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THE RIGHTS OF ASYLUM.

Controversy on the Question Between Salvador and the United States.

Commander of the Bennington Influenced by Principles of Humanity.

New York, June 19.—A special from Washington, says: "It is singular that the dispute which broke out between Brazil and Portugal through the reception f political refugees on the latter's war sels should be so quickly followed by like controversy between Salvador and United States. The parallel is all the closer from the fact that not only was the asylum in each case furnished by a war vessel, but the refugees in both instances included the vanquished leader in a civil war. After all there are different ces. The Brazilian revolutionists had never been recognized as belligerents.

whereas Peixoto was at the head the only lawful government there. On the other hand, General Ezeta, to the very hour he took refuge on the Bennington, was vice-president of the govern-ment treated by the United States as the only lawful authority in Salvador, while those who overthrew the government were not dealt with or recognized at all. The precise point, which makes this difference is that while in Brazil order and law reigned at the downfall of the rebellion, all the machinery of justice was in operation, while at San Salvador all seems to have been in confusion at the overthrow of the constitutional parties and dispatches that brought news of the success of the insurrection declared that a counter revolution was certain. Commander C. M. Thomas, of the Bennington, reported an almost choatic condition of affairs in the republic. To have given up the refugees, would have been in his opinion their surrender and slaughter, without the protection of law or the formalities of a trial. He exercised that privilege of an asylum which is based simply on considerations of humanity. The establishment of a firm government, the restoring of peace and the due process of law in Salvador, seems likely to be followed by surrendering the Bennington's refugees to the new government, meanwhile the chief care of Commander Thomas probably is to see that they do not escape from the ship, for the experience of Portugal in that respect has conveyed a warning likely to be heeded."

NOBILITY ORGANIZED

To Conduct a Campaign Against Disestablishment of the Church in Wales. London, June 19 .- A meeting of the members of the nobility was held yesterday, at which the Duke of Westminster presided. A committee was formed to conduct the campaign against the government's preposal to discount to the committee was formed to conduct the campaign against the government's preposal to discount to the conduct the conduct to the conduct to the conduct the conduct to the conduct the conduct to the conduct the

test every constituency in Wates in the general election. The Duke of Westminster subscribed £200 towards the exsubscribed £100 each.

SUNDAY CLOSING.

The Mayor of Chicago Vetoes the Ordin ance and Tells Why.

Chicago, June 19 .- Mayor Hopkins last night vetoed the ordinance closing certain stores on Sunday. He holds that the ordinance was not passed in obedience to a demand of citizens for the preservation of the peace and good order of the society on Sunday by closing certain stores, but in consequence of a desire of certain employees of retail stores and barber shops to procure by municipal enactment a much needed day of rest. The desire is well justified and every legitimate means should be employed to accomplish its fulfilment, but the mayor said he could not sanction a measure which under the guise of police regula-tions radically interferes with the private affairs of citizens.

A DESPERATE BATTLE.

Between a Sheriff's Posse and Outlaws in the South.

St. Louis, June 19.-A special dispatch from Tahlequah says a desperate battle took place on Sunday evening on the road between Tahlequah and Wagoner, between Deputy Sheriff Gourd and the Cook gang of outlaws. Houston, one of the sheriff's posse, was killed, and onle of the outlaws, Rob Martin, captured. Several of the Sheriff's posse were wounded. All but one of the gang es-They were bent on robbing a stage load of persons on their way from the big Cherokee payment in Tahlequah when Deputy Gourd and a posse ran scene of the battle brings the news that the gang is surrounded and another bloody encounter is looked for.

CONFIDENCE IN SAGASTI.

Spanish Senate Uphold His Ministry by a Big Majority.

Madrid, June 19.—The statement made cial treaty negotiated between Spain and solved was made a question of confidence

BELVA VICTORIOUS.

The Pamous Champion of Women's Rights Wins Her Case.

Richmond, Va., June 16.-Mrs. Belva German Emperor Practices Daily on lockwood has won a victory in Virginia women. For the past four years a struggle has been going on in this state induce the legislature to pass a specact permitting women to practice law,

to all of her sex who can pass the ex-

A few weeks ago the court of appeal by a vote of two to two, one member being absent, decided against Mrs. Lockwood's petition. Upon the re-hearing granted on Thursday, the court, sitting at Wytheville yesterday, revoked its for-mer decision and decided in favor of Mrs. Lockwood.

FRENCH METROPOLIS.

Supplementary Credit for the World's Fair Rejected by Committee.

Paris, June 19 .- Fremit's medallion of Sculptor Barye, who died in this city June 26, 1875, was unveiled on Pontsuly

The budget committee of the chamber of deputies has rejected the supplementary credit of 28,000 francs asked for by the government in connection with the world's fair. Lord Dufferin, British ambassador

and M. Hanotaux, minister of foreign to draft the form of an identical note to the powers that have agreed to recognize Abdul Azis as sultan of Morocco.

REVOLUTION IN COREA

Two-thirds of the Population in Sympathy With the Rebels.

San Francisco, June 19.-The China have been drilled in modern style. The government troops have been routed in two encounters on May 16, losing 200 government forces. Two-thirds of the poplation of the country are in sympathy with the rebels. A number of magistrates are reported to have been burned alive.

BLACK KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

Would Have Been War Had Certain Lynching Occurred.

Omaha, Neb., June 16 .- Police Captain Mostyn said yesterday he had discovered that a race battle would have taken place had an attempt been made on Thursday to lynch the negro who confessed that he robbed 16-year-old Maude Rudel, and on her threat to report him to the police, murdered her. Payne was taken to the penitentiary at Lincoln when lynching talk began. He will be brought back for sentence next week and there may be trouble then.

Payne is a member of a colored lodge of Knights Templar here. The members were much excited last year by the tynching of a negro for assault. think Payne was forced into a confession by being placed in an air-tight box into which hot air was driven.

Captain Mostyn referred to the mem bers of this lodge when he said yesterday:
"Three hundred colored men were as-

penses of the campaign, while other lords A Man Who Was Grateful to the Kind

San Francisco, June 15.—Principal A. L. Mann of the Denman school has received a letter and parcel from Daniel McLaughlin, one of the "unemployed," who worked in the park and were fed by the school children last winter. The parcel contains a lady's satchel, which he asks Mr. Mann to give to one of the school girls who took part in feeding the men at the park. The satchel is a beautiful piece of lace work, and the making of it took all of McLaughlin's

spare time for several months. Mr. Mann has decided that the gift shall be presented to the girl in his school who writes the best story of a charitable action. The conditions of the contest will be made known to the girls when school begins next month.

(Mr. McLaughlin's letter was written

from Auburn, Cal. "May God's blessing rest on your young heads," is the last sentence of a well written epistle. CONVICT LABOR.

Compiling Statistics Relative to Competi

tion with Free Labor. Washington, D. C., June 19.-An effort to compile statistics regarding convict la-

bor in the United States has been instituted as a preliminary to drawing a bill to prevent competition between prison made goods and products of free labor. No accurate information on the subject so far as the United States is concerned is to be found later than a report of a commissioner of labor made in 1886. Some of the points to be inquired into are the number of convicts employed, them down. A courier just in from the the class of work which they are engaged in, the channels through which their goods are placed on the market and the interesting line of inquiry set on foot largely caused by the introduction of laof shorter hours will give employment to more hands and at the same time increase the consumption in proportion.

EMPEROR AS AN OARSMAN.

Rowing Apparatus.

Berlin, June 19.-Emperor William atended the regatta at Gruenau on Sunday. In a speech to the regatta commited a decision from the supreme court of appeals which allows her to practice the legal professional professional profession from the supreme court of appeals which allows her to practice the upon which he practiced movements of legal profession and the practice of the p legal profession in this state. This of rowing every morning.

HIS OWN EXECUTIONER.

An Incendiary Who Enjoyed Exclusive Privileges in the Final Act.

Bloodhounds Ran Him Down and an Angry Mob Prepared to Lynch.

Little Rock, Ark., June 16.-Messenger Aronson arrived from Monroe Lake last night bringing particulars of probably the los'b sensational self-execution on record. For six or eight weeks Monroe has been stirred to a white heat over fires of an incendiary origin. Several houses have been burned, entailing considerable loss. Although efforts were made to discover the fire-hugs they escaped detection until Wednesday, when after burning some small buildings in the outskirts of the town, bloodhounds were put on the

down a man named Day, who was arrested and confessed, saying he had set fire to different buildings to "get even" with certain persons who had either re- N. S. W., yesterday after a sensational fused to give him employment or discharged him from their employ. Day had Eustace Alexander, son of a Melbourne been night watchman for various com-

The jail was broken open and Day Mail says the revolution in Corea has as was taken some distance from town, essumed a serious aspect. The number of corted by a crowd of from four hundred rebels is said to be over 60,000. They great courage. He said he knew his time had come, admitted his guilt and de-clared that he perhaps had deserved his killed. This completely demoralized the fate, but he besought his captors to allow him to execute himself. After some parleying this was granted.

Day had the rope which was around his neck flung over the limb of a tree, where it was securely fastened. He climbed up the tree and jumped from its branches, breaking his neck. His body swayed to and fro while shouts went up from the crowd that awoke the echoes of the surrounding woods. The spectators at once dispersed.

AMERICAN NEWS NOTES, Daily Chronicle of the Events of Great Republic.

San Francisco, June 19.-The steamer Belgic arrieved to-day from Hong Kong and Yokohama. Hong Kong advices under date of May 25, state that during the week ending May 24, there were 500 new cases of the plague and 400 deaths, the mortality showing clearly the deadly nature of the disease.

Washington, June 16.-Ex-Congressman T. H. Payne, of Pennsylvania, now living in Washington, snot himself through the head this morning and died instantly. The inciting cause was the narm felt at a slight hemorrhage of the

Captain Peterson, from Ivigiut, Greenland, May 11, reached her dock in this city yesterday. Captain Peterson said he had neither seen nor heard of the reary party. A reary aux tion will start soon for the relief of the

Joliet, June 16.-Hanry Schmel, the Chicago pedestrian who left Springfield on Wednesday afternoon at 5 on a wager of \$10,000 to walk to Chicago by this evening at 5, arrived in Joliet at 9:20 last night five hours ahead of time. Washington, June 16.—Recent information received from Mendonca, Brazilian minister, from his government is to the effect that there is no truth in the reports which appear from time to time of

pattles between government troops and insurgents in the southern portion of the Omaha, Neb., June 16.-The district court held yesterday that a man and his wife being one person in the sight of the law, cannot be guilty of conspiracy. Mr. and Mrs. Multer had been charged with conspiracy to blackmail a physician of-

Council Bluffs. They were discharged. Brooklyn, June 19.—Fred Jones, aged 28 years, formerly of Melbourne, Australia, made a bold attempt yesterday afernoon to rob the jewelry store of R. N. Taylor. He escaped with a tray containing \$5,000 worth of diamonds, but was captured before he had gone far. Philadelphia, Pa., June 19.-C. T. Mc-Kee, Christopher Columbus Jones commissary, has opened headquarters at Moor's Hill for the purpose of recruiting wnother Coxey army to start for Washington, June 28, to take part in the

proposed monster demonstration on July McKee says he will raise another army which he hopes will number 250, 000 men. He gave a glowing description of the condition of the Coxey army now encamped on the outskirts of Washington and said they proposed to stay at Washington until Congress passes the Coxey good roads bill:

Hornbrook, Cal., June 19 .- About June the first Charles Spence, who was provprices at which they are sold. Amother ing up on a piece of land near Klamath through the labor commissioner, concerns the results of machinery upon labor production. McGann believes that this commissioner this believes that this Hot Sphings, disappeared from his home. country is suffering from over-production, tion a bullet hole was found in the back of his head, penetrating his brains. A by Prime Minister Sagasti in the senate bor-saving machinery which displaces to-day to the effect that if the commer-workmen and increases the output. The workmen and increases the output. The clothing hidden away and evidence that type setting machine, doing the work of the crime had been committed in his Germany was rejected the ministry three men, he considers a good example cabin. A letter was found warning would resign or the cortez would be disof their tendency. Another example of the same character he finds in the hisby the government. The senate by a vote of 127 to 21 expressed its confidence in the Sagasti cabinet.

The same character he makes in the same character he making is brick making. The remedy he thinks for this is in shorter hours of labor. A system is in shorter hours of labor. A system is in shorter hours of labor. man had left the country. Sensational developments are looked for. A coroner's jury returned a verdict in accordance

with the facts. Denton, Tex., June 19.—Denton is all astir over the disappearance of Elder Charles Baker, pastor of the Christian church here. He left Denton last Thursday morning saying he was going to Tioga, a station 25 miles from here on per litre; pine and spruce lumber, 5 per business and would be back on the afcent, ad valorem; pitch pine the same; ernoon of that date. He has never Lockwood's counsel yesterday secur-decision from the counsel yesterday secur-

while swimming in the Potomac River yesterday. He dived into the water from the river bank and struck against one of his companions who was already under water and in some unaccountable way broke his own neck. The body was ecovered by the other swimmers.

St. Paul, June 19 .- A sensational story of a plan to assassinate the members of the state prison board of Minnesota came to light to-day, the facts being revealed by Warden Wolfe to the prison congress delegates. The would-be assassin was Murderer M. Brennan, who recently escaped and later was recaptured in New Orleans. When the prison board visited Stillwater recently Brennan tried to secure an interview respecting an alleged grievance, but his actions were so susicious that he was searched, and a sharp pointed knife made from a table knife was found in his possession. He admit-

> HORRIBLE LIFE AT SEA. lity of a Ship's Crew-A Capt

Terrible Experience.

San Francisco, June 20.—The British ship Inverume arrived from Newcastle, voyage. Among the passengers were tobacco merchant, who eloped from Sydney, leaving a young wife and child behind him. He presented himself to Captain Wilcox of the Inverurie as Dr. C. H. Armitage, and stated that the woman who accompanied him was his wife. Shortly after the ship sailed from Newcastle Captain Wilcox had occasion to reprimand the first mate, Anderson, for

inattention to duty. The latter, however, with the assistance of the alleged doctor, succeeded in winning most of the crew over to his side, after which the ship was one continuous scene of mutiny. culminating in the death of the captain's About two weeks ago Mrs. Wilcox be-

gan to prepare for confinement, and a week ago last Friday Dr. Armitage was called in. Captain Wilcox, as a majority of British captains are, is fairly well, skilled in surgery, and was not satisfied with the manner in which the alleged doctor was treating his wife, and he so expressed himself. In trying to eject the in open mutiny and helped to lock the captain in the carpenter's house, from which he secured his release shortly after his wife had given birth to a lifeless child. He was allowed to see the infant, which was buried at sea a week ago Wednes-

The captain realized that he had odds against him, and prayed for peace until nd was sighted, but such was not his With the aid of the second mate, carpenter he was released, and when he appeared on deck and demanded an explanation of the treatment he had received the first mate ordered the crew to put a straight jacket on him and lock

him up again. On Saturday morning he was released and went to his wife's bedside. evening she died. On the arrival of the ship Captain Wilcox had the body of his wife removed to the morgue, and reported the facts to the British consul. Alexander and his companions were landed from the Inverurie in charge of a sergeant of police. They will be kept under surveillance until some action shall be taken by the local authorities and the British consul. Acting Quarantine Officer Williams stated that the dead woman had been maltreated in a fearful manner, and there is no doubt in his mind

that murder was committed. There have been no more sensational developments in the hideous story of the voyage of the bark Inverurie across the Pacific from Newcastle. Captain Wilcox, the second mate and the carpenter. who remained loyal to the captain during the recent mutiny, went ashore and devoted considerable attention to the preparations for the funeral of Mrs. Wilcox, which took place to-day. The captain has not yet preferred a formal charge ment to introduce a measure for the aboagainst the first mate and his men. He will probably first devote his attention to the inquest, which is to be held to-

Ottawa, June 19.-At the meeting of he public accounts committee to-day Mr. Schreiber was further examined in regard to the Curran bridge. He said that he was told that ice taken from the canal and carried such long distances was placed in an ice house belonging to one Quinn. He understood the ice was sold o people in Montreal.

James Huddart is expected here to-morrow to have an interview with the government regarding the fast Atlantic steamship service. There were five candidates nominated here to-day for the Ontario legislature, Hon. E. H. Bronson, George O'Keefe, Taylor McVeity, A. F. McIntyre and ex-

Mayor Durocher. The anti-cruelty to animals bill (Mr. Coatsworth) was defeated on Monday— Mr. Schrieber stated in the public accounts committee yesterday that some of the stone broken by the men working

at the Curran bridge had been received

by Senator Drummond.

Argentine Tariff. New York, June 20.-The Herald's Beungs Ayres dispatch says: A parliamentary committee has recommended that the following customs duties be imposed upon imports from the United States of North America: Kerosene, 11-2 per cent.

MORE BOODLING.

Turcotte, M. P. Shown to Hav & from India to the Caspian sea across the a Contract With the Militia Supplies.

Damaging Evidence of His Late Partner Before Privileges Committee.

Ottawa, June 21.—There was a strong

case made out against A. J. Turcotte, M. P., before the privileges and elections committee to-day. J. B. Provost, who was a partner of Turcotte in the grocery and provision business at Quebec, was are encamped outside the city and have examiled to-day. He stated that he dis- assumed a menacing attitude. solved partnership with Turcotte in February, 1893. They formerly had a contract for the militia supplies at Quebec. When he left the business he got \$300 per year for his goodwill and \$100 for his share of this contract. The contract would not be made out in Turcotte's name, as he was a member of parliament, so it was made out in Provost's name. For 1893 and for the first months of 1894 Turcotte supplied all the goods, etc. He got all the money for this contract with the exception of the \$100 mentioned, which Provost got. The cheques were made out in his (Provost's) name, but the department had them forwarded to Turcotte & Co. They were afterwards taken to him and he signed them. They were signed by Larose, who had power of attorney from him, and who was an employe of Turcotte & Co. A. J. Turcotte, M. P., carried on the business of Turcotte & Co. After he endorsed the cheques, they were endorsed by A. J. Turcotte for Turcotte & Co. Turcotte, brother to the member, was present as counsel for his brother, but did not crossexamine witness.

OVERCOMES EVERY OBSTACLE.

Every Break in the C. P. R. Passable -One Steamer Transfer.

Vancouver, June 21 .- All breaks on the Canadian Pacific railway are now passable for trains, except between Ruby Creek and Agassiz. Trains from the doctor a row ensued, in which the first east will reach Vancouver four or five mate took a hand, and the sailors joined hours late on account of the steamer transfer between these points.

A VETERINARY STAFF

Be Attached to the Department of Agriculture The French Treaty.

Ottawa, June 21 .- A't a meeting of the agricultural committee to-day a resolu- vet sat in parliament, having unsuccesstion was passed recommending that a fully contested Selkirkshire. reterinary staff be organized in connec- Paris, June 21.—The weekly state-John Jones, and the ship's carpenter, he managed to control the crew for a while but the trouble was soon renewed. Shortly after the child had been born the cap was informed that his wife was report of the description of the head was informed that his wife was report of the description of the head was informed that his wife was report of the description of the head was informed that his wife was report of the description of the head was informed that his wife was report of the description of the head with the head was informed that his wife was report of the description of the Bank of France shows the following changes as compared with the following changes as compared with the managed to control the crew for a while his crief he dealing with tuberculosis and other tuberculosis. The same of the Bank of France shows the following changes as compared with the trouble was soon renewed. Shortow, and in his grief he drank a cup of officer of the department, with a salary increase 2,400,000, bills discounted, de brandy which he believes was drugged; that will enable him to devote the whole of his time to the business. The committee boxed in the carpen make boxed that the services of Dr. Mcter's house again, but with the aid of the Eachren would be continued in that po

The preamble of the bill to run a bicycle railway from Winnipeg to Louisburg Cape Breton, was adopted to-day at tihe

railway committee. James Huddart, promoting the fast Atlantic line, arrived at noon. He will interview the government this afternoon. The government yesterday summoned up courage enough to introduce a bill to ratify the French treaty. There will be man let the wire on which Kirk was a keen debate on the second reading. The senate yesterday passed the insolvency bill through the final stage, Dr. McCallum's amendment proposing the six months hoist being defeared by 40 to 9. Dr. McInnes voted with the minority.

ANTI-LORDS MEETING.

Roseberry's Course Upheld-Labouchere's Resolution Defeated.

London, June 21.-At the anti-lords meeting a few prominent persons were present. Mr. Watson moved the first resolution which was carried. The second He was placed in an ambulance, but died resolution was moved and Mr. Laboubefore the city hospital was reached. chere moved a substitute that the lords being useless and dangerous, ought to be abolished, and calling upon the governlition of the house of lords. The substitute was lost by a large majority. The original resolution was carried with en-

AMERICAN NEWS NOTES.

Daily Chronicle of the Events of the Great Republic.

Saginaw, Mich., June 21.—Newell B. isting parties. Nevertheless he is of the Parsons, late confidential clerk for Wells, opinion that the lories, whom he regards Stone & Co., who was convicted of stealing \$463,000 worth of railroad bonds from his employers, was sent for five years to the state prison yesterday. Springfield, Mass., June 21.-E. C. Knoppe, bookkeeper of the Chicopee National Bank, is an embezzler for \$25,-

Washington, June 21.-The gold reserve to-day, after deducting the 2,225, 006 engaed for shipment to-day, is \$64,-703,047, or \$735,330 lower than ever be-

DUNMORE'S TRIP.

000.

The Adventurous Lord Making Arrange ments for His Journey.

New York, June 21 .- Charles Franklyn Murray, Earl of Dunmore, is making plans for a journey by land from New York to Paris, by way of Alaska and Siberia. He has just gone to Montreal to make arrangements with the Hudson Bay company for the equipment compared with the previous account: of his expedition. It may be impossible Total reserve increased, £117,000; circuto go from New York to Paris by land, but the Earl of Dunmore says he will ed. £1,034,004; other securities increased, £3,000; other deposits increased, £1,cent, ad valorem; pitch pine, the same; come pretty near accomplishing the feat, fast, one pretty near accomplishing the feat, fast, fast, one pretty near accomplishing the feat, fast, one pretty near accomplishing the feat, fast, one pretty near accomplishing the feat, fast, fast, one pretty near accomplishing the feat, fast, fast, one pretty near accomplishing the feat, fast, fast, one pretty near accomplishing the feat, fast, one pretty near accomplishing the feat, fast, fast, one pretty near accomplishing the feat, fast, across Siberia to Europe. He has not cal- 000. The proportion of the Bank of Eng-Cumberland, Md., June 19.—C. K. Some clocks strike ten when it is only moreland, aged 18 years, was killed six. It is the same way with many men.

if he is permitted to live. The Earl of Dunmore is a noted traveller and sports-man. The year before last he completed a very difficult and adventurous journey Pamirs and Central Asia.

PART 2

LISBON BAKERS STRIKE

Strikers Assume a Menacing Attitude-Six Thousand on Strike.

London, June 21.-A special to the Times from Lisbon says that 6,000 bakers in that city have gone on strike against the municipal regulations requiring the faster bakers to deposit 8,000 reis as a guarantee that they will sell bread of a proper weight. The strikers

Pension Bureau Savings. New York, June 21.-A special from Washington says: The prediction that the estration in the pension bureau would result in converting into the treasuny ut the end of the fiscal year several millions of dollars, is about to be realized. Commissioner Lochren has had prepared a careful estimate showing that the surptus will be nearly \$25,000,000. Commissioner 'Lochren's estimate for pension disbursements in the fiscal year 1895 has been reduced from \$165,000.000 to \$140,000,000, so that the coming year's hisbursements will effect a saving equal

Cramp's Third Wife. Washington, June 21.—The engagement of Mrs. Madeline Tasker Polk and Mr. C. H. Cramp, Philadelphia, head of the great shipbuilding firm of that name, is announced. Mr. Cramp has been married twice. His deceased wives were sisters, and each died at an early age. Mr. Cramp is about sixty years of age, while his fair fiancee is but half that age. is beautiful and charming. Mrs. Made-line Tasker Polk is a member of the oldest and most distinguished of the colonial families. She owns and occupies a pretty house near the boundary, where the marriage is to occur next October. Mrs. Polk expects to leave soon for a three months' trip to Europe.

Edinburgh, June 21.—The Liberals of Midlothian have selected Sir Thomas David Gibson Carmichael, bart, as their candidate in the contest for the seat in parliament for Midleth'an, which ex-Premier Gladstone, who has held it since April, 1890, has only consented to retain until next election. Sir Thomas is the oldest son of the Rev. Sir Wm. Carmichael, thirteenth baronet. He has not

KILLED BY THE CURRENT.

Lineman the Victim of a Fellow-Workman's Negligence. Rochester, N. Y., June 21.-Stephen Kirk, a lineman employed by the Bell Telephone company, was working on a pole on which there was a network of telephone, electric light, telegraph and street car trolley wires. A fellow-workworking sag too much and it touched the trolley wires. Kirk grasped it and received the full force of the current from the trolley wires. Agonized screams broke from the man's Eps as he endeavored to free himself from the wires. He struggled a moment, then toppled over. The current was so strong it held him fast to the wire almost by the heels. He hung head downwards for fully five minutes until a fellow workman located the wire among the network and cut it. The body was secured by ropes and lowered to the ground. Contrary to the expectations of all who saw the accident. Kirk was when he reached the ground

A NEW PARTY. Advocated by Prominent Persons-A Universal Need.

London, June 20 .- A book urging the formation of a new party will be published to-morrow. It is entitled "The New Party." The editor, Andrew Reid, says in a chapter under the caption of "Our Policy," that the coming party must be devoted to the cause of Social Reform and will therefore be opposed to the existing parties. Nevertheless he is of the as more favorable to social reform than the Liberals, might be good allies for the present; and a temporary alliance with them is recommended, A chapter by Lady Henry Somerset appears under the caption of "Women's Cause." In referring to Mr. Gladstone's retirement, she remarks pointedly that his name was unsullied by the Gambling Turf." "He is," she adds, "a leader of the kind that the new party desires." Among the 26 other contributors to the book are Willliam Pollard Byles, Liberal M. P.; Keir Hardie, labor M. P.; Grant Allan and Sarah Grand. The majority advocate a strongly socialistic programme

BANK OF MIGHAND. Weekly Statement of the Big Financial Corporation.

London, June 21.-The weekly statement of the Bank of England, issued to-day, shows the following changes as compared with the previous account: lation decreased, £83,000; bullion increas-