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shops complained that shots out on-
to the water would ricochet across
and sing around their heads. Joseph
Blatwell, the nightwatch at the shops
was complained to and tried to dis-
cover the marksmen for several nights
without success. Last night, how-
ever, he was more fortunate, and
found the two Chinamen, each armed
with a small calibre rifle. They were
taking huge delight in practicing
shooting at logs in the water, and
claimed that they did not know it was
forbidden.

THEIR SAVIOUR THE POLICEMAN

Watchful Officer Succeeds in Averting
Loss of Life at East Side Fire in
House of the Good Shepherd

New York, Aug. 7.—Two hundred
and fifty inmates of the House of the
Good Shepherd, in East 90th street,
near the East River, fled from the
main building to the courtyard early
today while a fire burned out nearly
all the rooms on the second floor. The
passing policeman who discovered the
blaze, as it was burning from the
windows of the burning room on the
second floor, experienced great diffi-
culty in arousing the occupants, most
of whom were girls whose chambers
were on the third floor. The blaze
was soon extinguished with a loss of
a few thousand dollars. There was no
loss of life.

News of the World Condensed For the Busy Reader

Rushing the New Cruiser Squadron

NAVY YARD, Puget Sound, Aug. 7.—
In order to complete work on the
four new cruisers of the Pacific fleet by
the 15th of this month, 1,750 workmen
are working overtime, nights and
Sundays.

Apples Abundant

SUFFALO, Aug. 7.—The apple crop
in the United States slightly in excess
of that of a year ago and 50 per cent.
larger in Canada is the estimate made
by Secretary Rothwell before the Inter-
national Apple Shippers' association.

Mother of Five Drowns

KINGSTON, Ont., Aug. 7.—A drown-
ing accident occurred yesterday after-
noon at Navy Bay, near the Royal
Military College, when Mrs. Chas.
Burgess, a farmer, who then station
killed himself. It is believed that
Burgess had been mentally unbalanced
for some time. He had threatened
to kill other persons.

To Be Charged With Murder

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 7.—Local
physicians have decided that Mrs.
Kate Collins, who shot her husband
in the chest in view of the report
the district attorney's office today pro-
ceeded with her arraignment on a
charge of murder.

Indianapolis, Mayorality

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 7.—The Re-
publicans have nominated S. L. Sha-
ckleton, mayor of the city, and the
democrats being Charles A. Gauze.
The result of the trial of the new dis-
trict primary regarded as en-
tirely satisfactory.

Russia Rebuilding Navy.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 7.—Rus-
sia's naval programme for the next
few years, according to plans just
completed by the committee on the
construction of eight bat-
tle-ships, a division of armored cruis-
ers, and thirty-six torpedo boats.

The Fireman's Life

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Twenty-two
firemen who dragged out unconscious
and three others received serious in-
juries in the course of a forty-minute
blaze, which destroyed the building
and did \$20,000 other damage in a
shop on Fourth avenue tonight.

Company Resists.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 7.—The officers
of the Pressed Steel Car Co. will ignore
the demands of their 3,000 workmen
for a strike, and the company for several
weeks. The company has until noon
on Monday to answer the petition of
the strikers presented yesterday.

Alabama Goes Dry.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Aug. 7.—The
dry law, which prohibits the sale of
liquor, was passed by the senate yesterday
by 28 to 21, and now awaits the
signature of the governor to become law.
The bill forbids the sale of drinks con-
taining more than 1-2 per cent. of
alcohol.

Governor Reyes to Retire.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 7.—It is re-
ported tonight on apparently the best
authority, that General Bernardo
Reyes will resign his office as governor
of Nuevo Leon, and will be suc-
ceeded by General Jose Maria Meyer,
assistant secretary of the interior,
and to Monterey recently by President
Diaz.

Anonymous Enemy

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 7.—Ef-
forts to discover the author of letters
threatening the lives and property of
three prominent citizens, former
Mayor Wm. H. Workman, Warren
Wilson, a wealthy publisher, and E.
W. Barrett, a mining man, have so far
been unsuccessful. The letters were
all in the same hand-writing.

Japanese Ultimatum Presented

TOKYO, Aug. 7.—Japan handed
in her ultimatum to the Chinese govern-
ment yesterday, regarding her pos-
ition on the Antung-Mukden Railway.
The ultimatum intimated strongly
that Japan felt herself free to act
in the matter provided the two govern-
ments could not agree to co-operate
in re-building the line.

Grand Larceny Charged

UTICA, N. Y., Aug. 7.—Bernard L.
French, supervisor representing the
town of Whitestown, and a well-to-do
undertaker, was arrested on a charge
of grand larceny, following an investi-
gation of his accounts. The arrest
was based upon depositions of mem-
bers of the town board, in which they
charged that French appropriated
more than \$4,000 of the funds of the
town.

A Millionaire Prisoner

SAN RAFAEL, Cal., Aug. 7.—Will-
iam Bradbury, the millionaire now
serving his year's term in jail here,
has been removed to the main prison.
Although he has been permitted to
have his cell arranged much as an of-
fice, Bradbury has been refused a tele-
phone or a bell to summon the guard,
and Sheriff Taylor declares that
he will be given the usual pris-
oner's treatment.

Minority's Protest

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Armour and
Co., Swift and Co., and Morris and
Co. of Chicago, packers, are doing
today as defendants in a complaint
filed under the provisions of the Sher-
man anti-trust act, by the minority
shareholders of the New York Butch-
ers' Dressing Meat company, who seek
to recover \$1,500,000 damages. The
complaint is the latest move in a
long fight originally brought two years ago, and
is essentially a protest against the
majority management of the com-
pany's affairs, which it is claimed, has
been dictated by the packers ever
since 1907, when they bought a con-
trolling interest and elected their own
directors.

Snow Duly Charged For

SEATTLE, Aug. 7.—After a con-
troversy covering several years over
the question of weights on forest pro-
ducts shipped from the coast to the
interior, the traffic depart-
ment, the basis of computing freight
charges. Lumbermen argue that
Coast weights should be final, as in
certain seasons of the year the cargo
take on weight in transit due to snow,
sleet and rain which they should
not be asked to pay freight charges.

Foreign Crop Failure Benefits

PORTLAND, Aug. 7.—The failure
of the Kentucky hop country, the
usually unfavorable season for hop
growers in the Old Country is looked
upon by Oregon growers as assuring
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His Hernia Offense

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COMES TO AMERICA IN QUEST OF GOLD

Lieut. Shackleton Will Lecture This Season to Meet \$70- 000 Liability Occasioned by His Polar Expedition

London, Aug. 7.—Lieutenant Ernest
H. Shackleton, leader of the recent
South Polar expedition, has under-
taken an extensive lecture tour be-
ginning in March, 1910. The Daily Ex-
press reports that the expedition
contributed to the cost of Lieutenant
Shackleton's expedition, though he
was saddled with a big deficit, and
thinks the expedition public will not
permit or countenance such conduct. The
report is current here that the Ameri-
can managers of the expedition, who
the explorer is undertaking his forth-
coming lecture tour have guaranteed
him a record fee.

This Time Gold is Goal

New York, N. Y., Aug. 7.—Lieuten-
ant H. E. Shackleton of the British
army, recently became famous for his
penetration of the Antarctic region
and his discovery of a new world
of discovery before him, he thinks.
The explorer now seeks a way to pay
a native of Scotland, which he is said
to have incurred in undertaking his re-
cent expedition to the South Pole.
His voyage in quest of growing crops
and excellent features, from photographs
taken by the explorer, are scattered
through the report.

Many Prominent Personages

of the United States and the neigh-
boring Dominion.
When Shackleton planned his expedi-
tion to the South Pole, he had at his