## MURDER OR SUICIDE?

Body of Mattie Crowe Found This Morning on the Floor of Her Room.

the Police Station-Inquest To-Morrow.

From Tuesday's Daily. Margaret J. Smith, better known as Mattie Crowe, a colored sporting woman, was found dead this morning in her house, at 27 Discovery street. Ed- mouth and nose. There was a bruised ward Robrig, a bartender, who reported ward Robrig, a bartender, who reported a small bruise above the right cheek the case to the police, is detained at the bone, a small scratch on the left cheek, police station, he being the only as far at known who is likely to be able to

throw any light on the case. From appearance the woman either left side of the brow. The mouth was committed suicide or was murdered. open and the tongue protruded between the teeth towards the right side. There There is evidence in favor of both theories, and the police are working upon face was somewhat dusky in appearboth of them. The room in which she ance, and the dry blood on the face had was found looks very much as though evidently escaped from the nose. There two persons had been in it. Around her neck is a polka dot four-in-hand neck depression was found encircling the tie, which to the unprofessional eye looks very much as if had caused her was knotted to the left side of the middeath. It is drawn very tight, sufficient- dle of the neck. There were small disly to cause strangulation, and is tied with a double knot. It is hardly possible that she could have tied this herself. To tie a single knot would have small pin-hend hemorrhages on the surbeen easy enough for her, but not so a face of the main artery. The heart condouble knot. She had bled from the mouth and nose. The body was found fluid blood in the large vein. The vaives on the floor alongside the bed partly of the heart were all normal. Several dressed, she having evidently fallen out small pin-head homorrhages were on the of bed. It is hard to say whether two surface of the lungs. They were highly persons had been in the bed, but neither | congested. There were no fractures of the bed clothes nor the woman's clothes showed any signs of a struggle. The clothes which she had taken off were on one amongst the muscles of the tonguthe floor at the foot of the bed, and other There were small hemorrhages beneath

clothes had been taken from the bur- the skin over the right side of the brow. eau drawers and scattered around the In his opinion the deceased died from any search having been made for money or jewelry, and the fact that none were found by the police is not considered material, as it is known that of late she has not been very well off and yesterday she is said to have paid her rent. As far as known the woman was last seen alive about 8 o'clock last evening. Robrig, who lives in a back room in the

same house, saw her at that hour. He went out then and returned between 11 and 11:30, He noticed a light in the woman's room when he returned, but this was not unusual and he went to bed in his own room. When he got up this morning he noticed that the light was still burning in the woman's room. He went in and blew it out and pulling aside the curtains found that the woman was not in bed. A search revealed the body on the floor. Robrig immediately reported the matter to Officer Carson, who took charge of the body and removto the morgue, where it now is. Robrig was detained at the police sta-

due and Officer Carson were detailed to work on the case and made a thorough search of the premises. They found nothing of significance further than above stated.

Mattie Crowe has been a resident of the city for about eight years. She came here from Winnipeg, where she she was well-known in police and sportg circles. From papers found in the cuse it is thought that she previously ing circles. fived in Chicago, where her daughter now resides. Besides the house she was found in, the woman owns the furniture in a house on Yates street.

Robrig is a big, heavy set German who formerly tended bar at the Bank Exchange. Of late he has been out of employment. The police do not think he had anything to do with the dearh of the woman, but they are detaining him as a necessary witness. Coroner Crompton has ordered an in-

quest for two o'clock to-morrow. A woman who rented a house from the dead woman cailed on Chief Sheppard late this afternoon. She says she went over to pay her rent yesterday and found the Crowe woman very sick. She suff ered from serious attacks of constipation. and at times bled from the mouth and Yesterday Robrig was giving her peppermint to allay the pain. Her friends cannot believe that she commit-ted suicide, If she died a natural death, why was the necktie tied tightly around her neck?

From Wednesday's Dally.

In the opinion of Dr. John Lang, who this morning held a post mortem examination, the death of Margaret J. Smith, alias Mattie Crowe, was caused by strangulation. As to whether she tied the knot in the necktie, which caused her death, he could not say.

This evidence and other facts brought out at the inquest this afternoon make it look very much as though the unfortunate woman had been murdered. There are those who believe that both Mattie Crowe and Cape Mudge Sally, whose body was found on the reserve some time ago, were killed by the same

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person. The cases are similar in many

The post mortem examination on Mattiè Crowe was not held until this morning. This handicapped the police to a certain extent, they having lost all lay yesterday and part of to-day in waiting for the opinion of the doctor. They, however, obtained considerable evidence Ed Robrig, a Bartender, Detained at like one of murder for robbery at that. Constable Carson, who was the first to visit the house, said the bed looked as though it had been occupied by two, and behind the door was an open hand sat-

chel. Dr. John Lang deposed that he had examined the body of the deceased. There was some dry blood around the patch on the upper part of the left eye, a small bruise on the left side of the nose, a dark discoloration of the lids of the left eye and a small bruise on the were hemorrhages under both eyes. The was a necktie firmly tied around the On removing the necktie a deep The necktie colorations of the skin on the anterior part of the neck and also on the left side beneath the knot. He examined the heart. There were one or two very tained a small quantity of fluid on both the windpipe. The was a hemorrhage

amongst the muscles of the front of the neck and also behind the windpipe, and Of course she may have done strangulation. He could not say whether There were no signs of the deceased tied the knot herself. To Chief Sheppard-Persons have half strangled themselves by tying something around their necks. The bruises were

recent. The one on the thigh might have been caused by a kick. It could not have come by falling on the foor. The bruises on one side might have been caused by falling on the floor, but this could not have caused bruises on both Everything pointed to strangulation

To a Juror,-The hemorrhages on the heart were usual when death was caused by strangulation.

Constable Carson in his evidence stated that the bed looked as though it had recently been occupied by two people, and the drawers of the bureau were partly drawn out and ransacked. One of the woman's stockings found on the floor was turned inside out. Behind the door was a small hand satchel open. Edward Robrig was present when he visited the house. He (witness) warned him that anything he said might be used and as he was going through the hall he noticed a light in the front part of the house. This not being unusual he went to bed and did not wake up until about 8 next morning, when he saw the light still burning. After putting the light out he found the body. produced, and which was found tightly tied about the neck, was such a tie as would have been worn with the cotton waist in which the deceased had been

May Williams, a friend of the deceased, residing on Herald street, related the substance of a conversation which took place during a call paid by Mattie Crowe to her on Monday evening. Matie had then complained of being in bad health and had asked for the return of 25 cents witness had previously borrowed, explaining that she had just paid her rent and was "dead broke." When Mattie went home she took with her two bottles of beer. Rohrig had lived with Mattie Crowe during the past three years, and though witness had never een any serious quarrels between them, Mattie had told her that he was rough with her when drunk. To a juryman witness said that she could not remember that the deceased had the tie on the last night seen alive.

Edward Rohrig afterwards told his. story in the witness box and was followed by William Stedman, alias Boscow itz Billy, who furnished the material evidence of having seen the deceased standing at her door as late as midnight on Monday. She was then alone and soliciting. From this evidence, only secured a few hours before the inquest, it s evident the crime was committed in the early hours of Tuesday morning. The case was still in progress at 4 o'clock.

LONDON MARKET WAS FLAT. The Speculation in Mines Is Showing Its Bad Effects.

New York, Nov. 6.-The Evening Post has the following special financial cablegram: The stock market was flat today, closing, however, above the worst. The selling was mainly from the continent. Consols fell to 1061/4 and closed at 1051/2 bid. There were heavy sales in all stocks from Glasgow, where the speculation in mines has been rampant. Americans were flat, but closed above the lowest. A quarter of a million in gold has gone from the Bank of England to-day for Paris; although the rate of exchange, 25.19, precludes any profit on the transaction.

EVERYTHING QUIET IN CUBA Insurgents Moving-Death of an Old Colonial Spanish Officer.

Havana, Nov. 6.-The commander of the insurgent forces in the province of Puerto Principe, has arrived at Santa Clara from Puerto Principe. Madrid, Nov. 6.-Jose de la Concha. Marquis de la Habana, is dead, aged 85 years. In 1849 he was made general of Cuba, and again in 1854 and in 1872 he accepted an appointment as governor-general of Cuba. He served the state in many positions of distinction. and was a grand officer of the Legion

About Two Million Dollars of New York Money Gene Up in Smoke.

at the house, which made the case look | The Firemen Make a Gallant Fight and Have Many Hair-Breadth Escapes.

> New York, Nov. 6 .- So fierce and stub- the "Katy" at 11 a.m., about four miles born was a fire which broke out in a clothing house at 147 Crosby street last night that, before it could be got under control damage estimated at a million dollars, was done. The flames so soon got beyond the control of the firemen that an alarm had to be turned in call- of distress, mingled with groans, indicating all the engines of the city below 59th street. From the point where the fire was first seen the flames ran quickly through the building, which extends from the corner of Crosby and Bleeker streets through the 150 foot block, until it makes the southeast corner of Broadway and Bleeker street. This building was destroyed. From this building the flames got into the structure adjoining on the south, while to the north the flames shot across narrow Bleeker street, caught the enormous building of the Manhattan Savings institution, the upper storeys of which soon fell with a great crash while the firemen were at work on the lower floors.

Jacob Adler & Co., control the clothing establishment on the floor where the fire started. Beneath them on the ground of the building, facing Broadway, is the Empire State Bank. On the upper floors are Lauterbak & Co., silks, and several like concerns. Half an hour after the flames were first seen in Crosby street the building had been demolished. The walls still stood erect, but the apertures where the windows had been, showed through them a solid sheet of flame.

Notwithstanding the enormous heat, the firemen crowded the building closely. From the very first it was seen the building was doomed and the only chance was the saving of the adjacent structures. Suddenly, a few minutes before nine clock, where all had been light for blocks and blocks around; from the glare of the flames, there came darkness. From the rent walls there came a great cloud of black smoke that blotted out all the light and made the air so pungent in narrow Bleecker street that the fire fighters were compelled to run for

the men had just determined to force their way through it and again get their position at the lines, when with a low sullen roar, the high standing walls parted, seemed to hang in the air for a moment, supported by the roaring flames, and then fell, a mighty weight, where a few moments before the firemen had stood.

The five-storey building to the south caught fire with the falling of the walls, and the firemen's attention was called to that. Twenty of them were before the place directing twenty streams of water when an explosion came that shook the building, and a second later every him that anything he said might be used in evidence against him. Robrig said he was quite drunk when he want here. When the want here is the street. The iron shutters were forced from their fastenings and sent sailing through the air. Two men who had stood near were blown across the not there. To-night a crowd of several street. Both were slightly injured and were attended by an ambulance sur-

It was just about this time that the flames sprang across the street and caught the building of the Manhattan Savings institution. Every effort was now expended on the big bank building, but despite everything that could be done the fire spread. Fire Chief Francis J. Reilly and twelve men were in the 6th storey of the building when from above the flames came so rapidly that their escape by the stairs or from the window through which they entered the building was cut off. By cutting a hole through the side wall of the building to the north the chief and eleven of the men escaped as the flames roared about them. Sor of them were badly burned. Chief Reilly, when he reached the street, raint-It was found that Reilly's back was injured, and he with several others were taken to the hospital. It is now estimated that the total loss from buildings, stock, etc., will reach \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000.

BAD RAILROAD WRECKS. Two Trains Come to Grief and Many

Lives Lost.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 4.-The worst railroad wreck in the immediate vicinity of Wheeling for many years occurred shortly before 10 o'clock this morning at Elm Grove, five miles east on the Pittsburg division of the Baltimore & Ohio road. The Pittsburg-Cincinnati express, commonly known as the "Cannon Ball," jumped the track on a bridge over Wheeling creek, owing to a broken flange on the wheel of a smoking car. The engine, tender and baggage car kept the track, while the mail car, the smoker and Pullman parlor car went over a bank about axteen feet high The cars were completely demolished, The day coach turned completely over tarce through the air. So far only two deaths have occurred. instantly killed. The eight months old in Bennett's name, baby of Lawrence Bartley, of Pittsburg, was sitting on its father's lap when the pany states that 4960 shares of accident occurred. It was so badly in Wheeling hospital, while a number are ing & Elm Grove running special excursion trains, all of which were crowded Of those who were hurt several will die The killed: Mrs. Miranda Hare, Kit. taning, Pa.; eight months old baby of Lawrence Bartley, of Allegheny, The seriously injured, so far as can be found: Fila Vance, of Wheeling, spine probably broken, may die; C. J. Garvey, Mariet-

ta. Ohio, head crushed and back wrenched, will probably die; W. N. Rose, Chicago, right arm broken; F. W. Gilbert, Sharpsburg, Pa., thigh broken and head badly cut; J. N. Gouchenow, Pitsburg, left elbow broken; J. W. Foster, Beaver, Pa., right foot broken; W. J. Chapman

West Bridgewater, Pa., left leg and hand broken; Mrs. George Crouz, knee dislocated; Jacob Zulauff, Pittsburg, left arm dislocated; Mrs. Watts, Wheeling, elbow dislocated; Mrs. Clarke, Allegheny, shoulder dislocated.

Dallas, Nov. 4.-News was received in this city this afternoon of the wreck of the north bound passenger train on north of Waxahatchie. Mr. H. E. Smith, of this city, who was a passenger on the train, arrived at 7.30 this evening. He said:

"Owing, I suppose, to a spread in the rails, the engine and four cars were derailed. There immediately arose a cry ing that many of the passengers had been hurt. The engineer, Mike Murphy, was killed, and in all twenty-two people were injured, thirteen of them

more or less seriously. Five coaches were derailed and two turned completely over. Sheriff Bell, of Hill county, had his arm dislocated. All of the passengers were more or less bruised, but none badly or seriously insmall flag station without telegraph fa- all the aisles with the exception of the cilities. The derailment was caused by an open switch.

CANDIDATE FOR LYNCHING.

A Monster Murders His Wife and Burns the Body.

New Whatcom, Wn., Nov. 6 .- A report reached here this afternoon of the burning of a house belonging to a young farmer named Speisman at Timou, between Everson and Lynden, in county, last night, and the death of Mrs. Speisman in the flames. It is reported that a pistol shot was heard in the house before the fire broke out, and there is a suspicion that the woman was murdered and the house Larned to destroy evidence of the crime.

The coroner returned this afternoon from the scene of the tragedy. An inquest was held and a verdict rendered that Mrs. Speisman had been murdered by her husband, Frederick J. Speisman, who then set fire to the dwelling. The woman's limbs were burned to a crisp and her skull had been crushed by a blow from some blunt instrument. The couple were married six years ago, but separated, and were only recently reunited. A warrant has been issued throp. Dresses and flowers were sadly The smoke continued to pour out and | ter Speisman's arrest, but no trace of | crushed in the eager attempt of the mulhim has been found.

> THE MURDER OF IDA GASKELL. Morgan, the Fiend, Taken from Omaha to Avoid Lynching. Omaha, Nov. 6.-The murder and out-

rage of little Ida Gaskell, an 11-year-old

child, last night, was positively traced to George Morgan, a teamster. He lives near where the body was found, and was the last man seen with her. His clothes were covered with blood when arrested. So great was the feeling against the prisoner that he was hurriedly removed to the penitentiary at hurriedly removed to the penitentiary at noon. Later a committee appointed by those favoring lynching went to the jail to satisfy the mob that the prisoner was to satisfy the mob that the prisoner was hundred people surrounded the jail. They were orderly, and drawn more curiosity that any disposition to do violence. Early in the morning, as soon as the papers had given out the infor-mation of the terrible crime, a crowd was about the doors of the morgue. The body was taken to the ground floor and then admission was granted to all, From that early hour until a little after noon, when it was thought admisable to shut the doors and refuse admission, the morgue was thronged. A steady line of people poured in, stopping a moment to gaze with welling eyes upon that innocent face. It was estimated that before noon 5000 people had looked upon the dead body. They were men of all classes, business men, laborers and men of There were many women, also of all classes, among them evidently many mothers, whose features, while bedewed with tears, expresed a fierce something which caused the men's faces to harden more.

BENNETT'S DIFFICULTIES. Tacoma Ledger Mortgaged and Hotel Stock Hypothecated.

Tacoma, Nov. 6 .- The Ledger Publishing Company, the Tacoma Hotel Company and Lottie Bennett, 'garnishee de fendants in Col. F. D. Huestis' suit against Nelson Bennett, have filed answers. The Ledger company's answer says it owes Bennett \$35,299.19 on notes and open accounts for money advanced by Bennett for a valuable consideration and for use in business. Two notes were executed by the corporation to Ber nett on April 26, 1893, one for \$12,000, and the other for \$14,466.81. Another note, executed August 27, 1894, is, for \$5533.19, and the open accounts amount to \$3300. The answer states further that all of said notes were secured by a chattel mortgage executed garnishee defendant to Mr. Bennett: further, that all of above notes and inand the other two lay on their sides. debtedness, with securities therefor, seeming to have been thrown some disto the Bennett National Bank of Faireaths have occurred. A woman, who haven, to secure a debt of Mr. Bennett thought to be Mrs. Miranda Hare, to the bank of \$15,000. Further, the of Kittaning. Pa., but not positively answer states, that at the time of the identified owing to the way she was dis garnishment the stock books of the corfigured, jumped from the car and was poration showed only one share of stock

The answer of the Tacoma hotel of the par value of \$100 each, stand in jured that it died in a few minutes. Nelson Bennett's name on the books, and while neither its father nor mother were that all of it has been by Bennett hyhert. The exact number of injured is pothecated as security for his debts to hard to get reliably. Nine were taken divers persons and corporations, among to the city hospital and three to the them H. L. Achilles, trustee of the Tacoma clearing house, 700 shares; A. R at houses near the scene of the acci- Titlow, receiver of the Bank of Tacoma, dent. Ten or a dozen surgeons and the 1000 shares. The other shares are held wrecking erew were summoned at once. by parties unknown to garnishee defend-Not less than ten thousand people vis- ant, the hotel company. Both answers ited the scene of the wreck, the Wheel- are sworn to by Henry Blackwood, secretary of the corporations and Mr. Bennett's private secretary.

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Marlborough Marries Millions-Miss The New York Political Monster Vanderbilt Attains an American Girl's Ambition.

Wealthy New Yorkers Make the Occasion One of Old World Court Splendor.

New York, Nov. 6.-The Duke of Marlborough and Miss Consuelo Vanderbilt were married this morning by Bishop Potter.

The scene inside the church was a bril-The scene of the wreck is a liant one. Every pew was occupied and 14 Democrats and independents. centre aisle, was thronged with guests who could not be accommodated with seats. Women of wealth and social prominence vied with each other in the richness and grandeur of their equippage, tending to make the occasion one equal in brilliancy to the old world court functions. There was a surpliced choir of sixty voices, Immediately the choristers were seated, the New York symphony orchestra, under the direction of Walter Damrosch, commenced playing the wedding march from "Lohengrin," and shortly afterwards Mrs. Vanderbilt, accompanied by her two sons, W. K. jr., and Harold, entered the church and were escorted to their seats. Sir Julian Pauncefote, representing the Duke's family, accompanied by the members of the embassy, were escorted to their seats. The bridegroom, accompanied by his best man. Hon. Ivor Guest, walked from

the vestry to the chancel rail, where they awaited the coming of the bride. few minutes after the Duke's entrance, the bridal procession formed and proceeded to the chancel. The bridesmaids were Miss Katherine Duer, Miss Elsa Brenson, Miss May Goulet, Miss Laura Jay, Miss Daisy Post, Miss Evelyn Burden, Miss Morton and Miss Marie Wintitude to catch a glimpse of the bride as the slender girl appeared, leaning on the arm of her father. At the chancel rail the bridal procession were met by the groom and the following distinguished prelates and clergy, who were grouped around the communion table: Rt. Rev. Bishops Littlejohn and Potter, and Rev. Dr. J. Wesley Brown, rector of St. Thomas; Dr. J. . H Rylance, rector of St. Mary's; Dr. Bridges and Rev. Waldo Burnett, of Southborough, Mass., who was chaplain for many years to the seventh Duke of Marlborough at Blenheim. When the bride reached the chancel

THE TREASURY TROUBLES. Arrests Expected to be Made This Week

of Boggs' Associates.

introductory and charge. Then Bishop

Potter read the customary marriage ser

Tacoma, Nov. 5.-There have been a number of persistent rumors on the Massachusetts, is believed to be equipped streets to-day concerning arrests that are to deal with the enterprise as a commer likely to be made early in the week, re- cial project. sulting from the investigations now beng carried on by the committee on municipal affairs of the Taxpayers' League and the Chamber of Commerce. names of one or two city officials and number from Canada on the subject of two prominent citizens have been mentioned. Neither the members of the interest in the work of the deep water committee nor the authorities will throw ways association, which was originally any light on the matter. Enough has been learned, however, upon which to predict that all those who can be shown to have made any money in the Boggs' warrant deal will be afforded an opportunity to explain the transaction

The Morning Union has called a mass neeting of citizens at Germania hall for that the American commissioners would to-morrow night to discuss finances, civil service reform and charter revision.

THE CUBAN EMBROGLIO.

Spanish Papers State that 500,000 Men Will be Sent to Cuba.

Madrid, Nov. 5 .- The papers state that 35,000 troops will be sent to Cuba forthwith, and additional reinforcements will be sent as required. Reports reeived here are to the effect that the usurgents continue to burn villages and plantations and to attempt to dynamite the railroads.

five thousand men have joined the orgents from Matanzas province withthe last forty days. About fifteen days ago twenty insurgents concealed themselves in a cemetery on the outskirts of Cardenas, attacking forty passing regulars. The insurgents lost two dead, five wounded; Spanish loss, eight killed, five wounded. A priest who went to La Crete camp to hear confes sions reports having found 350 armed and 200 unarmed men in the Sagua district. Letters from Maceo say his headquarters near Santiago are unmolested by the Spaniards. He is on the aggres

New York, Nov. 5 .- A morning pap asserts that another Cuban expedition is being formed, the members of which all belong to the National Guard of New Jersey. All are said to be sharpshooters and qualified to command companies and to be trained in signal corps work

Decatur, Ill., Nov. 5 .- The grand op ero house was completely destroyed by fire to-day, together with several adjacent buildings. Total loss, \$500,000. Valparaiso, Ind., Nov. 5,—The villages of Hamlet and Davis, twenty miles from ere, are in danger of destruction. The whole country south of Hamlet and Davis is ablaze and farmers are obliged to eaved their homes in order to save their

Was Too Strong for the Reformers

Republicans Appear to Have Swept Other Places as Well as Gotham.

New York, Nov. 6 .- As a resut of terday's election the new legislature New York state will have in the assen bly 99 Republicans and 51 Democrati and in the senate 35 Republicans and Trenton, N. J., Nov. 6.-The estimat

ed plurality of Griggs, Republican, for governor, is 24.300. Louisville, Ky., Nov. 6.-The return received up to noon show Bradley's majority growing. He claims the state b 15,000. The lower house of the legis lature is Republican, but the Democrats may carry the senate on the joint ballot

Columbus, O., Nov. 6.-Chairman An derson of the Democratic state commit tee, says the reports up to 12 o'clock show a Republican plurality of 8000 to 9000. Chairman Kurtz of the Republi can committee says the plurality will be 9000.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 6.-Governor Greenhalge is re-elected by 3444 plurality, 1933 less than his majority last year, The municipal suffrage for women was defeated by about 75,000.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 6 -Incomplete returns, including Baltimore, indicate the election of Lowndes for governor by at least 15,000 to 16,000 plurality, carrying with him the comptroller and attorney-general. The house of delegates will perhaps have more than sixty Republicans. The senate will be ose, with the chances in favor of Republican majority. On the joint ballot the Republicans will have a safe ma-

THE DEEP WATER CANAL

The United States Commission Selected from Common Sense Grounds.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 5.-The deep water commission is required to meet and confer with a similar commission yet to be appointed by Great Britain, or the Dominion of Canada, with reference to the creation of a deep water connection between the lakes and the Atlantic, and if any part of this channel shall fall within Canadian lines, they are to deterterms with Canadians. No salary is attached to the position of commissioner, although expenses are provided for. The ommission as constituted ranges high the estimation of engineer officers. Mr. Angell, who negotiated the Chinese treaty, is regarded as peculiarly fit to treat the diplomatic questions involved, Mr. Cooley is by profession able to pass upon the engineering features of the work, and ex-Representative Russell, of

Toronto, Nov. 5.-The announcement made yesterday in Washington that President Cleveland had appointed three commissioners to confer with a similar the deep water ways, has revived local formed in this city in the summer of 1894, and whose recent convention in Cleveland did much to further its objects and secure the aid of the two governments interested.

Mr. Howland, M. P., president of the leep water ways association, in the course of an interview to-night, said prove admirably suited for their work. He was especially pleased at the nomination of Mr. Cooly, who was an engineer of great ability. He said this was the beginning of a most important work. Nothing is so far known as to whom the Canadian government will put upon the commission. It is expected that ome of the gentlemen selected will be Mr. Howland, one of the government's chief engineers, and some other, whose name has not yet been mentioned.

-A cough which persists day after day should not be neglected any longer. It means something more than a mere local irritation, and the sooner it Tampa, Fla., Nov. 5.—Passengers ar- lieved the better. Take Ayer's Cherry iving from Cuba to-night state that ful- Pectoral. It is prompt to act and sure to cure.



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