The Last **Boer Ditch**

British Officers so Regard the Desperate Attack on Viakfontein Garrison.

Designed to Frighten Refugees From Assembling in Johannesburg.

New York, June 1 .- "General Kitchener's account of the battle of Viakfontein serves to light up public interest once more in the Boer war," says the Those who are encouraged to believe Tribune's London correspondent: "Two with the flag were doomed to disap facts stand out: 1. The determined na- pointment. The decision declares that ture of the Boer assault upon an en-trenched position, fifty miles from It defends taxation without representatrenched position, fifty miles from It defends taxation where to be the top of top of the top of top of the top of Johannesburg. 2. The heavy losses suf-fored by both sides.

ment which has been fought for many months and it is decisive proof that the months, and it is decisive proof that the patriotism Boers when led by a cool and wary general like Delarcy can offer strenuous re-sistance still to British arms. The details Watson of the battle may indicate that General Dixon's force was surprised and the casualty list was run up to 174 in this way. But the Boers, in any event, were assailants, and were not repulsed without severe losses. The Boers are also report- Places No Value on the Result ed to have fought with exceptional gallantry while in pursuit of General Plumer's convoy.

"A British officer, who is on furlough in London after fighting from Colenso Shamrock II. Built With an Eye to Lydenburg, has been predicting that the closing skirmishing of the campaign would occur on the line of the Durban-Johannesburg railway in the vicinity of Heidelberg and Standerton. Both of the last Boar ditch

"The natural explanation of the fightplace of residence."

Botha Wants Peace.

lished a sensational story to the that Gen. Boths has arrived at S tou and is communicating by telegraph with Kruger through the Netherlands rovernment to save one place. Lord Kitchener is said to have siven Botha permission to pursue this course. The Sun further hears that 10,000 Seouls have gone on the warpath owing to Boer raide in Seoul land. An Alarming Rumor.

London, June 1.-The reticence of the government regarding the battle of Viak fontein and other military events of some importance which have recently oc surred at widely separated points in South Africa, has led to considerable anxiety. This is revived by the answer of the war office to-day to a question re garding the authenticity or otherwise of the recent report that the British were severely defeated near Pretoria on May 2nd, losing 36 killd, 80 wounded, 600 ed some misgivings.

THE KAISER HAPPY.

Bestows Special Attention on Queen Wilhelmina but Ignores Her

Husband.

Berlin, June 1.-The visit of Queen Withelmina and her husband, Prince Henry of the Netherlands, and the military and court festivities, were favore with exceptionally fine weather, and brought thousands of foreign guests to Berlin. Simultaneously with the pres-Berlin. ence of the French officers, many dis-tinguished strangers lent additional interest to the different functions. Emperor William this week was in continuous good humor, smining and the turning the people's hurrahs. For a time the provisions adopted for His Majesty is "inordinately fond of danc-ing," and that for many a year his declared he danced the Highcontinuous good humor, smiling and re-turning the people's hurrahs. For a some of his subjects to know that His that Queen Wilhelmina vesterday was greeted by the Berliners with special greeted by the Berliners with special fervor. She was ceaselessly bowing and smiling. It was also acted that a provide the second secon smiling. It was also noted that very years has patronized the sport of pigeon band, who looked gloomy. The Emperor seldom addressed him, but frequently spoke to the Queen. spoke to the Queen. bit considerable extent to the many compli-Wheat, 183,750,000 marks; rye, 103,000,

The Polish anti-German agitation, especially in Posen and West Prussia. is becoming steadily more outspoken, government is proceeding severely. All Polish political meetings have been forbidden. The latest action in this respect is the case of Prince Ferdinand Radzville, leader of the Polish reich stag, and a brother of Emperor William's adjutant-general, who has sum-moned a gigantic Polish protest meeting for June 9th at Antonio, where the e's manorial castle is situated. The international firemen's congress will be held here from June 5th to June 10th. The honorary presidents will be General Podbielski. minister of agriculbaron von Pheinhaven, minister of finance: and Baron von Hammerstein, minister of the interior.

A GOOD COUGH MEDICINE.

It speaks well for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy when druggists use it in their own families in preference to any other. "I have rast five years with complete satisfaction to myself and customers," says Druggists J. Goldsmith, Van Etten, N. Y. "I have al-ordinary coughs and colds and for the cough following la grippe, and find it very effica-cious." For sale by Henderson Bros., Wholesale Agents. The interest. Then the visitors where they were received by the King in the orangery. It relieves in 30 minutes, it cures. It is a beacon-light to lead you back to health. W. H. Musselman, of G. A. R., Weissport, Pa., stys: "Two bottles of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart entirely cured me of publication and gueen. Refreshments were served in the orangery. It relieves in 30 minutes, it cures. It is a beacon-light to lead you back to health. W. H. Musselman, of G. A. R., Weissport, Pa., stys: "Two bottles of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart entirely cured me of publication and smothering spells. Its value cannot be in the orangery. Bottles of by Dean & Hiscocks and Hall & Co.-139.

ANOTHER EMPEROR WILLIAM. American McKinley Now a Rival for the Title the German Ruler Lincoln, Neb., June 1 .- Taking for

his text the words, "Emperor McKinley," W. J. Bryan to-night gave out an extended statement bearing on the Supreme court decision in the insular cases. Mr. Bryan declares the Supreme court has joined with the present con gress in an effort to change our form of government, and he calls on the people to repudiate the verdict. Mr. Bryan Chambers of Commerce to Hold says in part: "By a vote of 5 to 4, the Supreme court has declared President McKinley emperor of Porto Rico, and according to the press dispatches the mperor has gladly and gratefully ac cepted the title conferred on him by the highest judicial tribunal of the land. "This has been the first real engage. | the republic and does so on the ground

Worried

of the Recent Solent Races.

to American Sailing Conditions.

New York, June 1.-According to a these affairs were within the theatre of dispatch to the World from Glasgow, war defined by this officer months ago as Designer Watson is greatly worried by criticisms passed on his workmanship on the challenger. He told Sir Thomas irg is that one mine after another is Lipton he did not place any value on the cpening in the Rand, and the refugees result of the recent trial races on the to give preference to British firms who are returning to Johannesburg in small Solent. He built the Challenger with groups, and the Boers have been making desperate efforts to frighten them and to prevent resumption of industry in the cold better and the second sec challenger ever sent across. Capt. Sycagold belt. Viakfontein was probably more expressed entire agreement with designed to be a loud warning to the refugees that the war was not ended, and had their way the challenger would world. that Johannesburg was still an unsafe have been brought straight across the Atlantic when she was launched to be tuned up there, but Sir Thomas Lipton Rev. John Watson, D. D., who last year London, June 1 .- The Sun to-day pub- did not want this because his only chance of having the King as his guest was t have the Solent trials

WELFARE OF EMPLOYEES

The It Will Form the Subject of a Nationa Conference of Corporations.

> Jolliet, Ills., June 1 .- S. M. Savage, who has called a national conference of

firms and corporations to discuss the welfare of employees, has issued the following statement: "There are a number of firms and corporations that have institutions and activities, through which they are struggling to improve the economic, moral and social conditions of their employees, and there are a good many people interested in the work. The been called to meet at Buffalo on June Chicago, decided to vote "no indictio," what can and towards the end in view, viz., the better

ment of the wage earners. "I assume that the conference will no day. take up the question of wages, nor do I think ... should discuss the labor unions. I also think that should we attempt to interfere with either question, our us fulness would be impaired."

NEW LIFE OF THE KING.

Some Personal Anecdotes and Tales His Majesty.

London, June 1 .- A new life of the King by one of "His Majesty's ser-vants" has been published. Much of its contents is new, and it is full of personal for the month of \$10,268,762. land fling better than anyone else in the attention was paid to her husof collecting arms of all kinds. The sian Board of Trade and Agriculture, in mentary naval and military appoint ments he holds. About the fit of his pri vate clothes he is most particular, and he gives employment to three tailors. The King has a great dislike for eccen tricity in startling neckties and fancy waiscoats, and above all a profusion of jewellery is strictly tabooed by him.

THEY VISITED THE KING. Business Men of New York See Sights

at Windsor.

Windsor, June 1 .- The visiting mer bers of the New York Chamber of Commerce were favored with delightful weather this afternoon for the visit to King Edward and the Royal demesne. On their arrival at Windsor they wer met by carriages and taken direct to Frogmore, where Lord Edward Pelham Clinton, master of the househol charge of the party and showed them the

THEY LOSE THEIR HOMES. Legal Decision Dispossesses Settlers in State of Minnesota.

Competition

The Usual Daily Instalment Re-

lating to Alleged Decadence

of Great Britain

High Carnival-The In-

dustrial Situation.

London, June 1.-Rarely, if ever, has

London been so full of prominent Am-

ericans. Many of them have been at-

erce's love feast. Of these a goodly

percentage, some of them being them

elves members of the New York Cham-

ber of Commerce, have asked for invita-

tions to the dinner of June 5th, but un-

successfully, for the banquetting hall will.

hold only a limited number. Such well

Senator

brutal

known figures in public life as Levy P.

Clark, Cornelius Bliss and J. P. Morgan,

and a host of others are frequently seen

in the streets and hotels. Of leading Am-

erican business men whose names are

not so well known to the public there

are a legion intent on securing Brit-

ready established on this side of the

water. Senator Clark is combining busi-

ness with pleasure, purchasing bric-a-brac and looking out for his copper in-

Censures Trades Unions.

Commeting on Lord Geo. Hamilton's

statement of yesterday, replying to the

attack of Sir Alfred Hickman, ex-presi-

dent of the British Iron Trade Associa-

tion in the House of Commons, May 23rd, on American locomotives and

bridges, the newspapers are unsparing

ish manufacturers towards their cus-

frankness in commenting on the Micaw-ber methods of British employees and the

selfish idleness of British workmen, cen-

suring the methods of trade unions as

The paper says it almost wished Lord

Hamilton had not given an undertaking

are responsible, as "it would be well for

The Globe does not hesitate to predict

that unless the methods of trades union-

ism as practiced in this country are

modified. Americans within the next few

years will beat the British out of the

Ian Maclaren's Views.

was moderator of the English Presby-

erian Syood, was asked by a represe

tative for the Associated Press for his

sembly's decision to revise the confes-vision. He writes: "Many on this side of

Presbyterian brethern in the United

States propose to revise the confession

It is an intellectual wonder, but would

be improved by a reduction in size and

TELEGRAPHIC TICKS.

Henry Keay and Thomas Carry, found

ruilty of manslaughter for having caused

the death of Edward O'Connor on March

11th, have been sentenced to five years'

The grand jury on Saturday, after a

The rioting at Coruna, Spain, last

been made. The rioters used their re-

The Lisgar election trial against R. L.

D. B. Robinson, former vice-president

bune, has been fixed for June 19th.

imprisonment in the penitentiary.

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of the American General As-

London, June 1.-Ian Maclaren, the

the future that our industrial clerks learn

the bitter lesson of experience."

horoughly and unscrupously dishonest.

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omers The St. James Gazette criti-

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Morton, ex-Senator Wolcom,

rests.

tracted here by the Chamber of Com

St. Paul. Minn., June 3.-Justice Lewis of the Supreme court has filed a decision which will result in several Sterns county settlers losing their homes, the title to which was contested by Russell Sage as assignee in trust of the Hastings & Dakota Railway Company. Under the act of congress of June 4th, 1866, the Hastings & Dakota Railway Company completed its road within the time as extended by the Minnesota legislature. When the road was completed there was found to be a deficit in the primary grants limits of about 800,000 acres. Only 70,000 acres were available n the indemnity limits to make up the oss, and in consequence all the lands in the indemnity limits were selected. After the completion of the road and land selection, the roads franchise was forfeited by a judgment, and later its pro-perty was transferred to Russell Sage for the benefit of the stockholders. Judge Lewis holds that the settlers who tered upon the lands after they had been withdrawn from settlement are not in a position to attack Sage's title to lands arned by the completion of the road and secured to him by a transfer which the

while a few hundred acres were directly involved in this case, the decision involves the validity of the entire grant. HOBNOBBING WITH ROYALTY.

New York Business Men Received by the King

and Queen at Windsor-Affability of His Majesty Quite Upsets the Delegates.

Windsor, Eng., June 1.-Twent-two delegates of the New York Chamber of Commerce were guests of King Ed-ward at Windsor to-day. The visit was arranged by the London Chamber of Commerce, the president of which, Lord Brassey, accompanied the in their criticism of the attitude of Brit- visitors. The visitors were greatly impressed and pleased by their audience of the King, who was just as interested at meeting them as they were at meeting

One of the high officials of the household humorously confessed that an in-spection of the list of visitors made them remble, lest Mr. Morgan or one of the other millionaires should take a fancy to Windsor and buy it. The Associated Press was officially informed by Lord-Pelham-Clinton, the master of the household, that the King regarded the presence in England of such a representa-tive body of United States business men as highly significant of the close and friendly relations existing between the two countries, and in furtherance of that feeling he was delighted to welcome them to his castle, and make their ac-

After an inspection of the grounds, the delegates, were received by the King. They were surprised to find the Queen was also present, for her appearance was quite unexpected. With the King and Queen were the Princess Victoria and the children of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York. Each delegate was formally presented to both the King and the Queen, shaking their hands. This ceremony over, the King and Queen then commenced to chat in the most friendly way with the little group. The King . remembered meeting previously William Butler Duncan and James W Pinchot, much to their own astonishment. This little reminiscence over, the royal party indulged in small talk re-garding the weather, the King pointing out the beauties of Windsor's chestnut rees and referring to the need the coun try had for rain and so forth.

His Majesty regretted the state apart ments were so upset as to be invisible but he apparently avoided business and many people interested in the work. The borough investigation of facts surround-object of the conference, which has ing the death of Mrs. H. W. Judd, at from America.

The German ironclad Livison sailed stood up, took off his hat, and bowed The German Fonciad Lavison sailed his farewell. The delegates then return-ed to London. President Mossis K Jessun said. "We

were most warmly welcomed and spent week, had a more serious result than a most pleasant afternoon. One of the was at first supposed. Two men and one woman were killed, and the hospitals are build it being and the hospitals are filled with injured. Many arrests have she and the King were extremely affable. I regard the occasion one that will reatly strengthen the relations between the two countries." Richardson, editor of the Winnipeg Tri- All the delegates said practically the

same thing. The monthly statement of the public George G. Ward said: "When we department Saturday, shows that the it was her. She looked young and close of business, May 31st, 1901, the charming. Both the King and Queen jebt, less cash in the treasury, amount- appeared to be in splendid health. and ed to \$1,062,476,494, which is a decrease they certainly were in the best of spirits.

NOVEL CONDITION.

Chili Declared to Be at Peace With Other Republics.

Santiago de Chili, June 1, via Galves ton, Texas .- President Zanartu, of Chili with the assistance of the diplomatic corps to-day opened the Chilian congress. makers have struck in sympathy with The message of the executive authorities Victoria and Seattle men, with the characterizes the financial condition as exception of one man, who is still kept good and says the conversion bill will be employed. This strike came at a bad carried out. Chili is declared to be at time for Morans, as every hand is needpeace with northern republics and the ed in the present critical position of the general conditions of the country are de-clared good. Owing to his serious ill-ing to Seattle by the first steamer. Moran ness, President Errazuriz will not be says he will carry on the work in spite able to again take charge of the senate. of all difficulties, and has ordered heavier It was because of the President's illness apparatus and more help from Seattle. that congress was opened by Vice-Presi-The Williamette is now partially broad-

ANOTHER ROYAL INFANT. Italy Rejoicing Over Birth of a Princess-Nurse in Luck.

Rome, June 1.-Queen Helena was ac-ouched of a daughter at 9 o'clock this

morning. Both mother and infant are is here in consultation with the city The Princess will be named Yolanda tion will be issued unless the city coun-Margherita. Amidst general congratulations there is considerable disappoint-ment at the infant's sex, though the against the issuers of the writ.

with arms extended.

The Labor

men's Organizations. Chicago, June 1 .- President Mellen and saloon. Two of Morgan's companions Business Agent Roderick, of district No. took him to camp for treatment. The 6, International Association of Machin-ists, will leave to-night for Toronto to confer with President Cornell of the in- camp, and soon there were a dozen or ternational organization relating to the more men running to Mrs. Powers's strike of machinists now in progress in saloon. They demanded reparation for Chicago. It is believed that sympathetic the drugging of their comrade, but any Centre Star mines, has been appe action on the part of allied trades will knowledge of the affair was denied. Two action on the part of alled trades will be urged. There were no additions to sided in with the woman and ordered the ranks of the strikers to-day. About the soldiers out. They went back for re-1.600 men are out.

over 1,800. At Buffalo.

strike this morning. Between 360 and him. are machinists' helpers.

An Ultimatum. Washington, June 1.-The first general order issued to the striking machinists on [the Southern railroad was promulgated to-day by Vice-President and General Manager Gannon. It is an ultimatum and announces that if the strikers fail to report for duty at their respective shops at the regular hour on Monday morning next it will consider that they have quit.

Paper Men Out. Holyoke, Mass., June 1 .- Two thous and employees of the paper mills in this city went out on strike at 3 o'clock this afternoon as ordered by Eagle Lodge of Papermakers and the Stationary Fire

men's Union. Canadian Troubles. Sydney, C. B., June 1 .- Two hundred and fifty members of labor unions, including masons, bricklayers, stonecutters, plasterers and painters are on strike, de manding a nine-hour day system. All contract work is stopped and the Doinion Iron & Steel company is seriously affected: but when the men quit work the officials of that company informed the strikers their services would be no longer required, and state that they will be able to replace all strikers with nonunion men. The workmen, however, are thoroughly organized and determined to

Combine Fever. fight the matter out. Chicago, June 1 .- The Record Herald Halifax, June 1 .-- One hundred carpenters went on strike this morning for 25 cents per hour. Three employers 25 cents per hour. Three employers bank. The deal is being engineered by granted an increase at once. Many strik-Oakley Thorne, president of the Nor-thern American Trust Company, of New ers are working on imperial contracts. Ottawa, June 1.-The sheet metal York, whose representative, W. S. Coursey, has spent a week in Chicago workers of Ottawa went on strike to-day for an increase of 15 per cent, in wages. The stock of the bank will be issued only Union Banned. o banks, one share each to one hundred Pittsburg, Pa., June 1.-Discussion of will be necessary for a bank to be a mmittee's reports took up nearly the shareholder in the new institution in orentire morning session of the Reformed Presbyterian Synod of America. The quarters will be in New York. The head solutions in regard to labor unions

were subjected to some argument, especially this one: "We look upon membership in many of these unions, as at present organized and controlled, as 5 inches, and Columbia 5 feet 9 inches

2nd, losing 36 kild, 80 wounded, 600 prisoners, and six guns. The reply which the war office vouchsafed: "We have no official information," has arous-de some missivings as life remains any rites and regulations. the issue of which they are necessarily ignorant." Rev. J. W. Cardle, J. C. McFeely and T. P. Stephenson opposed the resolutions, ning they favored the capitalists, and

that the working classes were forced to inches at 10 a.m., one foot above yesterorganize for protection. A second vote to recommend the resolutions was then carried by a vote of 71 to 54. The committee after a few minutes' consideration changed the resolution to read as follows: "That we reathirm out testimony against all secret oaths, and that we regard membership in most of the labor ized and controlled as dangerous, and re mind our members that the law of Christ forbids joining any labor union which has either an immoral obligation or a promise to keep inviolate as long as life remains any rights or regulations the issue of

debt issued by the United States treasury met the Queen we could scarcely believe and trades unions as at present organ-

which they are necessarily ignorant." IN TWO PIECES.

Strike of Boilermakers,

Nanaimo, June 1 .- Moran Bros', boilerside onto the water, and in two pieces, wide enough for a man to walk between

of the Atchison, Topeka & Sante Fe company, died at his home in Chicago Saturday after a protracted illness. Prussia's losses on account of cron ortage are estimated by the president appoint- 000 marks.

Brussels, May 31.-An extraordinary scene occurred in Antwerp yesterday when mutinous civic guardsmen paraded the streets singing the "Marseilles," while the police had to be called in to protest the officers from the revolting dent Zanartu.

oops. There has been friction for some me. While drilling yesterday a guardsman in the ranks lit a pipe, and when reprimanded for doing so insulted the officer who administered the reprimand. The guardsman was arrested, whereupon his comrades broke ranks, hooted at their officers and proceeded to dem property on the parade ground with the utt ends of their rifles

they paraded the streets singing. COULDN'T ESTIMATE ITS VALUE!-

Wheat, 183,750,000 marks; rye, 103,000,-MUTINY AT ANTWERP. Civic Guardsmen Parade the Streets Singing the Marseilles

Difficulties

Disagreements Continue Between the Labor Unions and the Capitalists.

Reformed Presbyterian Synod Takes a Stand Against Work-

Willamette Reported in Bad Shape-

E. Pimbury and T. Jones, directors of the Waterworks Co., have issued as ratepayers a writ restraining the city council from selling the waterworks purchase debentures at eighty. Hon. Fred Peters ouncil. It is reported that an injunccil change action. On the other hand

DRUNKEN SOLDIERS. They Raise Plenty of Trouble at the Presidio in San Francisco.

(Associated Press.) San Francisco, Cal., June 1.-Soldiers to the number of five or six hundred in- late session of the Reformed Pres dulged in a riot last night, and wrecked ian assembly was the report of the co one of the many drinking places just out-side the Presidio reservation. There are cussed with interest and adop many conflicting stories as to the origin five of the report, concerning the of the trouble. The soldiers of the 46th ance at the Pan-American at B Volunteer Infantry went out of the ser-vice yesterday, and the men were given great sin of keeping open the exp their discharges and Lay. Most of the men had several hundred dollars coming to them, and they did considerable drink-to them, and they did considerable drinking in the Presidio resort. A man by the tian conscience of this land, and w name of Morgan of the 46th was found our people to stay away fro unconscious in front of Mrs. Powers's tendance of

The news spread rapidly about the inforcements, and spread the report that the hand labor that has been the Before noon 200 machinists employed at the South Chicago shipyards went out the saloon. A number of members of the 45th and 46th regiments then rushed pell ball enthusiasts, because of his efforts to and with others who quit in small shops to mell through the Presidio gates to the saloon and entirely wrecked the place. The saloon caught fire from the overturned lamps. One of the bartenders Buffalo, June 1.-Four hundred and was severely cut. There were threats French-Canadian Jumps From Victoria fifty men employed in the New York of lynching when a squadron of cavalry Central carshops at Depla went out on and provost guards arrived and rescued The efforts of the cavalry and 370 of them are machinists, and the rest guard to disperse the crowd were futile until the fire department turned the hose on them. This and the entire guard of the police helped to restore order. A careful investigation of the report

drugs proved to be false. Morgan of with Louis Cyr and Ronaldo, Canadian and the 46th was the only man who, it is American strong mer thought, might be the victim of drugs An investigation of the riot will be made to-day by the police and military officials.

RESTORING CRANBORNE.

King Edward Will Renovate the Old Lodge for Royal Residence.

London, June 1.-The King has now urned his renovating energy in a new rection. Cranborne Lodge, a forgotten ernment to visit the United States and royal residence, which lies in a beautifully wooded glade between Virginia methods with a view of adopting wh Water and Ascot, is to be made a fit hab- ever may be good in them for the Ce itation. The lodge is a quaint house built lestial kingdom. in the reign of Charles II., and has some interesting rooms of that period. It was ccupied for some years by Princess Charlotte of Wales, after her marriage to Prince , Leopold of Saxe-Cobourg. Since then the house has not been of pied.

A BANKERS' TRUST.

The Money Men Infected With th

THE FRASER

Golden, June 1 .- Kicking horse, 6 feet Arrowhead, June 1 -- Water in upper

Arrow lake is at a standstill for the last Sicamous, June 1.-Water in the lake vices from the Marseilles police, is 6 feet 8 inches below 1894: rose 4 in-Water in ches in the last 24 hours. Eagle river 7 feet 2 inches below 1894: rose 4 inches in the last 24 hours.

Yale, B. C., June 1.-River 39 feet 6 day. Quesnelle, June 1.-River fell ten in

ches; weather cool and cloudy.

GIRLS While they are accumulating knowledge

on the profound sciences, are often so ignorant of their own natures that they ow local disease to fasten on them the ruin of the general health. Backache, headache, nervousness, point to a disordered or diseased local condition which should have prompt attention. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription may

be relied upon as a perfect regulator. It stops enfeebling drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It makes weak women strong and sick women well

There is no alcohol in "Favorite Pre scription" and it is entirely free from ium, cocaine and all other narcotics. "Your letter just received," writes Miss Rose Kilfether, of 43 West Sharpaack St., German-town, Philadelphia, Penna. "Words fail to express how thankful I am to you for your advice. I must confess that for the length of time I have been using your medicine I have found it to be the most wonderful and best remedy for female trouble that I ever have tried. Sorry I did not know of your 'Favorite Prescription' years ago." Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is sent *free* on receipt of 31 One-

Adviser is sent free on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay expense of customs and mailing only. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

BOYCOTTING PAN-AMERICAN Reformed Presbyterians Advise The 5 People to Stay Away from Exposition

Pittsburg, June 1.-A feature of the which ws: "As a synod tendance of this exposition on an

PAYNE MINE IMPROVEMENTS Fred Garde, of the War Eagle, Becomes

Its New Manager.

Rossland, May 30.-Fred C. Garde chief engineer of the War Eagle and manager of the Payne mine at Sar He will assume the duties of his new office next week. The Payne con will build a concentrator and in compressor plant, thus doing away with promote the diamond game.

A PERILOUS LEAP

Jubilee Bridge to River.

Montreal, May 31 .- Arthur Dionne young French-Canadian, jumped from th highest pier of the Victoria Jubilee brid here yesterday afternoon, a distance of 9 feet, to the river below, where there wa only 12 feet of water. He was unir He intends now to jump from the Brooklyn that some of the soldiers had died from bridge, and will tour the United Stat

CHINESE COMMISSIONER.

Studying Occidental Methods With View to Adopting the Best.

San Francisco, Cal., June 1.-Among the passengers landed from the City of Pekin yesterday was Loo Chin An, 4 Chinese dignitary who is a taotai, sioner of commerce. examine into its comercial history and

EXPLORERS KILLED.

French Travellers in Peru Assassinated by Italian.

New York, May 31 .- A dispatch from Lima, Peru, to the Herald, says that a telegram from Cuzo received there a nounces that the French explorers. M Reveaux and Lemonier, have been a sassinated by an Italian named Gianan of the Valley of Convencion. Gianan was afterwards killed by savage In No particulars of the tragedy have been received.

BUILDING COLLAPSED

Children Injured by Fall of Tenement in New York.

New York, May 31 .- A large portion of the sidewalks and nearly all of the rea wall of a four story tenement at 609 Third avenue collapsed early this morn There were eighte ing. asleep in the house when the walls fell. All of them escaped unhurt except two children, who were badly bruised. Firemen were called to the accident.

ANARCHISTS ARRESTED. Suspected of Designs on the Lives of Spanish Ministers

Madrid, June 1.-As a resu anarchists have been arrest a Spaniard and the other an Italian. is rumored that they had prothe Spanish ministers. The Italian, wh confessed that he was an anarchist, sa

he was going to America. GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER.

Two Nova Scotians Pay the Penalty fo Drunken Quarrel.

Guysboro, N. S., May 31.-Henry Keay and Thos. Carey, two young men, w yesterday found guilty of mai with a recommendation to m having caused the death of Edwar nor, a companion. 25 years old, of O'Co March 11th, as a result, it is suppose of a drunken quarrel

OFFICER DISGRACED.

Received Money to Influence His Officia Actions.

Mobile, May 31 .- A sealed verdict in the bribery case against former cantal and quartermaster Cyril W. King, U. A., returned Thursday night, was ed in the United States Circuit co day. It finds him guilty as charged of ng money with intent to influence his official actions.

BONNAL DECORATED.

Emperor William Gives Him Further Proof of His Favor.

Berlin, May 31 .- Emperor William h orated General Bonnal, direc the French War school, with the order of the first class and has bestow on Col. Gallet the crown order of the ond class.

ANOTHER TRUST.

It Acquires Chemical and Spirit Com pany in Indiana.

Evansville, Ind., May 31.-A tele as received here last night the American Chemical and Spi this city had gone into the ha New York trust. The plant closed and four hundred me thrown out of work. The fa only one of its kind in the West.

THE KING KILLER ABROAD.

Barcelona, June 1.-It is said that the captain-general has been warned of a foreign anarchist plot to kill the King and Queen Regent.

Methuen At Zeeri

Garrison Relieved After Si Several Months, and Fo Supply Short.

Energetic Boer Chief Capt Public Uneasiness Becar of Scanty News.

London, June 3.-The war office ing no effort to allay the public ess occasioned by the scantine news from Africa. Nothing has through to illuminate the Vla affair, the only dispatch on the since the first official announcem three line message from 1 sued this morning giving the three additional officers killed. Details received of the

Zeerust, Transvaal, May 22nd, Methuen, show the town was practically for several months, ts food supply was short. A dispatch from Pretoria

that the constabulary have Abram Malan, son-in-law of Gen. Joubert. Malan was an progressive, politician before and since it began he has active against the British, and eral important commands, inclu of Pietersburg, until the British

the place. Anxious for News. New York, June 3 .- A spec Tribune from London says: certainty with regard to recent in South Africa is causing a go uneasiness in this country. lieved that owing to a recen from Gen. Kitchener as to gi to the public the home officials pressed all the news he has for "Meanwhile the daily list of are studied, but these lists do denote the actual number of British soldiers caused by the the present moment all the mil pitals in the United Kingdom : ed with patients, a large numb are suffering from enteric tracted in South Africa."

ALEX. HENDERSON A

Ex-Attorney-General Gets Appointment-New Inspe Penitentiaries.

Ottawa, June 3.-At a meet cabinet to-day an order-in-coupassed appointing G. W. Da

M. P., and recently Liberal for the province of Ontario. spector of penitentiaries at \$2.400. There are now two Douglas Stewart is the other George Taylor, barrister, Bo also been appointed magistrat Horse in Yukon.

There are 250 machine woo 200 carpenters and 50 tins strike here for higher wage shorter hours. There is a prothe stonemasons, bricklavers rers following suit, as they ably refuse to handle materi who take the place of those At to-day's cabinet meetin Henderson, ex-Attorney-Gene tish Columbia, was appointed Vancouver. This is one of ships for which an appropr taken last session

A TARTE TELEGRA

Vancouver City Council R Canners and Fishermen

ference.

Vancouver, June 3 .- In reresolution of the city coun against the alleged faulty of the drill hall, the follo as received this morning McGuigan from Hon. J. I "Vancouver city council] lo with Dominion public b I shall certainly not allow nterference with works un trol. I am giving orders t Salmon canners and fisher session in Vancouver to-day.

THE FRASER.

So:la Creek, B. C., May 31 rose 11/2 inches last night. is cool

Yale, June 2.-River at 1 30 feet 2 inches above lo has fallen 4 inches since th terday. Quesnelle, B. C., June 2.-

iches last night. Weath clear da Creek, June 3.-Rive

4 feet since Friday morn Yale, B. C., June 3 .- Riv nches above low water.

20 inches since yesterday. Quesnelle, B. C., June 3. foot last night. Soda Creek, June 3 .- Riv a foot last night; weather c MORGAN'S GIF

New York, June 3.-J. H presented the museum decoration of Cooper Un Body collection of Barcelo

collection of Madrid, and lection of Paris. These clude examples of textile designs from the middle ag sent, and are said to be most valuable collections in A SPRAINED ANKLE QUIC

At one time I suffered sprain of the ankle," says editor of the Guide, Washingt esing several well recomm without success, I tried Chan Balm, and am pleased to came as soon as I began its r lete cure speedily follow lenderson Bros., Wholesale