# U. S. ITEMS.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 12-All doubts is to whether J. Mitchell intends co ing as president of the United Mine Workers of America or not have been set at rest by the announcemen ed for the office and that he will nermit his nomination to stand.

HONOLULU, Nov. 12.—F. B. Mc-Stocker, a son-in-law of Mrs. Afong. widow of the wealthy Chinese merchant, recently deceased, denies that Mrs. Afong has been either ill-used by the sons-in-law or coerced into signing away her property rights, as has been

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13. -- The prune growers of California will re-ceive \$2,550,000 more for their crop of 1906 than was obtained by them for their crop of 1905. This is the estimate of the leading dealer in the local market. The total estimated amount due to the prune growers for this year's crop is \$4,550.00, representing 180,000,000 pounds of fruit. The crop of 1905 was 60,000,000 pounds.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.-The Herald \*today says:—
/ According to the latest developments announced last night upon the best of authority, the New York Yacht Club is willing to accept a challenge for a race in 1908 for the America's Cup under the new rules of measurement. This ouncement shows that Sir Thomas far from having failed in the object of his visit here has been successful. He came here to arrive at an understanding for another race, and he has accomplished the object of his visit. The play is laid in Southern Californ From the same source of information as has also been ascertained that Sir be a cutter designed by Wm. Fife, the designer of two of the Shamrocks.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12-While no authoritative statement could be obtained in regard to the matter, there is good reason to believe that the gov-ernment has decided to institute proceedings against the Standard Oil Co. under the Sherman anti-trust act, with a view of obtaining an order of the court dissolving the company as it now exists and restoring to each of the seventy-five or eighty constituent npanies its proportionate share of the stock and also compelling the obervance of the law inhibiting them from entering into any contract, agreement or understanding with each other, with a view of maintaining prices in

NEW YORK, Nov. 13-In a long despatch from Washington to the Journal of Commerce the correspondent there of that paper says that the principal points at which the Govern is urging forward its case against the ndard Oil Company are Jamestown Chicago and Memphis. This is solely in with the alleged railroad evils, as distinguished from the pro ngs under the Sherman act. At al places a substantially uniform is being pursued, and indict-have been based on principally principles. It will thus be pos sible to watch the judges who have harge of the cases, by the comparamethod and to note whether they fense that is offered at one place will with some modifications un be offered at the others. This indicates that the government is going upon the theory that carefully planned and systematic modes of violating the law were resorted to by the Standard Oil

It will be brought to justice if at all by proving these schemes illegal.

PHILADELPHIA. Nov. 13.-The National Congress on uniform divorce laws held its second meeting here to-The first meeting was held at put. Washington nine months ago, at which time an adjournment was taken to permit a committee to draft a bill on uniform divorce laws to be presented to the legislatures of all the states. The bil which was drawn by the committee names cases for which divorce can be granted. They are infidelity, felony, bigamy, desertion, habitual drunkenness and intolerable cruelty. The committee nended that the various legislatures be asked to agree on a period of residence before application may be made for divorce. It is expected nittee that this recommendation if adopted by all the states will decrease the number of migratory

Delegates from all sections of the untry attended today's session at which Governor Pennypacker presided.

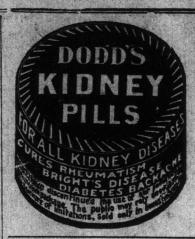
NEW YORK, Nov. 13. - Delphin M. Delmar, of San Francisco, a leading member of the Pacific Slope, has been engaged to defend Harry K. Thaw ined for the murder of Stanford White, the architect. He was in con sultation with his client in the Tombs esterday and agreed with him on the ne of defence. This, it is stated, will rification of the deed,

The California lawyer will dominate the trial throughout, it is understood, with the full consent of C. W. Hartridg,e, the attorney of record, and per sonal counsel of Thaw. It is expected the trial will begin on

DETRIOT, Mich., Nov. 13.-The Free Press says today:-Plans are well under way to bring before Congress early in the approachdiate appropriation for \$4,000,000 for Marie ship canal. The Lake Carriers' Association will urge that the entire cose be covered in one appropriation ifch event it is expected that the new lock can begin next season and trict engineer, is preparing a report re-commending a lock 1350 feet long, 75 to 80 feet wide, and 20 feet deep, to be built just north of the present Poe Lock. The vessel interests aver that Chairman Burton of the house river and harbor commission in favor of the project. ion is thoroughly

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## DRAMA OF EARLY **CALIFORNIA LIFE**

David Belasco's "The Rose of the Ranch Presented for the Ffrst Time In Boston.

BOSTON, Nov. 13.-David Belasco's drama of early California life, "The Rose of the Ranch," was presented here tonight for the first time on any stage and a large representative audience was present at the Majestic thea-

nia in the early fifties, when the coun try was deluged by Americans from Thomas's next challenging craft will the west and southwest. The many holds the attention throughout. In the cast were Hamilton Revelle, who acted for a long time with Mrs. Leslie Carter; Francis Starr, Grace Gaylor Clark, and Charles Richman, once the leading man of Daly's and the Empire theatres in New York.

The production was received with enthusiasm.

SEVERE FORM OF ASTHMA. "I first used Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine with my daughter who suffered from a severe form of asthma. The least exposure to cold would lay her up and she would nearly suffocate for want of breath. I must say I found it to be a most satisfactory treatment, and it has entirely cured her."—Mrs. A. A. Van Buskirk,

## **GOVERNOR-GENERAL**

### NOT TO BE THANKED

alliance and assistance in their work.

This, however, was not done, on account of the objection raised by one of the members, Rev. Mr. Scott, who stated he had read in a newspaper a report that during his western that during his western the stated he had read in a newspaper a report that during his western the stated he had read in a newspaper a report that during his western the stated he had read in a newspaper a report that during his western the members, Rev. Mr. Scott, who stated he had read in a newspaper a report that during his western the members and assistance in their work.

The Count will be received wherever funds of insurance companies were not his parents go, but the American colony, where he was formerly received to the corony, where he was formerly received for his wife's sake, will be closed to him. The nobility, too, will shub him apply of the black soldiers could be supplied to the corony, where he was formerly received to General Carlington, and these funds.

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## CANADIAN NORTHERN ONTARIO RAILWAY

TORONTO, Nov. 13.—It was official ly announced today that a daily pas-senger service will begin on the new and Parry Sound next Monday. The road will be called the Canadian North-ern Ontario railway in future, as it is a part of MacKenzie and Mann's consolidated system.

### A DISCOVERY OF

GREAT VALUE.

Because a Cure was Found for Inflammatory Kheumatism

There are many types of rheumatism but none worse than inflammatory. It was this kind that almost killed Mrs. Edw. Warman of Kent Jct., N. B. ferent doctors gave their advice, but

the disease increased. Week and despairing, she was at her wits' end when the remarkable cure of Thos. Cullen was published. This gentleman was cured of rheumatism by "Ferrozone," Consequently Mrs. Warman used the same remedy. Here

"For years I have been rheumatic. I tried various forms of relief without success. The disease increased, settled in my joints and muscles; these swelled, caused excruciating pain and kept me from sleeping. My limbs and arms stiffened, my shoulders were lame and ; prevented me from working. Week by week I was losing strength and despaired of finding a cure. It was a happy day-I heard of Ferrozone. Every day I took Ferrozone I felt better; it eased the painful joints, gave me energy and a feeling of new life. Ferro-zone cured my rheumatism, cured it so that not an ache has ever returned. Even damp weather no longer affects

Ferrozone has power to destroy Uric Acid, neutralize and enrich the blood, and therefore does cure the worst Mrs. Warman's statement

By removing the cause of the disease and building up a reserve of energy Ferrozone is certain to cure. Suf-ferer, isn't it about time to stop ex-We guarantee this. Sold by all deal-Remember the name-"Ferrozone."

# ONE MAN KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK COUNT ON C.P.R. NEAR KAMLOOPS, B.C. STILL A DANDY

Collision Between Sections of Eastbound Specials — Several Sailors Clothes Irreproachable But More or Less Injured-Are Members of Old Crew of H. M. S. Spearwater, and Were Homeward Bound

to England, came to grief.

of passenger trains that ever occurred miles from Vancouver. The east- The others were found to have only overland left here yesterday af- minor injuries and bruises.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 13.-A ternoon in two sections, the first caroad collision took place about 10 miles rying time-expired men from the Spearwest of Kamloops, on the C. P. R. main line last evening, as a result of which home across the sea," and who anthe naval special, containing the old nounced they were going home to crew of H. M. S. Spearwater en route spend Christmas in England. "Ot o England, came to grief. what a happy land is England," they
The dead are J. A. Rowe, Vancouver,
hird coals in commissions our Injury. third cook in commissary car. Injur-lantic express was kept waiting at ed: Whiting, chief stoker of H. M. S. Tranquille Siding for it to pass. The Spearwater, burned feet, and legs; second section dashed into it, tele-sconding the sleeper Loraine, in which Logan, sailor; Spearwater, burned scoping the sleeper Loraine, in which was the officer commanding the men, face, feet, hips; Joe Allen, second cook, and overturning the commissary car cuts and bruises; Louis Charney, chief and sailors car. The three cars caught cook, cut face; Charles Mead, inspector fire, an acetylene gas tank exploding dining and sleeping cars, fractured rib The marines and bluejackets scrambled dining and sleeping cars, fractured rib out of the wreck with the agility of and bruises; S. W. Durrett, porter, cats and set to work extinguishing the contusions; nine sailors slightly hurt. flames and extricating the wounded. This is the record for the first collision The uninjured performed heroid work in digging injured comrades from burning cars. Many were in the bunks on the Pacific division of the Canadian and only half clad when they scrambled Pacific. It was a rear-end collision from the burning cars. All were taken and took place at the Tranquille siding, to Kamloops, where the six seriously seven miles west of Kamloops and 240 injured men were put in the hospita

## sided conflicts between the newcomers and the Spanish, Mexicans and Indians who were the real dwellers of the land, is the basis of a thrilling story which INSURANCE COMPANY MANAGERS

They Tell Insurance Commission Result Would be Good if Politics Kept Out---More Power for Policyholders----Many Other Reforms Suggested Including Stricter Govt. Supervision.

Policyholders' Association appeared before the insurance commission this afternoon.

Mr. Robbins said he could hardly and midwinter return. claim to thoroughly represent the association as there had been no gen-

The government knows all about the ompany and investments. At present In view of the uncertainty of the members as to the accuracy of this re-nual statements of companies. This port, several protested against the showed the securities only on one day adoption of such a resolution, and on of the year and was silent as to the the suggestion of the president, J. other 364. Therefore government K. MacDonald, the resolution was not custody of securities was necessary. He would include mortgages as securi

ties for government custody. Policies should be standardized. All policies purporting to be the same There should be elimination of trans-actions which were speculations or inestments rather than life insurance

ment of premiums had ceased. to increase its capital stock.

should be forbidden. If a stockholder a meeting he should not be allowed to embarrass those who did.

by law. It was unfair to old policyholders to carry the notes of new polcyholders. Notes also induced men to take insurance they could not afford. There should be compulsory distributions of profits annually. The twenty- ance experience, who would have the year distribution was unfair. ompanies should be forbidden to canvass for insurance on estimates. They first class financial institution. were misleading. He recommended government auditors who could descend on a company and inspect without warning. The insurance superin- siveness as for any other well conduct tendent should have power to at any ed insurance company. time hold just such an inquiry into the affairs of any company as the commission was now holding. It was hardly insurance if conducted as Mr. Bradfair that shareholders should get sub- shaw suggested. However, he believe stantial dividends and policyholders very small, if any.

Commissioner Kent pointed out that Intercolonial.

for a number of years at the beginning Mr. Sanderson of the Canada Life of each company's existence the shareholders got no dividends.

The inquiry had revealed some seri-

ous things in life companies and it was a question whether the commission should terminate its labors with its report as to changes in the act. might be well to look into breaches of trust committed by life managers and in Canadian insurance if an attemp directors and decide whether it would were made to conduct it on New Zea be well to continue them in places of land lines while if conducted on British trust. Any bonus stock that was oblines it would do no harm.

The question of limitation of expense pear on the books, Silent assets should in securing business was discussed. Mr.

After four o'clock the managers ap-peared again, and there followed a evils would be greater than the benefits discussion of the memorial they pre-sented yesterday. Thomas Bradshaw, within the maximum expense limit secretary of the association, suggest-fixed ed that if greater publicity were de-t York.

OTTAWA, Nov. 13.-William Rob- sired as to investments made by com-

T. B .Macaulay spoke for enlarge ment of the field of investment alloweral meeting yet. The investigations ed. As far as he was concerned he of the commission had showed many departures by companies from prudent practice. He suggested that policyholders should be represented on the management of companies, at least on investment powers of the presented on the management of companies, at least on investment hoards. The greater part of the companies should be companied to invest the money obtained to companie the companies of the present part of the companies of the companies of the present companies of the companies of the companies of the present companies of the companies of the present companies of the prese TORONTO. Ont., Nov. 13.—At the annual meeting of the Ontario Lord's Day Alliance on Friday, it was intended to adopt a resolution expressing the thanks of the Alliance to His Excellency Earl Grey, the Governorboard, their policyholders. He declared that Mr. Robbins favored widening the in- in the strict sense of the term the

> which had been discussed by the managers and they had arrived at the decision that the funds of an insurance company were no more trust funds than were the funds of a bank. In the evening the commissioners got the views of the managers on some problems they had omitted from their

emorial. The first of these was state life insurance. T. Bradshaw, secretary of the association, spoke in favor of state insurance in Canada. It would have, should read the same. The business of the Canadian public which would benelife insurance companies should be fit the regular life companies, and it confined strictly to life insurance. would assist the officers of these companies in solving their problems and reducing their expenses. State insur-ance would have no detrimental effect It should be difficult to start a life upon existing companies. It would insurance company. It should be substantial from the first so that it might savings bank had helped the other not be exploited. not be exploited.

Companies should be compelled to carry as long as there was a dollar of field was growing and was big enough office value policies on which the pay-Dividends on life insurance stock panies. The only successful state inshould be eliminated, gas, water and land, where there was a state departother stocks had such limitations.

Watered and bonus stock should be which sought business as actively as Watered and bonus stock should be prohibited. Very good reason should other companies. Its rate of expensions given before a company was allowed was a little higher than some of the other companies in New Zealand and Canvassing for proxies by directors its profits divided not quite as high as some. However, it was on the did not take enough interest to go to a well conducted and successsful company. In Great Britain there was state insurance which was not a success. It Mr. Christie declared that the taking did not seek business. To succeed to of notes in payment of first premiums day a state insurance department was an evil which should be dealt with would have to be independent of politics and all employes should be pointed on the recommendation of the

manager. The manager would have to be a competent business man with insur-New same freedom of action and independ ence as given to the manager of any

The business should be conducted en tirely in the interest of policy holders and with the same skill and aggres-

Mr. Macaulay said he, on behalf of the Sun Company, would welcome state ed politics would enter and the resul would be a failure something like the

said Canada had state insurance. It was in the civil service. In thirteen years there had been only 176 policies written and 165 of them were still in force. This was a good sample of the results of lack of aggressiveness. Mr. McDougall, of Montreal, though that politics would be likely to appear land lines while if conducted on British

Macaulay said the managers wer All Canadian companies were well within the maximum expense fixed by the Armstrong law in New

Show Signs of Wear

Social Position Critical and Political Court to Grant Divorce.

PARIS, Nov. 10.—Despite the obvious intention of the court to grant the Countess de Castellane a divorce, the count is debonair in manner as ever. He is now living with his parents, and has aged gi atly during the recent months.

Count Boni's social position is critical. Women are beginning to cut him now that he is penniless. Nevertheless, in face of defeat and financial ruin, the count remains the dandy. He is as careful as ever about the slightest details of dress. His neckties, waistcoats and gloves are still irreproachable, although showing the signs of wear.

The count's bitterest enemies admit that he is plucky in a vain fashion. He has but few staunch friends, for the citizens of the better sort have shunned him for years because of his abandoned tonight foolishness. Others who are married have shunned him for the reasons which Maitre Cruppi disclosed. What grieves the count chiefly is

sition and a Royalist, it is unlikely that the court, which favors the gov-Therefore he will be declared a bankupt and compelled to resign from the

port him, and from this a curious condition will arise. The countess now pays the count's father an annuity of 28,000 francs, and she manifests the intention to continue this annuity despite the outcome of her suit. If so, there will be provided the spectacle of the father, whom the son always helped financially with his wife's money, reverting the usual order and providing his son with money derived from the wife who has divorced him. Boulevardiers declare there will be no duels, because the husbands of the

women whom Cruppi exposed fear to challenge Boni, since their own conduct, it is said, is no better than the Count's. The only person who could challenge the Count is Edmond Kelly, who would scorn to meet Boni, even

Yacht Club and Cercle Rue Royale. as well as the further report of Inspec-

Countess her divorce. Even though Maitre Bonnet throughout the trial

charges, the public is convinced that the Count is doubly guilty. The Countess is living quietly, and now that the worst strain is over seems relieved. She looks less careworn, and expression, while not cheerful, is ceful. She spends her time with her children in her palace on the Avenue Bois de Boulogne and drives daily with her children and Miss Helen Gould in a closed automobile, fearing the snap-shooters. No queen could be more carefully guarded than is the Countess. She accepts no social invi-

ate friends, the Millington-Drakes. The countess' conduct is suggestive of a young widow recently bereaved. The count, on the contrary, attends

tations and sees only her most intim-

teas and dinners and goes wherever he is invited. Counsel for the countess are confident that the application of the count's attorney's for an examination of the witness in the case will be denied by the court when the matter comes up next Wednesday. It is also regarded as measurably certain that the public prosecutor will not avail himself of the right he possesses to be heard in the interest of the general public. Nevertheless, it is known that the creditors are using every influence to prevent the granting of a divorce until after their case is disposed of.



MISS EDNA WOOLLEN young woman, who was the musical of George Vanderbilt and a niece of Law Wallece, became the f Henry D. Baker, of Chicago,

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## NEGRO DESPERADO STILL LEADING HIS PURSUERS A MERRY CHASE

ered in the first 24 hours of his free- on the new trail. dom nearly twenty miles along the west bank of Penobscot Bay

When the hunt was temporarily abandoned tonight Francis was thought to be in the vicinity of Centre

The search for the negro began in that the trial destroys his political fu-ture. As he is a member of the oppo-sition and a Royalist, it is unlikely ing up the trail. An abandoned team that the court, which favors the gov-ernment, will provide him any alimony. found, and about noon it was thought ning.

THOMASTON, Me., Nov. 13.-At that the negro had been located on sunset tonight Minot St. Clair Francis, the negro desperado who broke jail hills. Before the mountain could be yesterday, was still leading his pur- surrounded word was received that suers, officers from the state prison, local officials and Knox county authorities by several miles, having coving the force of the searchers concentrated

Every effort was made to catch up with the fugitive before darkness shut in, but he succeeded in keeping ahead was of his pursuers The postal authorities in Washington Lincolnville, five miles north of Cam- offered an additional \$100 for Francis' capture today, which places the amount

of reward at \$200. The officers seemed very confident tonight that the negro would be in custody again inside of the next 24 hours. The chase will be renewed in the mor-

# Although he is clever, it will be difficult for him to earn a living. The count's family will be obliged to support him and from this area.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- The war department mails are heavy with letters protesting against the discharge without honor of the three companies of the 25th Infantry, colored. Most of these originate in Massachusetts, but nearly every section of the cour try is represented. They can be of no avail now, it is said, because the action was taken by direction of the president, who alone can relieve the severity of the order. Most of the con munications, according to the department, reveal ignorance of important facts connected with the case, so act who would scorn to meet Boni, even in a duel.

Owing to the Count's financial straits he may have to resign from the fashionable clubs of which he is now a member—the Tennis Club, Polo Club, Automobile Club, Horse Show Club, Yacht Club, and Cerela Pue Poyele.

for being found out.

No doubt the court will grant the had not been guilty of complicity in the take mails or withdraw from the subrioting, or in any subsequent agreehas made no effort to refute her rioters, it was stated at the war department that the question had been given some consideration already, and although a conclusion had not been reached it was believed that the president would probably consent to modify the order in individual cases where injustice would result from its rigid application.

ONLY FOR THE AGED. "Good morning, ma'am," said Willie "My, what a polite little boy!" ex claimed Miss Pert Passey. "Do you always take off your cap like that to

"No'm; only to old ladies." D. A. Speight, formerly of the North End, has been elected mayor of May-wood, N. J., by a large majority. Mr. Speight is a son of the late Captain Speight of Paradise row.

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OTTAWA, Nov. 13,—It looks now if the mails will be landed at Halifax this winter. The post office depart-ment has not agreed to the application to allow the C. P. R. to carry the mails direct to St. John. It is not thought that the permission will be given In that case the C. P. R. will have to mail contract it holds from the Allans, who have the government contract and let the Allans perform the weekly mail service to Halifax It is understood the Allans will make Halifax their terminus only for the there is no accommodation at St. John The other Allan boats after leaving the

mails at Halifax to St. John for freight. HUGH ALLAN INTERVIEWED. MONTREAL, Nov. 13 .- The winter

mail service was inaugurated last Fri-day by the departure of the turbiner Virginian from Liverpoool for Halifax direct, omitting the Moville call," said Hugh Allan this morning.

Mr. Allan has been in consultation with the authorities at Ottawa regarding the future sailings, but declined to make any definite statement, except that the Empresses are likely to assist in the service and will probably also land mail at Hallfax. "The Virginian will discharge and load at Halifax, but the Parisian and

succeeding steamers will call at both Asked as to the turbiner Victorian Mr. Allan replied that it was hoped to obtain permission for her to undergo the necessary annual overhauling before resuming her position in the mail service.

Tunisian will call at both ports, and

"During the past season we have gained much experience in regard to the working of the turbine engine in large steamships which our line was and we are anxious to introduce certain improvements without delay."

NEW BOATS FOR ALLAN LINE. MONTREAL, Nov. 13.-The Allan line announced today that the two new steamers now under construction for them will be known as the Corsican and Grampian. The Corsican will be eleven thousand tons and 16 knots and will be ready for sea on 1st May. The Granpian ten thousand tons and 15 knots, and will be ready August 1st. Neither of the new boats will be propelled by turbines, the company being of the opinion that for the desired speed quadruple expansion engines are the most economical.

HOLIDAY FOR SUN WORSHIPPER

(From Success.) The London 'bus was fairly crowded, so the passenger climbed to the top, where shortly after taking his seat he observed a person in peculiar garb, with a red turban. There was a leaden sky overhead and a slow, drizzling rain, such weather as is the rule rather than the exception in the British met-

ropolis. As the conductor came to the top the red-turbaned person, evidently an Indian Parsee, got down. "What sort of a chap is that?" asked the driver of the conductor.

"I fancies that 'e's one of them fellers that worships the sun."
"Worships the sun, eh?" repeated
the driver, with a shiver. "Then I suppose he comes over 'ere to 'ave a

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