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The Stale Old Story of the Queen's Retirement Effectually Disposed Of-Mr. Laurier Presented With a Gold Medal by the Cobden Club-Sherman's Dispatch Criticised.

warship Gangut. No trace of the rock on which she is supposed to have official speculation resulting in faulty workmanship. The divers found that the plates had parted amidships for a distance of 40 feet along the line of the rivets, half-way between the keel and the curve in the vessel's side. The plates were neither bent nor twisted. The edges of the fissure, which was from nine to eighteen inches in width, were found to be quite clean. It is be-lieved that the firing of the guns started the rivets.

THE QUEEN'S MESSAGE.

a copy of resolutions declaring that Canada's preferential tariff does not invalidate the Belgian and German treaties, and adding that even if it does, the most favored nation treaties must be abandoned by England. must be abandoned by England.

NO APOLOGY. The telegraph clerks of the postoffice fuse to work overtime, the Duke of in Paris and Buda Pest cereals have in-Norfolk, postmaster-general, on Saturtary of the Telegraph Clerks' Associaance of ballot papers, and to apologize pain of suspension. Both of these of of the postmaster-general and they were summoned before the Duke of

should refuse to consider the question in any shape until he has received an apology for such wanton imputations." The Speaker says: "Mr. Sherman is an old man. We hope for his sake that old man with the familiarity of private correspondence shows that he did not intend his dispatch for publication." the dispatch was drafted by some subordinate, who is for the time being is quite strong enough to justify a sus-

A curious light is thrown on the was 82 years old. as remarkably gentle, polite and ild-mannered a man cutting so once before reaching 18. many throats. The Review writer comes to the conclusion that the sultan s dominated by terror to such an extent as to have entirely lost his balance and his reason. He, who in the early days, would allow no life, even of the ilest criminal, to be taken, has develped under the fear of assassination a shrinking tyrant, who is urged tience as well, and sends without pity tousands to their doom. Then follows grave forecast of what has been late-

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London, July 19.-The proposition to | Macedonia, and not Armenia, is to be confer upon the Archbishop of Can- the scene of slaughter on this occasion.

nothing. Englishmen were exceedingly eager to see the archbishop established as primate of the church throughout the world. But the American bishops, mation and may portend great the control of the central throughout the world. But the American bishops, mation and may portend great throughout the control of the central throughout the world. the world. But the American bishops, of whom there were 114 in the conference, arrayed themselves solidly against the proposal, and they had as allies several colonial bishops. A distinguished American ecclesiastic said on Saturday: "The independent church in America would never consent to surrender a particle of its independence." A prominent participant in the conference said: "Its most significant phase was the prominence given to the consideration of the social duties of the church. There seemed to be an almost unanimous opinion that the work of the church expects including the collectivist party. Such a party. Such a party seems to be in process of formation, and may portend great changes in the character of American pilitics. It is likely to exercise considerable influence throughout the world sooner or later. Assuming that the project was fairly successful, a collision between the colonists and the trusts would be bound to arise. The continued despetism of trusts would easily occasion a combination of discontented farmers with the artisan population of the cities, and the year 1900 may see a western Populist in the White House, a consideration of the church expects includence throughout the present year. This is done in order to have the market clear when the new books are ready. Pennsylvania officials, it is reported, have carefully considered the principle of applying electricity to the whole system, and estimate that a saving of \$9,000,000 can be made annually in operating expenses, or enough to pay 7½ per cent interest on \$120,000,000 capital. church. There seemed to be an almost unanimous opinion that the work of the church properly includes the consideration of the problems of labor and capital: Bishop Potter made a strong speech advocating the propriety of bishops officiating as arbitrators in labor disputes, and the American bishops have been taking a leading part.

Populist in the White House, a congression of the White House, a congression of the Central Passenger Association, which governs traffic in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, and Michigan, has just issued a warning to the public stating that all mileage books presented by any other than the original purchaser will be bound to lead to the employment of the confiscated, and at the loss of the confiscated by energy and determined, and state grees angry and determined, and state legislatures everywhere west of the light property demands of the collectivists, who would differ only in details from the German social democrats. Such a situation would be bound to lead to the employment of the confiscated, and at the loss of the confiscated by energy and determined, and state legislatures everywhere west of the legislatur interference would be the other way. His influence for a bimetallic conferon which she is supposed to have struck can be found. It is now openly charged that her loss is placeable to ver vote of the west, so as to break vas made in accordance with the wise of representatives of American varieties. shows an attempt to capture the silver vote of the west, so as to break up the forces of discontent. The ugly temper which is growing on the basis of the revelation of the tariff bill is adding fuel to the flames. In America action is almost always taken suddenly, and it may be but a few years before a great party will become

A Berlin correspondent says: The roads.

The Big Four will probably put in GOLD MEDAL FOR MR. LAURIER.

The Cobden Club has presented to
Sir Wilfrid Laurier a gold medal and longer know what prices to ask or exdeclined in price since May instead Von Kanitz, the father of the obnox department having decided to ballot jous new bourse law, proclaimed in t to determine whether they should re- Reichstag would be the case, wherea

creased in price. THE KAISER KICKS. Emperor William is greatly displeased with the decisions of the court of arbitration which deprives his bro- a great deal of suffering. ther-in-law, Prince Adolf of Schaum-burg-Lippe, of the right of succession to the regency in Lippe-Detmold. The Norfolk, who informed them that the department would take no further action in the matter.

SHERMAN'S DISPATCH.

The weekly papers take virtually the same view as the dailies with reference to Secretary Sherman's dispatch on the sealing question. The Spectator says:

"He scolds the British government as if ministers were a set of work."

Prince Adoif, who is comparatively poor, has gone back to Bonn to resume his military duties. The emperor's telegram to the prince after tthe decision by the King of Saxony in favor of Count Lippe Biestenfeld, has caused a great sensation among the German particularists. It contains the following sentence: "Detmold could never have a better and worther master and mistant death through heart failure, and had frequently sharp pains through my temples, together with dizziness and a mist before regency is worth 240,000 marks a year. ing. Sometimes I was afraid to Prince Adolf, who is comparatively down lest I should choke to death "He scolds the British government as tress than you." Special offense has gether with dizziness and a mist before my eves. "My more been given by this reference to the hand, thieving scoundrels. It is absolutely essential that Lord Salisbury hand, they is replied to the second seco should refuse to consider the question the tenor of the whole telegram and the to this I had almost to force myself

DEATH OF REV. DR. STOKES. squite strong enough to justify a sus-ension of diplomatic relations if that Stokes, D.D., of the Methodist Epis-ere worth while."

New York, July 17. — Rev. Elwood treatment, having tried so many things without effect, but I am thank-Grove Camp Meeting Association, died have made my heart strong. It now at his home at Ocean Grave, N. J. He | beats naturally.

by one who evidently has an inward ley cars were in collision on the Hartknowledge of eastern affairs. It will astonish many, who only know of Abdul Hamid as "the great assassin," to be told by those personally acquainted with him that they agree in describing with him that they agree in describing and several other laborers were more with him that they agree in describing and several other laborers were more and ford-New Britain line near Cedar moun-

amiable. Indeed, one French diploma- MARIED TWICE AT SEVENTEEN. good. They have raised me from a Benton Harbor, Mich., July 17 .- The state of despair to a condition of he heart is always open to every generous sentiment, and he is so well able to brought to light a strange matrimonial son to be thankful that I began taking gain the confidence of the clever men of the world that the present French minister of foreign affairs, in a famous essay in the Revue de Paris, did all he knew how is excuse and defend some Contract of the confidence of the clever men of the world that the present French St. Joseph railroad man, and Carrie Prescott, aged 17, were married June 18, but the matter was kept secret. knew how to excuse and defend some Only a year ago the bride was married now am so thankful."

Of the sultan's worst acts. His morals to Fred R. Middleton, a horse jockey, are, they say, irreproachable, and they but obtained a separation. So this girl are puzzled to find an explanation of has been married twice and divorced THE BENHAM TRIAL.

Batavia, July 17.-Drs. Wolfe, of New York, and Boswell, of Buffalo, were called by the defense in the Benham properly conducted. Their testimony was entirely of a technical nature. Benham is anxious to go on the stand, by the fanatical dervish, Aboul Batavia, N. Y., July 17.—Dr. W. H. Batavia, N. Y., July 17.—Dr. W. H. Heath, of Buffalo, was called by the defense in the Benham case this morning. In answer to the hypothetical question of the defense, Dr. Heath said y prophesied by other observers on the that from the circumstances recited, he spot, namely, that a fresh series of massacres is in contemplation, and that the effects of prussic acid. Dr. Heath would not swear positively as to the cause of death. He said, however, in answer to a question by Mr. MacKey, that, all things taken into consideration, he should say that she died from heart trouble. Court was adjourned un-

> Taking it year in and year out, the coldest hour of each 24 is said to be 5 o'clock in the morning.

The Wabash Cutting Expenses-

Train Dispatchers Become Operators. Record-Breaking Done by an Erie

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can do to handle it.

The Wabash is still reducing expenses in every department. The train dispatchers' department has been all branches of the Episcopal Church in all parts of the world, which was one proposed Debs collectivist settlement patchers department has been reached and a number of train dispatchers reduced to operators. of the most interesting questions before the Lambeth conference, will come to nothing. Englishmen were exceedingly leaser to see the archbishop established. But the Lambeth conference, will come to nothing. Englishmen were exceedingly leaser to see the archbishop established. But the fastest time of the west is taken by the Spectator, and the west is taken by the Spectator, which says: Collectivism hitherto has been confined to foreigners in the United States, particularly Germans, which is said to be the fastest time.

years before a great party will become dominant, determined to carry out a great collectivist scheme, perhaps including the state ownership of railways. GERMAN FARMERS ANNOYED. ago to the presidents of the western

The Queen's message to her people from Windsor Castle, in which she says that she intends to reign as long as life lasts, effectually disposes of the stale old story asserting that she contemplates abdicating in favor of the Prince of Wales.

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