By a vote of 202 to 26 the House passed the National quarantine bill. The bill places the control of all quarantine stations, grounds and anchorage under the Secretary of the Treasury and directs that as soon as practicable after the approval of the act he shall select and designate such suitable places for them and establish the same at such points on or near the seacoast of the United States on the Mexican border, as in his judgment are best suited for the same in order to prevent the introduction of yellow fever into the United States. The bill further gives the Secretary of the Treasury the right to establish a quarantine station at the Dry Tortugas islands, and at such other points at or near the seacoast (not to exceed four in the aggregate) as he deems necessary.

Railroad Mortage Foreclosed.

Railroad Mortgage Foreclosed. The foreclosing of a mortgage for \$50,000,000, covering all the properties held by the Cincinnati, Hamiltes held by the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railway, was asked by Thomas W. Paxton, attorney for the Central Trust company, of New York, it a suit filed in the United States Circuit court at Cincinnati. The suit is brought by the trust company in the interest of bond-noiders.

Wants Arbitration. Wants Arbitration.

John H. Winder, president of the Ohio Operator's association, telegraphed President Theodore Roosevelt from Charleston, W. Va., that the bituminous operators were willing to settle the strike by the same method proposed to the anthracite operators by President John Mitchell, viz, by arbitration, and also sent a similar message to President Mitchell.

Chinese Menace Russians.

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The Russian Slovo has received a sensational telegram from its correspondent at Harlin. Manchuria, saying that hostilities are imminent between the Russiar and Chinese troops. He intimates that the Chinese, influenced by Japan, are moving forward, that the situation is so tense that the Russian demobilization of troops has been stopped.

CAPITAL NEWS NOTES.

The Supreme Court of the United States decided the Michigan railroad tax cases, involving the taxes of all the railroads in that State for several years past, against the railroads.

Representative Cooper of Wisconsin introduced a bill granting United States citizenship to the inhabitants of Puerto Rico. It is understood Governor Winthrop will advocate the passage of this bill.

The Senate Committee on Appropriations reported the urgent deficiency bill with a number of amendty, 125 miles from St. Louis.

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cision of the Court of Claims.

Catastrophe in Black Forest.

Fifty-two persons were killed and 70 dangerously injured by the collapse of the hotel Zum Hirschen at Nagold. Black Forest, Germany. The roof had been put in place only this morning, an event which, in accordance with German custom, was celebrated by a feast. The guests were reported to have engaged in a dance and this probably was what caused the collapse.

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Growth of Bank Cirulation.

Balloonist Loses Life.

Death in the waters of Bass creek, captives at Fort Sill, incident to which is the threat of the Indians to forcibly break away from the post, is explained at the War department at the result of the sultry in the father of the spirl, of Derry, Pa., of Pittsburg, surviving executors of followed the pair to Latrobe, where both were captured after a running fight in which Constable Neale and young Decker exchanged several shots. The girl was taken to Morthous the result of the father of the spirl, of Derry, Pa., of Pittsburg, surviving executors of followed the pair to Latrobe, where show was fight in which Constable Neale and young Decker exchanged several shots. The girl was taken to Morthous the result of the father of the spirl, of Derry, Pa., of Pittsburg, surviving executors of Paul Nocquet, a French sculptor of note and an enthusiastic aeronaut. The body was found on the muddy shore of the faring that the father of the spirl, of Derry, Pa., of Pittsburg, surviving executors of Paul Nocquet, a French sculptor of note and an enthusiastic aeronaut. The body was found on the muddy shore of the faring thand the father of the spirl, of Pittsburg, surviving executors of

DROWNED IN A HURRICANE

Tahita and Neighboring Islands Swept by Destructive Storm.

MANY BUILDINGS WERE RAZED

Schooner, With Seven Persons on Board Believed to Be Lost. Tahita Suffers Most.

The steamer Moana, which arrived at Hononlulu, April 4, reports that 121 persons were drowned during the hurricane which recently swept over Tahita and the neighboring islands

Tahita and the neighboring islands. Of these victims, one perished on Tahita, 91 natives and four whites on the Puamotus, and 24 natives and one white on the other islands.

Before the windstorm broke over Papeete, the sea rose steadily after a high tide of 20 feet above the normal mark, and by 11 o'clock on the night of February 7 was wrecking the wood of the buildings and splashing between the American and British consulates.

At first no alarm was felt, but the continuation of the rise caused a panic. The wind blew in brief hurricane blasts every few minutes, tearing up trees and sending roofs flying through the air.

Signals for assistance were seen in Papeete by Lebiloc, a white resident of Motu island, but it was impossible to render any help until morning when the body of Lebiloc's

possible to render any help until morning, when the body of Lebiloc's wife was rescued from the top of a cocoanut palm, wither it had been washed.

Fears are entertained for the safe-ty of the schooner Eimeo, with seven persons on board. The Emily Reed, which arrived from Auckland on February 12, during the storm, jet-tisoned 150,000 feet of lumber. The Dunreggan reports a hurri-cane south of the Loyalty islands on February 7. Thursday island ex-perienced a hurricane on February 22. Fears are entertained for the safe-

COAL STRIKE SITUATION Independent Operators of Pittsburg

District Organize. Forty independent coal operators of the Pittsburgh district met and decided upon the organization of the Independent Coal Operators' association of Western Pennsylvania. new organization claims to represent an annual tonage of 20,000,000, and its first act was to re-affirm the action taken previously in refusing to sign the new wage scale. The independent operators adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman and an-nounced that their mines will remain closed at least for the immediate

future. Nearly 300 Illinois coal operators Nearly 300 Illinois coal operators were at the meeting of their organization in Chicago. It was decided to stand in resisting the demands of the miners. The Chicago & Carbondale Coal Company of De Soto, Ill., was expelled from membership because it has signed the scale demanded by the miners.

Boston Wool Market. Beston Wool Market.

The wool market is strong with fair activity. Foreign grades are firm. Leading quotations follow: Ohio and Pennsylvania XX and above, 35 to 35½c; 32 to 33c; No. 1, 38 to 39c; No. 2, 38 to 40c; fine unwashed, 26 to 26½c; ¼-blood, unwashed, 32 to 32½c; ¾-blood, 33 to 33½c; ¼-blood, 32½ to 32; unwashed delaine, 28 to 29c; fine washed washed, 28 to 3.72, 8 32; unwashed delaine, 28 to 29c; fine washed delaine, 36 to 37c; Michigan fine unwashed 24 to 25c; ¼-blood, unwashed 31¾ to 32c; ¾-blood, 32¾ to 33c; ½-blood, 31½ to 32c; unwashed delaine, 27, to 28c.

Gas Explosion Hurts Many. Edna Johnston hunted for a gas eak with a lighted match in the partments of Mrs. Elizabeth Mink. at 1607 Fifth avenue, Pittsburg. The explosion that folowed injured 21 per-sons, wrecked two houses and broke windows all around the neighborhood. None of the injured persons are seriously hurt. The property loss is estimated at \$40,000.

The big towboat H. M. Hoxie, one

Growth of Bank Cirulation.

The expansion of the national bank circulation is brought to the public notice by new monthly records of the largest volume on record. The increase during March made its total \$554,660,967, or more than double what it was when the act of March, 1900, removed some of the obstacles to its increase.

The big towboat H. M. Hoxie, one of the largest on the rivers, was blown to pieces by an explosion of its boilers on the Ohio river at Portland, O., while returning to Pittsburgh with a tow of 24 empties. One man is missing and eight others were injured, three so badly that it is believed they will die.

Elopement Frustrated.

Because his pretty 17-year-old The nature of trouble that has been brewing among the Apache captives at Fort Sill, incident to

MAY OWN BUT NOT OPERATE

Three Questions Were Submitted One of Which Failed to Receive Required Number of Votes.

Under the result of the city election, held in Chicago, in which the question of municipal ownership of the street railways was the vital isthe street railways was the vital issue, the city can proceed to acquire and control the street railways, but cannot operate them. At the same time the voters, while declaring that the city shall not proceed to operate the railroads, declared that as a question of public policy it would be desirable for the city to do so.

Three propositions were submitted.

Three prpositions were submitted to the voters, the first of which was: Shall the city of Chicago proceed Shall the city of Chicago procee to operate street railways? Thi proposition required 60 per cent. o the total vote cast in order to be come effective. The total vote was 231,171. Of this number the proposition to proceed to the immediate operation of the street railways secured but 123,000 votes, about 17,000 short of the necessary three-fifths.

three-fifths.

The second proposition involved the approval of an ordinance prethe approval of an ordinance pre-viously passed by the city council providing for the issue of street railway certificates in amount not to exceed \$75,000,000 for the ownership and maintenance street railways. T by about 3,800 votes This was carried

The third question, which was sim-The third question, which was simply on the question of public policy and has no legal effect whatever is, shall the city council proceed without delay to secure the municipal ownership and operation of the street rail-ways under the Mueller law, instead of granting franchises to private companies? This question was carried by about 3,600 votes.

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Mayor E. F. Dunne construes the passage of the \$75,000,000 certificates and public policy appropriations as a victory for municipal ownership, but expressed his disappointment over the defeat of the proposition for municipal objectation. cipal operation

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JUSTICE BY TELEPHONE

Maryland Judge Condemns the Prac-

tice as Scandalous.

Judge Merrick of Upper Marlboro,
Md., told the grand jury it had been
reported to him that certain justices
in the county had been trying cases
over the telephone, and said it was
their duty to investigate the matter
and to indict the guilty parties. The and to indict the guilty parties. The Court said that if the reports were

it was a scandalous proceeding a disgrace to the county. is understood that Justice Merrick referred to the case of a saloonthe reterred to the case of a saloon-keeper arrested for voloating the Sun-day liquor law. The saloonkeeper called up a justice in Hyattsville and told him he was guilty, whereupon the judge replied the fine would be \$100. The fine was paid to the con-stable, who gave the saloonkeeper a receipt. receipt

GENERAL BLANCO DEAD

Succeeded Weyler and Had Sorry Experience in Cuba.

Experience in Cuba.

General Blanco, formerly governor general of Cuba, is dead.

Ramon Blanco y Arenas was sent to Cuba to succeed General Weyler, whose conduct lin suppressing the rebellion in that island had shocked the humanitarian feeling of all the civilized world. He started on a policy of pacification, but the Cuban people did not trust him, and his experience on the island was not happerfence on the island was not happy. When the war with the United States broke out Blanco did not enter upon the defense of the island with much hope of success, and as oon as the war was over he ed and returned to Spain November.

CURRENT NEWS EVENTS.

Fire destroyed the big drygoods store of Sebastian, Roberts & Co. in Mexico City, causing a loss of between \$600,000 and \$700,000.

Sherman M. Bell, former adjut-ant general of Colorado, may soon become minister of war of Venezu-Russian Ambassador Posen pre-sented to Secretary Root a proposal for a peace conference to be held in the summer.

The Globe Stamp Company, which

was in business for several years as was in business for several years as Youngstown, O., has gone into bank-

Youngstown, O., has gone into bank-ruptcy. Women stamp collectors crowded about the place in search of the manager, but failed to find him.

The Norfolk and Western railroad's "Cannonball" train, bound from Richmond to Norfolk, Va., ran into an open switch at Jupiter siding. The train was derailed, but few of the 60 passengers were hurt.

While saying requiem mass at the funeral of one of his parishioners the Rev. John Dempsey, resident priest of St. Bernard Cathelic church of Crawfordsville, Ind., fell dead in his pulpit.

Big Catch of Seals.

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The sealers, Adventure, with 31,000 seals, and Aurora, with 28,000
seals, arrived at St. Johns, N. F. The
former had her bows started and the
latter's stern was crushed by contact with ice flo2s. They report the
remainedr of the fleet still adding to
the catch, although the severity of the catch, although the severity the weather makes work difficult.

To Pay Old Pittsburg Claim

Senator Knox introduced a bill appropriating \$55,739 to be James S. McCloskey and Frank Tack