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AN EARTHQUAKE DOES THE WORK

Great Loss of Life and Property Reported.

Agitator Tillet Gets Off-Central American Citizens Compelled to Enlist-The Great Eclipse - The Duke of Sutherland's Will-London News on Mr. Blake's Speech.

Athens, April 17.—The island of Zante, one of the principal Ionian islands was visited by a most destructive earthquake this morning, resulting in a great loss of life and property. In February and March last the islands sustained a vast amount of damage by seismic disturbances and a large number of lives were lost. The shock this morning appears to have been most violent in the city of Zante, a greater part of which vas destroyed.

The people are panic-stricken and the The people are paint-stricken and the authorities helpless. The streets are impassable, being filled with masses of stone, timber and the wreckage of houses thrown down by the earthquake. Thus far the bodies of 20 persons killed falling walls have been removed from debris and it is feared many more dead are in the ruins. The number of persons injured runs up into the hundreds. Everything is an confusion and the work of searching for the bodies and injured cannot be pursued systematically. The greater portion of the in-habitants have fled to the plains behind e city, where they wander about in distracted manner bewailing the loss

f their homes and property.
A large number of tents taken to Zante to shelter the people who were redered homeless by former earthquakes have been again set up, and under them some women and children have taken some women and children have taken refuge. The city presents a scene of desolation, and it is doubtful if it will ever recover from the series of misfortunes that have befallen it within the past three months. There is bound to be an enormous amount of suffering, and outside aid will be ungently require outside aid will be urgently required to prevent sickness and starvation.

The Sutherland Will Case. London, April 17.—A celebrated will case came up in probate court on Saturday. In 1889 the late Duke of Sutherland married his second wife against the bitter oposition of his son and heir. The result of the disagreement was a will as favorable as possible to the second wife, and after the Duke's death counsel secured from the court an order for access to certain papers held by the widow. In court this morning counsel asked for an attachment against her for contempt of court on the ground that she had burned some of the papers called for in the order. Court cited her to make answer on Tuesday.

Tillett Set at Liberty. London, April 17.—Ben. Tillett, the well-known labor leader, charged with having incited strikers to riot in Bris by a jury sitting in the case. The jury decided, however, though the prisoner was guilty of using words calculated to cause a riot, they believed the words spoken on the spur of the moment and were not intended to provoke a breach of the peace. Justice Cave said the rider to the verdict was tantamount to a relation that the prisoner was not guilty, therefore he considered it duty to discharge the prisoner.

Central American Affairs. Panama, April 17.—The steamer Colon, which arrived last night, brought very little news from Central American When the steamer left Ampola, Policarpo Bonilla, the leader the revolutionists in Honduras, was still in possession of Tegucigalpa. The report of the capture of that city was cabled on the day after the battle which preceded its capture. The revolutionpreceded its capture. The revolution-ists have not finally triumphed, however, and skirmishes have frequently occurred. While the Colon was at Ampola her officers met difficulties in

Rome, April 17.—The delegation Benedictime Abbotts, headed by Bishop Leo Haid, of North Carolina, who are to represent the order in the United States at the laying of the corner-stone of the International Benedictine College of St. Anselm, arrived to-day. Nearly 600 abbots from different parts of the world, who have been reaching the city during the past week, were gathered at the depot and gave their American brethren a hearty reception. They will participate next week in the internation-al conference of abbots, which will consider plans for increasing the strength and influence of this religious community. To-morrow they will be given a special audience by the Pope, and it is announced that he will make a commu-nication to the order, the exact nature

of which, however, is not known.

Presents for Princess Marie. Vienna, April 17.—A committee representing all the conspicuous Jews of Bulgaria have ordered in Buda Pesth an album inlaid with diamonds, rubies and emeralds, which they will give to Prince Ferdinand's bride on the wedding day. The album will cost 250,000 francs. The pope has sent a diamond ring to the Princess Marie Louise Parma, the intended bride of Prince Ferdinand.

Gonzalos Recovering. City of Mexico, April 17 .- The condition of General Manuel Gonzalos, ex-president of Mexico, continues to improve physicians in attendance re-

He is now able to move about in his room and is gaining strength daily. President Diaz has been a frequent visitor to the sick room and has given his old comrade-in-arms every attention.

Argentine's Formidable Cruiser. Argentine's Formidable Cruiser.

New York, April 17.—The Argentine cruiser Nuovo de Julio, Admiral Etrigue G. Howard, Captain Martin Revard, which sailed from St. Michael's, Azores, on April 10th, arrived at quarantine this morning and anchored off Staten Island. The cruiser was built by Sir William Armstrong, Mitchell and Company, Newcastle, England, and completes to-day her first voyage. She is a formidable looking craft, and has a crew of 344 officers and men. She mounts several large guns and 24 rew of 344 officers and men. She mounts several large guns and 24 quick-firing guns. If the representations of the officers are correct, she would give our recent naval acquisitions would give our recent naval acquisitions a stern chase, as it is claimed by them that on this voyage she steamed at the rate of 23 1-2 knots per hour, and hence is the fastest cruiser afloat. She will take in a supply of coal at this port and proceed to Hampton roads to join the fleet.

London, April 15.—The British bark Ariadne, Capt. Croot, arrived here yes-day from Tacoma. She confirms the reports heretofore received of the phenomenal ice drifts from the Atlantic ocean on January 17 in lat. 10 south, long. 45 west, which is some 180 miles northwest of Georgia islands. The Adriadne arrived off the tail of an iceberg, or properly an ice floe, which extended fur-ther than the eye could see. The Ariadne cleared the northeast end of the ice berg after sailing along its front for 30 miles, and shaped her course for Cape Horn. Many other bergs were seen, but none were of such enormous proportions as this one.

Havana, April 15.—The three Spanish war vessels, La Reina Regent, L'Infanta Isabel and La Neuva Espana, started for Havana at noon to-day, having in tow the Columbus caravels Samta Maria, Pinta and Nina, La Reina Re-Maria, Pinta and Nina, La Reina Regent towing the Santa Maria, L'Infanta Isabel towing the Pinta and La Neuva Espana the Nina, on their way to take part in the great naval review at New York on April 27. The wharves were crowded with spectators and a large number of sailboats and other kinds of boats accompanied the vessels of war and the caravels for miles outside of the harbor.

In Memory of World's Fair. . Chicago, April 17.—The bronze statue of Christopher Columbus which hereafter is to keep guard upon the lake front as a reminder of World's Fair year was unveiled this afternoon with brief ceremonies. It is 20 feet in height, represents the discoverer at the moment he sights land and rests upon a huge gransights land, and rests upon a huge gran-ite pedestal. It faces Michigan avenue, and is surrounded by a graded terrace.
The costume of the figure is military,
the Geneose wearing a luxurious clouk
the skirts of which are blown by the
wind. One foot is in advance of the In the course of litigation complainant's other, the arms are raised, and the right hand clenched. The site is almost directly opposite the Auditorium Hotel.

Masts Damaged at Sea. London, April 17.—The British bark Laquerido, from Oregon for Queens-town, was spoken on March 15th, in latitude 13 north, longitude 35 west, with her masts damaged.

Fears for the Gowanburn. San Francisco, April 17.-The Merchants' Exchange has advices stating that some wreckage has come ashore at Melbourne, apparently from the British ship Gowanburn. The vessel recently left Newcastle, N.S.W., for this port.

Ran Amuck in Prison.

Auburn, N. Y., April 17.—John Johnson, known as "Blue Nigger", from Clide, ran amuck in the broom shop of the Auburn prison this morning, armed with a sharp knife used in cutting with a sharp knife used in cutting broom corn, and first attacked Charles Peck, a fellow convict, leaving him dead on the spot. He next fatally stabbed another convict and wounded two others before he was stopped by a keeper and rendered powerless.

The other convict most seriously stabbed by Johnson was Daniel C. Britton.

The blade entered the stomach and he received in a precarious condition in

The blade entered the stomach and he now lies in a precarious condition in the hospital. It is thought ne will die. Johnson stabbed right and left while at liberty, and several other convicts suffered severe cuts. The blade of Johnson's knife was broken off during the Ampola her officers met dimcuttes had handling her cargo, the government having pressed all the dock laborers into after the blade was broken, but it did not penetrate the clothing. The keeper not penetrate the clothing. The keeper not penetrate the clothing as he was her was h Colon report that the situation in Niccaragua is serious. A revolution is expected. Dictator Rodriguez still maintains his power in Costa Rica. He has been watching those suspected of a desire to revolt with increasing vigilance since the last plot was discovered, and is reinforcing his army by compelling citizens to join it.

drew his revolver, but just as no about to pull the trigger, somebody hit his arm and the ball went wide of the mark. It frightened Johnson into surrendering, however, and he made no further resistance. He was taken to the prison strong room. A coroner's inquest has just been finished as to the death of Peck. It was found that he came to his death by a wound in the death of Peck. It was found that the came to his death by a wound in the breast which penetrated the heart, inflicted by a knife in the hands of John to-day.

Benedictine Abbots Arrive.

Benedictine Abbots Arrive. by Johnson against a number of convicts in the shop, and he made a threat that as soon as Captain Baker had a day off he would "do up" the shop. Baker was not on duty to-day and Johnson started in early to carry his

threat into effect.

Particulars are very meagre as yet but the coroner has just arrived and an inquest will be held at once. Johnson was first sentenced to Auburn in 1885 for 10 years for assault in the first degree; he was released a year ago in January, but was re-arrested at the gate after a desperate struggle, and was taken back to Clide for trial on other indictments. He came back on a sentence of four years, and has not given any trouble until this morning. He any trouble until this morning. He had also served a term in Sing Sing for receiving stolen property. Charles Peck, his victim, was sentenced from Westchester county in 1889 for burglary in the first degree to 13 years.

Irrigation in Wyoming. Cheyenne, Wyo., April 17.—George A ming and colonization schemes, is to the front again with the biggest thing yet. He proposes to take ont a 100-mile canal from the Platte river in Carbon county, and reclaim 20,000,000 acres between Rawlin and Fort Steele. It is a fine level tract with rich soil and near the railway. The climate is favora-

the railway. The climate is favorable. Crofutt claims to have ample

backing. and the physicians in attendance re-port that he is on the road to recovery. The steamship Empress of Japan will sail for the Orient on Monday next.

the vacant seat in the Laberal interest for the vacant seat in the Commons. The working class have a good opinion of him and his address to them two years ago at a labor demonstration has convinced many that he is the proper man to represent them in the Parliament. The meeting on Wednesday night is looked forward to with keen interest. The second match in the series for the British Columbia Association Cup was played on the swamp on Saturday between the Rangers and the Y.M.C.A. Alphas. The latter were the first to score, which had the effect of stimulating their adversaries and the result was that the Rangers good two goals with ing their adversaries and the result was that the Rangers scored two goals within the next ten minutes and before half-time was called they had added two more goals to their score. In the second half the Rangers did not appear to press matters and the Alphas succeeded in scoring two more goals while the Rangers obtained one. The game was won by the latter by 5 goals to 3.

The Nanaimo brass band serenaded the citizens on Saturday night.

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The pay roll of the New V. C. Company on Saturday last amounted to \$105,000 and the merchants claim it has been the best pay day for them they have yet experienced.

Mr. M. Bray has received the writ for the holding of an election on Van-couver Island, and the nomination will probably take place on May 2nd and the

The funeral of Robert, Dunn took place yesterday from the Masonic Hall, and was also attended by the A.O.U.W., of which societies deceased was a mem-

The farmers in the district are beginning to think that they are not going to have any summer. Many of them have not been able to sow seed on account of the cold weather. During the last six weeks there have been only two fine days.

Nanaimo, April 14.—The new V. C. Co.'s mines were in full swing vester-day, and as there are 1 number of ves-sels on the way it is expected they will

be kept busy for some time.

Hull Bros., butchers, have lately lost a number of valuable sheep from their yard on Departure Bay road, but all attempts to discover the thieves have B. Aaronson has sold out his gents'

furnishing business to D. McLellan. A cricket club has been formed among the members of the Nanaimo Inamong the members of the Nanaimo Infantry. President, Lieut. Dr. Praeger; vice-president, Lieut. W. Bryant; secretary, A. G. King; treasurer, H. Stewart; captain, A. Hart.

At a meeting of the board of underwriters held on Wednesday evening it was decided in future to adopt the rules regarding the wiring of buildings now in force in Victoria. force in Victoria.

The conversazione in aid of the hospital will be given in the opera house on

SEPARATION MOVEMENT.

Westminster Agitators at Work-Ooli chans in the Fraser.

New Westminster, April 14.-J. B. Sim, a swell young rancher of Mission. is in jail here for passing a counter-feit \$20 American bill at the hotel there on Monday. A man wha was with him at the time, named J. M. Cam-bridge, fled to the States. Sim used to be in the Bank of British Columbia at While City Treasurer Cooksley was

on the market this morning somebody enticed his collie away and poisoned it with arsenic on meat. No motive is The manner in which Phil Morrison left here has been ascertained. He had money and induced a sailor hamed Julien to go over to Everett, promising him a good job and getting him to buy tickets. There Julien kept him at the hotel two days; no position was secured, and he returned here to find that he had

taken a much-wanted man out and is likely to last all day. Municipal Clerk Peen is being tried for assault on J. R. Wren. It is believed that Pathmaster Anthony, who made the murderous assault with an axe on Wreu, will be extradited from the States, as he has been located. New Westminster, April 15.—The Ro

man Catholic society, the Young Men's institute, was formed kast night and elected the following officers: President, W. the following officers: President, . Keary; vice-presidents. R. C. H. Keary; vice-presidents, R. C. McDonald, A. L. Avery; recording secretary, A. Sheppard; financial secretary, H. Williams; corresponding secretary, I. M. McDonald; treasurer, J. P. Martin; marshal, J. W. Murray; surgeon, Dr. Fagan; inside sentinel, A. McDonald; outside, R. J. McDonald. The council of the institute christened it Leo in of the institute christened it Leo in nonor of the episcopal jubilee of the I fine new tug was launched for D.

McNair of the Royal City Planing Mills this morning. It is named the Dart. She is 40 feet keel and 8 feet beam. A large number of people go over Vancouver this evening to the pub-meeting there. The Workingmen's lic meeting there. The Workings club here also discuss separation

New Westminster, April 17.-A lamp exploding in a Chinese laundry on Columbia street called out the firemen on Saturday night. The damage was

Slight. Odichans are now running in small numbers in the river.

A large quantity of spring salmon ready for shipment east was stolen from F. Boutillier & Co.'s wharf last Indians are suspected. being still scarce they would have no trouble in disposing of those stolen.

The committee who have in hand the question of separation of the mainland from the island are working assiduously in this cause. Several met to-day, and they will start at once, it is understood, a thorough campaign through There will likely be this district. public meeting here towards the end of

MAY LAST SEVERAL DAYS.

The Deep Indignation of the Separatists Still Bubbling.

Vancouver, April 17 .- Saturday night's eeting was very large, and strong feeling was manifested on the subject of deferred redistribution, and the erection of the new parliament buildings. The of the new parliament buildings. The chief speakers were J. G. Brown, M.P. P., New Westminster; Revs. G. R. Maxwell and J. W. Pedley, Major Twigge, J. B. Ker, R. G. Mackay and J. M. Duval, none of them exactly representative men. A very strongly-

Wednesday Evening's Meeting to be a Strong One in the Liberal Interests.

Nanaimo, April 17.—Mr. Marehant may be assured of a large meeting on Wednesday evening when an endeavor will be made to obtain his consent to nominate him in the Liberal interest for the vacant seat in the Commons. The working class have a good opinion of him and his address to them two years ago at a labor demonstration has con-

The mayor has just received a lette from London saying that the city's 4 per cent. bonds are selling at par. Vancouver, April 15 .- Owing to the rain the meeting of the South Vanvou ver electors on redistribution did no take place, only five attending. The meeting called in this city for Saturday night will be larger. It is said a resolution will be offered asking Mr. Horne

to resign his seat.

The Vancouver Liberals are working hard to strengthen the party in the city with the intention of bringing out a candidate for the next election. An effort will probably be made to divide provincial politics on Reform and Conservative lines.

The Y.M.C.A. convention is in session

to-day with a fair attendance of delegates, some of whom are from Portland and Tacoma. Some friction exists in the board of

works department over the appointment of an inspector on the bituminous paving. Col. Tracy, city engineer, wants a man who is a ship draughtsman and marine engineer by trade, while two members of the board insist on having one with experience in courage. one with experience in concrete work and the laying of bitmmen. At yesterday's meeting the two carried their point through, one member of the board refusing to vote, and H. Bell was ap-

Vancouver, April 15.—The Liberal association last night discussed their platform. Preparations will be made to cry the party's strength at the next elec

tion.

The Lytton mining syndicate has struck gravel paying \$5 to the cubic yard on a claim adjoining the Van Winkle claim.

Rev. H. P. Hobson has written a christ aburch congress. pastoral letter to Christ church congregation submitting to Bishop Sillitoe's de-He does not know where he will be located.

Reports from the provincial Y. M. C. A.'s made to the conference all showed unsuccessful years except Nanaimo.

J. T. Johnston, owner of a line of steamers running out of Liverpool, left this morning for Everett, where he will meet Capt. McDougall of West Superior type is to superintend the Superior, who is to superintend the building of a whaleback steamer there with the object of introducing the style

HASLAM'S POLITICS.

A Liberal Candidate is Sorely Needed to Contest Vancouver District.

Union, B.C., April 14. - The nominations or Vancouver district taking place on May the leaves only three weeks' time for the ublic to be up and doing. Mr. Haslam is unning as a Liberal-Conservative. Had he any pronounced views on the tall question he would in all probability have stated then in his election card. If he has no opposition, he will gain no political advantage in taking the people into his confidence. The politics of the majority of politicians in British Columbia is to get elected. The only way to get Mr. Haslam to clearly give his political views is to get someone to oppose him. Surely the people of Vancouver district are not going to send a Tory to Ottawa in favor of the policy of the present Government. If they are it is not because they are satisfied, but because no one has the courage to take the lead. Mr. Haslam pledged to support tariff reforms would be a little better than Mr. Haslam a straight Conservative, but Mr. Haslam is too cunning to pledge himself if he is not compelled to do so. Is therenot a man in or out of the district who will run? There would be honor even in defeat, for he would have the satisfaction of educating the people.

The mines were shut down for nearly two weeks, owing to there being no vessel in to take away the coal. The San Mateo arto take away the coal. The San Mateo arrived on Sunday night and loaded 4000 tons. She left yesterday for San Francisco. F. D. Little, manager of the mines, returned yesterday from Departure Bay. His child has almost recovered.

S. Dick, inspector of mines, paid Union a visit this week. He reports everything satisfactory in connection with the mines. The Union reading room has got a very valuable addition to its library—Mr. James Dunsmuir has generously presented it with unsmuir has generously presented it with ancroft's history.

The Naval Review. Fortress Monroe, Va., April 17.—Ali the vessels composing the American fleet are now in Hampton Roads preparing to welcome the foreign warships that are en route for the purpose participating in the naval The Dutch cruiser Van Speyk has been reported and will be with the fleet this afternoon. The present week is to be devoted to entertainments on the different vessels and at the military post here honor of the distinguished visitors. the expenses of such entertainment to be defrayed by congress. The allowance to the officers of the post for this purpose is \$1000 per day. The festivities will come to an end on Saturday night by which time all the foreign vessels will have arrived, and on Monday mornentire fleet will sail for New York waters.

Twenty-Seven Miles an Hour. Glasgow, April 15.—The new steamer Campania, built for the Cunard Company, had her trial trip on the measured mile at the Gareloch near Greenock to-day. She attained a maximum speed of 23.50 knots, or fully 27 miles an hour. This is the greatest speed ever attained by any steamer and justifies the hope that she will be able to make the run from Fastnet to Sandy Hook in five days and a half. The Campania is scheduled to leave Liverpool for New York on Saturday next on her first voyage. She will attempt to break no records, but will steam along easily to allow her engines getting into first-This is the greatest speed ever allow her engines getting into first-class working order. The Lucania, the sister ship of the Campania, will be launched on the Clyde in about six weeks, and will begin her regular sailing some time in July.

Lincoln's Assassination. Springfield, Ills., April 17.—Saturday was the 28th anniversary of the death of Abraham Lineoln, and it was observed in the afternoon with impressive cered in the afternoon with a monies at the Lincoln monument. Numerous Lincoln societies throughout the country also held commemorative ser-

General Strike Ordered. Kansas City, Mo., April 17.—All the boilermakers and blacksmiths employed by the Union Pacific railroad at Armstrong near hear and pacific railroad at Armstrong near hear at the pacific railroad at Armstrong near hear and pacific railroad near and pacific railroad near

He Will be the Next Governor-General of Canada.

THE FORTIFICATION OF ESQUIMALT

The Imperial Government to Consult With General Herbert.

urveying Niagara for a New, Bridge-Probably the First Woman to Occupy the Dreaded Chair-Looking Into Naval Affairs-Killed on the World's

Ottawa, April 17.—Information is now definite that the Earl of Aberdeen has been appointed. Governor-General of Canada. Although he will arrive in America in a few days he will not reach Ottawa to replace Lord Stanley until September, owing to his desire to allow Lady Aberdeen to prosecute her work for the Irish exhibit at the World's Fair.

Major-General Herbert has been sum-

moned home by the war office for con-sultation regarding the defences of Canada, particularly on the Pacific coast. By the first of June the strength of the garrison artillery at two points in British Columbia, Esquimalt and Victoria, will be close to a thousand men, ncluding the corps of marine artillery to be sent over from England as soon as the recent joint appropriation by the parliaments of Great Britain and Canada for the fortifications at Esquimalt

has been expended.

General Herbert left for England to day. He goes to be present at the opening of the Royal Colonial Institute as well as to confer with the Imperial authorities respecting the fortifications at Esquimalt. It was once contemplated to send 20 men of the Canadian militia to be present at the opening, but this idea has been abandoned.

Chinese for the Fair.

San Francisco, April 17.—After the Chinese passengers on the steamer China had been thoroughly examined, Collector Phelps said: "As far as I can learn, the 240 Chinese who are en route for the World's Fair village that is to be built at Chinese are all right and na had been thoroughly examined. Collector Phelps said: "As far as I can learn, the 240 Chinese who are en route for the World's Fair village that is to be built at Chicago are all right, and they will be allowed to proceed on their way by special train as soon as their baggage is properly examined. Tuesday will probably see them and their exhibits started off. Although the Chinese for the fair would appear at the first glance to a casual observer to belong to the same class as the other Celestials on board, a difference is discovered on closer examination. The World's Fair Chinese are to some extent graded, and they represent many classes of artisans. There are also a number of actors. We have been giving special attention to day to the examination of the thirty Chinese who came over on their way to Portland. With the exception of two, whose certificates are all right and are entitled to land, the remainder are the worst lot of coolies that have attempted to get into this country since I have been collector. country since I have been collector. There are also 120 Chinese for this port, some of whom will have to be sent

Examining Naval Departments. Vallejo, Cal., April 17.—Secretary Herbeut's special commission to investigate and report upon the condition of the different departments and vessels a Mare Island has organized and thus far examined construction and steam en-gineering departments and workings of the labor employment bureau. Within a few days the coast defence ship Montery will make a trip down the bay with the commission on board, during which the action of her boilers will be watched carefully.

Bridge Building at Niagara. Niagara Falls, N. Y., April 17.—Engineer Buck of the Niagara Railway Suspension Bridge Company, yesterday explained why he was making new surveys near the Roebling bridge across the gorge. For two or three days past menhave here at work on both sides of the have been at work on both sides of the river, midway between the top of the banks and the water's edge, cleaning off ledges and preparing to make a survey. It has been rumored that a new bridge was to be built, perhaps for the Canadian Pacific railway. Mr. Buck says that the surveys are being made at his own request, because wanted to have the data on hand needed. He said the company had not decided to buil d amew bridge or remove decided to build a new bridge or remove the old one. It certainly will not be removed during the present season, with the greatly augmented business on account of the World's Fair traffic, and it is doubtful if it will be removed at all.

If it had been decided to build a bridge now, Mr. Buck said, the company would have no object in keeping the fact from

Britain Leads Then All. Washington, D. C., April 17.—The navy department has been advised of the arrival at Fortress Monroe of the British vessels that are to participate in the naval renezvous and review. They are the Blake, an armored cruiser, 9,000 tons; Australia, armored cruiser, 5,600 tons; Magicienne, protected cruiser, 2,-950 tons; Tartar, partially protected cruiser, 1,770 tons; and the Partridge, partially protected cruiser, 775 tons. partially protected cruiser, 775 tons. The Blake is of 20,000 horse-power and much the largest vessel of any much the largest vessel of any that will take part in the manoeuvres, domestic or foreign. The next largest vessel in horse-power will be the Argentine protected cruiser Novo de Julio, 14,500 horse-power, and next the German protected cruiser Kaiserin, 12,500 horse-power.

Experiences of an Aeronaut. San Francisco, April 17.-Lillie Dean San Francisco, April 17.—In the Dean who, while making a balloon ascension yesterday afternoon, was dashed against a building and frightfully hurt, was seen this morning and said that she was suffering but little pain. Doctors think it will be some months before the woman will be able to walk. man will be able to walk.

Typhus, not Cholera. Chicago, April 17.—The Chicago health department has advices from a health department has advices from a batch of immigrants at Winnipeg, indicating that those who are ill are down with typus, not cholera. The Chicago authorities do not greatly fear danger. Minnesota quarantine is of the strictest

Dropped Dead.
Camden, N. J., April 17.—Thomas
Dudley, ex-consul to Liverpool, dropped
dead at Broad street station, Philadelphia, early Saturday morning.

Sturgis, Ky., April 17.-The preliminary examination of the seven young men who recently shot and killed the young bride, Mrs. Henry Delaney, as she was returning with her husband and parents from the office of the justice where the marriage had taken place, is being held to-day before the local magistrate. Taylor Oliver, father of the murdered girl, who was also wounded during the affray, has so far recovered as to be able to be present. The excitement in the neighborhood has somewhat abated, and the people are disposed to allow the law to take its course. The murdered girl had been ruined by young Delaney, a drug clerk, and the latter was forced by the girl's parents to give her reparation by making her his wife. The members of the attacking party were comrades of the unwilling groom, and the affray was evidently the outcome of a conspiracy. was returning with her husband and pa-

Rome, N. Y., April 17.—A special term of the court of Oyer and Perminer opened here to-day with Judge Wright of Oswego presiding, for the trial of Mrs. Mary Houlihan, of Neroma, for murder in the first degree in killing Carl Bauer last June. The district attorney will be assisted by two other counsel, and a strenuous effort will be made to convince the jury that the case made to convince the jury that the case is one for a capital sentence. In this event Mrs. Houlihan will be the first woman to be electrocuted in this country, unless the bill abolishing capital punishment after next September in this state should become law in the

The Black Folks' Jubilee. Washington, D. C., April 17.—Eman-cipation day was yesterday observed by cipation day was yesterday observed by the colored people in many parts of the country with appropriate religious exercises, while the secular celebration will take place to-day. This afternoon the colored residents of the capital turned out in large numbers in Lincoln park. The president of the day, ex-Senator Blanche K. Booth, was introduced by George W. Stuart, and prayer was offered by Rev. Walter H. Brooks. Amongst the speakers were H. C. Smith of Alabama, James Hill of Mississippi and James Milton Turner.

Beston, April 17.—The survivors of the Minute Men of '61 are taking a holiday today. It is the anniversary of the enlistment of that famous New England organization, and to-night those that are left of it will have a re-union at Fanuell Hall, and exchange stories of war times between toasts and bumpers.

Connecticut's Priceless Relies.

Hartford, Conn., April 17.—The antique articles and other furnishings for the Connecticut state building at the World's Fair were shipped from here to-day in charge of executive secretary Veaill. Some of the articles are of great historical value and literally price-

Society Weddings.

New York, April 17.—The marriage of Miss Maude Lorrilard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Lorrilard, to Thomas Suffern Taylor, a prominent figure in society circles, was solemnized at high noon on Saturday at Calvary Protestant Enjacopal church at 4th avenue and Episcopal church, at 4th avenue and 21st street. Not many cards had been issued and the audience was consequently select. After the ceremony there was reception at the 5th avenue mansion of a reception at the 5th avenue mansion of the bride's parents. The marriage of Miss Alice Cowdin, daughter of Mrs. Elliott Channing Cowdin, and who has been very prominent in society, to Mr. Hamilton Louis Hoppin, was also celebrated the same afternoon at the Church of the Ascension.

The Body of Charles Longfellow. Philadelphia, April 17.—The body of Charles Longfellow, eldest son of the poet Longfellow, who died in Boston on Thursday, will be brought to this city early to-day for incineration in the re-torts of the Philadelphia Cremation So-ciety in Germantown. It was the in-tention of the dead man's family to have the cremation take place on Saturday, but on account of some prior engagement of the crematory people the ceremony had to be postponed. The Longfellows formerly had a number of relatives in this city, one of them, an uncle of the dead man, being at one time pastor of a church in Germantown. These have all removed, however, and the ashes of the poet's son will probably be taken back to Boston for interment.

Another Mine Fire. Hazelton, Pa., April 17.—Fire is raging in the Crystal Ridge mine, about a mile from here. The fire department of this place has been summoned. Five

men are said to be in the mine. Killed Three Times.

Comanche, Tex., April 17.—Thos. Jones. wanted for triple murder, was arrested here and taken to Austin, where requisition papers will be secured. Jones killed a boy while robbing a house in October last. He was followed over 300 miles by two-deputy sheriffs. When they overtook him, Jones robbed and killed both officers and made his escape.

Chicage, April 17.—One of the large pieces of modern ordnance, forming part of the U.S. government exhibit at the World's Fair grounds, caused the death of two soldiers to-day by the breaking of some gearing. Privates James W. Warwick and J. Kern were accidentally crushed underthe gun while it was being hoisted into place by themselves and a squad of their comrades, The cannon weighs 14 tons. Warwick was flattened into pulp. Kern was not so badly crushed, but his injuries are fatal.