REATEST CONFUSION PREVAILS.

Them Out. Secure Control of the Hall at Birmingham and Drown All Attempts of the Orator of the Evening to Make Himself Heard.

London, (By Cable).-David Lloyd George, M. P., in speaking in Birming- Wellesley College \$150,000, provided an ham Town Hall precipitited a scene unprecedented in that city since the Aston Park riots.

The majority of the audience were hostile to the speaker, and were enraged by his pro-Boer and anti-Chamberlain utterances. They rushed the police cordon guarding the platform.

In the meanwhile the building was besieged from the outside by a mob of several thousand people, who smashed windows and tried to force the doors which had been barricaded. They fusilladed the audience with stones through the windows.

The eastern states produce more to The police reserves were turned out and succeeded in dispersing the mob after repeated charges. A number of persons were injured, and the town hall produces more corn per acre, in prowas completely wrecked. Not a single window was left whole. portion to area cultivated, than any

The Birmingham riot is considered a curious illustration of the varied career of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the colonial secretary.

The Ashton Park riots of 1884, it is pointed out, were demonstrations on the part of the Chamberlainites against the so-called Tory intruders, Lord Randolph Churchill, while this riot was one against good many theories about the Turk in extreme radical. The feling against have gone up in the smoke of his Mr. Lloyd-George has been so strong during the past week that even tickets were forged to enable the "jingoes" to gain admission to the town hall. compelled the Liberal association to print different tickets, but its efforts to exclude their opponents were quite vain.

of the board of trustees of the United

port President Clark said:

posed the scheme of starting a newsoper, his friends dissuaded him, say ng there was already one paper put CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR GROWTH. shed in Boston, and that the country Now Has 61,920 Societies and 3,820,000 ould not support another. Today Members Enrolled. ere are 20,879 publications of which Boston (Special).-The incorporation 58 are dailies, 14,827 are weeklies. 91 are monthlies, and 175 quarter deavor under the laws of Massachusetts . Canada has a total of 930 pub-

omicides in the

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urchase horses with

for his own use, Presi-

dent Roosevelt sets a fine example in

the acre than the far western states.

Massachusetts, with her stony soil,

It is again discovered that the

Sultan's empire is crumbing and its

When Benjamin Franklin pro-

hookah.

he interest of humanity and of good

Society here. trade the pennies of the many Under the incorporation Rev. Francis it for as much as the dollars of the Clark, D. D., was chosen president; William Baer, secretary, and William This is strikingly illustrated in Shaw, treasurer. At the meeting Secretary Baer, of the United Society, rebusiness done by the street fruit ls. Light on the profits of there ported a total of 61,920 societies, with a

ls is shown by the offer of a Chi-

The treasury department at Wash-

ington recently received a letter from

tained a \$50 Confederate note, and

rather pompous language demand

that its equivalent in gold be forwar

Treasury officials say that the inci-

dent was not an uncommon one. Al-

though the Civil War closed 36 years

ago. Confederate notes and bonds are

received two and three times a week.

Nearly all of them come from England,

where the bonds were sold. Few

people in the United States are in-

veigled into purchasing or giving val-

ue for the Confederate obligations.

to the creation of an international in-

cident unless the paper is redcemed.

to erect a monument to Baldwin and

Frenchman who, in the "Great Min-

istry," of 1851, brought about a har-

monious union of the two races in the

Dominion. The Montreal Herald men-

tions the fact that the site of the old

Houses of Parliament will soon be

turned into a public square and that

here the monument should be erected.

It comments as follows: "What

more appropriate than that, on the

spot where these buildings stood, at

the place where racial passions and

prejudices burned themselves out in

the fires that consumed the Houses of

Parliament, there should stand a mon-

ment to these two men of high pui-

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man to pay the city \$9120 a year 'The tide of Christian endeavor has years for the exclusive privilege never run so deep and strong as it is to-There are now 480 societies in ing fruit on the 12 elevated-road Madras presidency of India alone. Japan shows more interest in the work than ever before, China is eagerly await- ry, ing her new secretary. Germany has atper day. The bidder may only estabtained self-support, the work has begun wounded lish one fruit stand, but no others can in Portugal and some of the smaller tries of Europe have just awakened have stands at the remaining stairto the importane of it. cases. But for one or 12 he is willing to pay \$91,200 for 10 years. Tenants

After the meeting President Clark said that on January 4 he would sail for Europe in the interests of Christian of ground floors often charge from \$50 Endeavor. Secretary Baer will start on to \$100 a month, it is said, for the privi-January 6 for a campaign to the Pacific an alleged deserted wife. lege of establishing an outside fruit Coast, and Field Secretary Eberman will visit every Southern State.

\$159,000 Conflagration. Baltimore, Md., (Special).-A blaze

Great Grimsby, England. It conwhich found its origin in the cellar of the Yale Laundry, which occupies part the lower floor of the Riddlemoser 13 to 21 West Fayette street, National candidate. n gutting that structure from ed at once to the address given. its basement to its roof, eight stories above. The occupants of the building No. 15, Yale Laundry; 17, Alstrom & Co., tailors; 19, Dental Supply Company; 21, Isaac A. Sheppard & Co., furnaces and ranges, who also occupied the second floor of the building, while the other floors are occupied by Coblens, Cahn & Co., overall manufacturers. The damage is estimated at \$150,000, fully covered by insurance.

For a Blaine Monument.

Some of the Englishmen who have Washington, D. C., (Special).-Representative Bull. of Rhode Island, has been notified that the bonds and notes introduced a bill to appropriate \$50,0001 are worthless have grown indignant. for the erection of "a monumental and replied to the department that statue in bronze, in the city of Washingthey proposed to take action looking ton, of the late James G. Blaine, to commemorate his public services as Representative in Congress, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Senator of the United States and Secretary of State A movement is on foot in Canada of the United States. The work is to be done under the direction of the Secretary of State and the Chairman of the Lafontaine, the Englishman and the Library Committees of the Senate and the House of Representatives.

"Yukon Gold King" Loses. St. Joseph, Mich. (Special.) - Joseph Count Palen, near Riza, revolted and Coveny was awarded a verdict in the Circuit Court here against Frank Phiscator, the "Baroda Gold King of the Yukon Valley," in the sum of \$7,500, because, it was alleged, Phiscator alienated the affections of Coveney's wife. Coveney had previously obtained from Phiscator \$0,500, and then Phiscator to the Klondike and demandcd \$12,000 more. While in the Yukon Roosevelt's message.

A fierce gale was

Mrs. McKinley No Better. Chicago, (Spc. ial) .- Lieutenant James McKinley, U late Presid

S. A., a nephew of the passed through Chicago with General S. M. B. nmand at the Presidio, the quarters on the Pacific nant McKinley said: "My nton remains in about the immediately | neral of the President. There the regular quarterly

MARY OF THE LATEST NEWS. PAYNE SUCCEEDS

Oliver Harriman, Sr., who is said to worth at least \$5,000,000, was decommission and a sheriff's jury at Port Chester, N. Y. The petition was made by his eight children. Mr. Harriman

is 70 years old. The general committee appointed by the conference to adjust differences between capital and labor, selected Senator Hanna as chairman and Samuel Gompers as vice-chairman.

Four flour mills of the Consolidated Company were shut down in Minneapolis, the reason given being a shortage of

John D. Rockefeller has offered equal sum is added by the college.

Private Heintz for a medal of honor for heroism on the field.

which Gould will bring his Wabash and ial labors with the Philadelphia Press. Southwestern Railroad systems into entrance to New York.

removed from Emergency Hospital, life to resume newspaper work, and it is Washington, to his home. Physicians stated that he intended leaving the Cabisay he cannot recover. Secretary Root has denied the appli-cation of Sidel G. Pierra, the represent-

ative of the Maso party in Cuba, for a postponement of the Cuban elections. In an interview Dr. Mann, of Buffalo, points out why he believes Congress should pay for the services of the physicians who attended President McKin-

young men and two girls committed suicide in a boarding house at Columbus, Ohio. They paired off in rooms and were found dead in bed from chloroform.

out of work by the floods in Pennsylva- career in the State Department as author nia, New York and New England. In of a treaty for the construction of the the mining districts alone 18,000 men new canal, and now that the Senate has and boys are idle as the result of the ratified the agreement with Great Britflooded collieries. Hundreds of fami- ain, it is thought he will not care to lies are suffering from cold and ex- continue in the Cabiet many months beposure in their flooded homes. Three youd February, in which month he wil! ives were lost and two persons will die deliver an oration on Mr. McKinley befrom exposure in the flood at Tona- fore Congress wanda, Pa. The waters are receding of the World's Union of Christian En- Southern States continues.

Park Benjamin, president of the Naval Arch Commission, which has charge was announced at the quarterly meeting of the proposed naval arch and water gate at the Battery, in New York, announced that the project has been temporarily given up. The arch'and gate was to have cost \$1,300,000, and \$500,ooo had been pledged.

Leading representatives of labor and capital met in conference in New York to discuss means of bringing about a total membership of 3,820,000. In his rebetter feeling between these two elements of industry.

Creditors of the defunct National Bank of Illinois sued the directors, charging their losses to the negligence and misconduct of the directors.

Two parties hunting burglars in Per-Iowa, mistook one another for the thieves and blazed away. Three were British Steamer Carrying Arms to Colon for Joseph J. Novak became ill while on

his way to catch a train at Ingleside Station, near St. Louis, and froze to Omaha after a six days' sleep, but went between Colombia and Venezuela. The

Toreign.

Conor O'Kelley and various officials of Mayo county, Ireland, were sentenced to prison for delivering intimidating speeches in defiance of the police.

Maximo Fernandez, candidate of the Republican party for President of Costa Rica, defeated Ascencion Esquivel, the the Colombian government.

The Venezuelan official journal delares that that country cannot be intimidated by the presence of a few German

warships The United States transport McClellan; which left Manila two months ago arrived vesterday at Hamilton, Ber-

Emperor William has bought a graph ophone with coon songs for the family Christmas celebration at Potsdam. Theoflore and Laura Jackson pleaded not guilty when arraigned at the Old

Bailey, in London. The American Tobacco Company is here of the loss of 11 lives. reported to have acquired several concerns in Germany

Sir Auckland Colvin, chairman of locomotives were delivered more promptly and at a 20 per cent. lower price than

those made by English builders. American capitalists have bought a or more persons rendered homeless by controlling interest in the Nickel Corpothe destruction of their houses. ration, which owns extensive mines in New Caledonia were the Whitaker-White combination. uations last night and this morn The Secretary of the United States the railroad companes, and Legation at Constantinople is reported are now being taken to their to have left there, with full powers to negotiate with the brigands for the release of Miss Stone.

Russian peasants upon the estate of set fire to the castle, which was entirely lestroyed, including many valuable

The long-expected speech of Lord Rosebery at Chesterfield, England, was not up to expectations. It was a fine oratorical effort, but threw little light Rev. Dr. William I. I on the future of the Liberal party. He The report says that t attacked the government's war methods, steadily increasing den and, in urging reorganization of the Lib- in the more than 20 eral party, he quoted from President by the people along

A fierce gale was reported to be circulation is in A \$7,000 in gold dust to secure his free- sweeping the English and Irish Chan- Arabic. The Arabi

The New York Subtreasury statement hows the banks lost \$5,279,000 last

The Westinghouse Air Brake Co. has declared a regular quarterly dividend of 2½ and 3½ per cent. extra. President Whitney has, it is said, dis posed of his controlling i to Mont

The United Fruit improvement, and there per cent., payable Ja of record December

minion Steel & Iron Co

POSTMASTER SMITH

clared insane and incompetent by a Philadelphia Editor Retires From the Cabinet.

> It is Believed in Official Circles That His Leave-taking Will Be Followed by That Called Upon to Recast His Official Board of Revisers-Will Leave in January.

Washington, D. C., (Special). - Announcement was made at the White House of the resignation from the Cabi-The Filipinos were routed in six skir- net of Postmaster-General Charles Emmishes in various parts of Batangas ory Smith, of Philadelphia, and the se-Province. General Smith recommended lection of Henry C. Payne, Republican National Committeeman for Wisconsin, George Gould has formed an alliance as his successor, the change to become with W. K. Vanderbilt, in which An- effective about the middle of January, drew Carnegie is also interested, by when Mr. Smith will resume his editor

This first change in President Roose close working arrangements with the velt's Cabinet is generally regarded as President Roosevelt will not accept the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western or the forerunner of others to occur within the New York Central, and thus secure the next few months. Mr. Smith's voluntary retirement comes as no surprise James O. Stiff, who was wounded at as some of his friends have known for Oak Grove, Va., by Herbert Marx, was months of his purpose to give up public net last spring, when he gave up his residence here on Massachusetts avenue, but agreed to remain at the urgent solicitation of President McKinley. the time Mr. Smith informed the President he intended to resign October 1. Immediately after Mr. Roosevelt was sworn in at Buffalo he was informed by

Mr. Smith that he contemplated resiging oon after submitting his annual report. It is known that Secretary Hay has been anxious to retire from public life for some time, and might have left the Cabinet last winter had the Senate agreed to the Nicaragua canal treaty. Thousands of men have been thrown His later ambition has been to close hi

Secretary John D. Long finds the work and ice is forming. The railroads are of the Navy Department entirely to his still badly crippled. The freeze in the taste, but he often referred to the fact that he cannot afford to let his law practice in Boston suffer, and hoped soon to resume it. Secretary Gage insists that he has no intention of resigning immediately, but it is said his resignation would not be unexpected at any time. Secretary Root may remain in the Cabinet indefinitely, as he finds the work congenial, and is besides a close personal and political friend of the President.

Secretary Wilson may also serve out his term, and Attorney-General Knox, who has just been confirmed, probably vill also remain

place, will not likely serve beyond a

VENEZUELA AND COLOMBIA.

the Opening of Hostilities.

Washington, D. C., (Special) .official advices received here indicate Carl Atheno, a hypnotist, awoke in that active hostilities are about to begin into another trance when confronted by delay in proceeding to extremes has been largely caused by the lack of a suitable stock or arms and ammunition by the Colombian government.

This is about to be remedied. the British steamer Bamreigh, which recently excited suspicion by loading a large cargo of arms in European waters, suposedly intended for the South Africa, really was chartered by

She is now near Colon, and the advices are to the effect that when her cargo is distributed among the Colombian troops hostilities will begin between Colombia and Venezuela.

FLOOD COST ELEVEN LIVES.

The Damage in Fennsylvania is From \$3,000,-000 to \$5,000,000.

estimates put the loss at from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000 by the recent floods in this State. So far reports have been received

The sweep of water was greater in ome sections than was ever known be- Republic, to attend the annual encampfore, and bridges that had withstood the ment of that organization at Hanford the Burmah Railways Company, stated floods of years were swept away. The Cal., next May. at a meeting in London that American sudden drop in the temperature was was his intention to visit California and providential in some respects, as it pre- the Pacific Coast some time next year, vented the flood from spreading, but it but he could not now say when he would resulted in great suffering for the 2,000 be able to make the trip.

> * All passengers on stalled trains were The former owners removed from their uncomfortable

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NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS.

Contests for House Seats.

The hearing of the contested election cases will begin early in January before the several elections committees of the

There are seven of these contests, in cluding that made by ex-Representative SUCCESSOR IS FROM WISCONSIN. . J. Lentz, of Ohio, against the sitting nember from the seventh Ohio district. epresentative Emmet Tompkins. of the contests, begun by General Walkof Others, and That the President Will Be er, of Virginia, for the seat in the ninth Virginia district, has been terminated by

the death of the contestant. Other cases are: Seventh Alabama, N. Spears against Representative John Burnett; Third Kentucky, J. M. Moss against Representative John S. Rhea; Twelfth Missouri, W.M. Horton against Representative James J. Butler; Third North Carolina, J. E. Fowler against Representative Charles R. Thomas; Seventh South Carolina, A. B. Dentzler against Representative J. Wm. Stokes; Fourth Virginia, C. E. Wilson against Representative Francis R. Lassiter.

Will Not Take It in Bonds.

It is said to be defintely decided that offer of Mr. Andrew Carnegie of \$10,-000,000 of bonds of the United States Steel Corporation for the purpose of founding an institution for higher education in this city.

The views of prominent Senators and Representatives as they have been given to the President are practically unanimous against the acceptance of the offer in its present shape. The provision at tached to the offer that the Government shall hold the bonds for a term of years

considered especially objectionable. The President, however, is very hope ful that an adjustment can be made which Mr. Carnegie will convert the bonds which he tendered into cash or United States bonds, and that the gif can then be accepted in that shape.

Cuban Revenues Decline.

The Division of Insular Affairs of the War Department gave out the following statement showing the customs revenue

The total revenues for the ten months ended October 31, 1901, were \$13,038,336, as compared with \$13,228,861 for the same period of 1900, and \$12,120,991 for 1800.

The duty on exports was abolished April 1, 1901. The export duties collected in 1901 amounted to \$267,440; during the ten months ended Octobe 31, 1900, \$734,776; ten months ended October 31, 1899, \$610,530.

The customs revenues exclusive of export duties, increased in 1901 over the previous year by \$276,811, and over the second preceding year by \$1,260,434.

Long's Plan for Naval Reserves.

Secretary Long has transmitted to Congress a bill providing for the organization of a United States naval reserve. All officers, petty officers and enlisted men of the naval militia who served dur-Secretary Hitchcock, who resigned as Minister to Russia to acept a Cabinet pointed from civil life for service during the continuance of that war, the men who enlisted in the navy for not less than one year and served during the Spanish War, and all graduates of the Naval Academy who have honorably eft the service, may be enrolled in the naval reserve in the same grade as that held when they left the service. An appropriation of \$200,000 is asked for to carry the bill into operation.

Bill for Purchase of Telegraph Lines.

Representative Jackson, of Kansas, has introduced a bill providing that the Inited States Government purchase the Western Union and Postal Telegraph news just to hand is to the effect that companies and thereafter operate them in connection with the Postoffice Depart-

> Provision is made for appraisal of the property of the companies and for the payment of its appraised value when the amount is reported to Congress.

Siam's New Minister Presented.

Phya Akaraj Oradhara, the newly arrived Siamese Minister, called at the State Department, accompanied by his English secretary, Mr. Loftus, and was taken to the White House by Secretary Hay and presented to President Roose-The Minister presented his credentials, after which there was the usual Philadelphia, (Special).-Conservative exchange of felicitious remarks.

Roosevelt May Go to Pacific.

Representative Needham, of California, extended to President Roosevelt an invitation from the Department of California and Nevada, Grand Army of the The President said it

Bill for \$7,000,000 Building.

Representative Mercer, of Nebraska, duced a bill for a building in Wa for the United States Su

A SEVERE LOSS SUFFERED BY BOERS

Commandant Kritzinger Captured by

General French. GREATEST AND BRAVEST LEADER.

Lord Kitchener Reports That the Boer Commander Was Badly Wounded in the Fight That Resulted in His Capture-Was Trying to Break the Blockhouse Cordon at Hanover Road.

London (By Cable).-A dispatch from Lord Kitchener, dated from Belfast, about half way between Pretoria and the frontier of Portuguese East Africa, received here, announces that Commandant Kritzinger, the famous Boer commander, who has figured so prominently in connection with the invasion of Cape Colony, has been captured badly wound ed, by General French. Kritzinger was trying to break the clockhouse cordon

at Hanover road. During the last few days reports emanating both from South Africa and from Boer headquarters in Europe of an approaching crisis in South African

affairs have been current. It is said that Mr. Kruger will aban don his demand for independence, and that the Boer leaders in the field are inclined to cease fighting and seek the best

Commandant Kritzinger has been de scribed as a leader of exceptional ability, not second, even, to Christian Do Wet. He has been repeatedly referred to in dispatches from South Africa as being hotly pursued, cornered or crushed up against the Orange river in flood. But he always succeeded in escaping through some gap in the uncertain Brit-

At one moment he has been reported as having 1,000 men with him, and a day or two later, when the British had concentrated, his force had been broken up into small bands and had disappeared among the mountains, where pursuit was useless. Once no fewer than seven British columns were in hot pursuit of him, and drove him toward the Orange river, which was then unfordable. when the British thought they had him caught, they discovered that he was 50 miles in their rear, threatening the railroad, after having divided his command into two sections.

ANARCHISTS DEFY PRESIDENT.

An Inflammatory Open Letter From Leaders of Chicago Society.

Chicago (Special).-Open letters and manifestos addressed to President Roosevelt, in which defiance and disrespect are plainly set forth, are now being resorted to by the Chicago anarchists who were arrested at the time of the assassination of President McKin-

At a conference of anarchist leaders of different cities in Illinois it was decided that a general manifesto should be issued. The advance of the general appeal came in the last issue of the Free Society of Abraham Isaak and his co-workers. It is an open letter, signed by Abraham Isaak, Jr., extending over a page of the anarchist sheet and addressed to President Roosevelt.

Discussing the President's message to Congress, it tells the President that to "you should consider yourself be logical as one of the first subjects to emigrate

to the island.' 'Neither your prisons nor penal colo nies," it continues, "will stop the onward march of our ideas. Even if you did report to the most barren rocks the adherents of anarchism do not think that the dial of progress can be turned

FEAR UPRISING OF FILIPINOS.

Army Officer Says Rebellion is Rife in Island of Luzon. Pekin, (By Cable) .- A private letter

received here from an American general at Manila, whose position gives his statements the highest authority, says that secret service reports from all the provinces of the island of Luzon show remarkable and widespread revival of the spirit of rebellion there.

This letter says the American army expects a general outbreak throughout the island of Luzon, and is taking vigorous measures to suppress it. Manila is the center of discontent.

General Chaffee has frequent parades of the garrison through the city's streets to display American strength and fearing an attempt at a general massacre of Americans.

Arrangements have been perfected concentrate American women and in the public buildings on st

Pardon of Miss Eastwick Refuse ondon, (By Cable) .- Th notified counsel for ck, of Philadeli months' in



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