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The story of how Lieut, Richmond P. Hobson and his little crew bottle" at Santiago by sinking the steamer Merrimac in the narrow channel at the mouth of the harbor furnishes the only fresh feature of the war news this morning.. All other despatches from the seat of the present war operations say there is no news. The way in which the scheme was planned and carried out proves that Hobson is a . man of great nerve, and the incidents as related will furnish a page or more in the history of the war when it is given to future generations. A remarkable phase of the case is the magnanimity shown by Admiral Cervera in sending, under a flag of truce, a message to Admiral Sampson, telling of the capture of the crew of the Merrimac, and an offer to & exchange them por Spanish priseners. **********

THE FULL DETAILS.

Merrimac Into the Neck of

Antonio, Jamiaca, June 4, per the Asso with excitement, he remarked: "I shall go clated Press boat Dauntless.)—The follow- right into the harbor until about 400 yards ing is a detailed story of the brave act of past the Estrella battery, which is behind Lieut, Richmond P. Hobson and his seven Morro Castle. I do not think they can companions in sinking the collier Merri- sink me before I reach somewhere near mac acrosss the channel leading into the that point. The Merrimac has 7000 tons harbor of Santiago de Cuba.

willing to exchange the prisoners, and as-suring the American commander that they would be treated with the greatest kind-ness. Money and provisions have been sent and it will be quick work even done in a to them, and the necessary steps are being minute and a quarter. taken to bring about their exchange. The mae had on board 600 tons of coal

errand at 3 o'clock this morning. The all of us will be in our underclothing, with launch from the New York, with the rollowing crew on board: Naval Cadets J.

W. Powell, P. K. Peterson, B. Handford, W. Powell, P. K. Peterson, B. Handford, J. Mullings and G. L. Russell. In the given in the being made fast to the incomplete made fast to the speeches was the entire absence of anything like a patronizing spirit in the additional proof that the idea of united action by the English speaking world has taken complete made fast to the incomplete made fast to the speeches was the entire absence of anything like a patronizing spirit in the additional proof that the idea of united action by the English speaking world has taken complete made fast to the speeches was the entire absence of anything like a patronizing spirit in the additional proof that the idea of united action by the English speaking world has taken complete made fast to the speeches was the entire absence of anything like a patronizing spirit in the additional proof that the idea of united action by the English speaking world has taken complete made fast to the speeches was the entire absence of anything like a patronizing spirit in the additional proof that the idea of united action by the English speaking world has taken complete made fast to the speeches was the entire absence of anything the interest of the speeches was the entire absence of anything the interest of the speeches was the entire absence of anything the interest of the speeches was the entire absence of anything the interest of the local properties.

mac after she had got under the shadow of the hills. For half an hour officers and men strained their eyes peering into the gloom, when, suddenly, the flash of a gun streamed out from Morro Castle, and then be and one at her stern. The first man to reach her will haul in the tow-streamed out from Morro Castle, and then all power the New York knew the Merror was nearing her end. The guns the Scanlish bettery convenite Morro. from the Spanish battery opposite Morro the crew. The quartermaster at the wheel Castle answered quickly with more flashes, and for about 20 minutes flashes of fire

blown up the Merrimac.

ashore kept up an irregular fire on the

the flagship, but she did not have on board tenants any of the crew of the Merrimac, Cadet cauet nad gone right under the batteries and only returned when all hope of taking on board the crew of the Merrimac had to be abandoned by the abandone by the aban

What Sampson Said.

Hobson and His Crew Got the What actually happened on board the Merrimac can be best judged from what Lieut. Hobson said just before leaving the flagship. Sitting in his cabin, his face tiago, June 3 .- (7 a.m., via Port browned by the sun and his eyes flashing buoyancy, and I shall keep her full speed This result was accomplished through ahead. She can make about ten knots. the heroism of Lieut. Richmond P. Hoo- When the narrowest part of the channel i assistant naval constructor, and reached I shall put her helm hard aport, Daniel Montague, George Charlotte, J. C. stop the engines, drop the anchors, open the Murphy, Oscar Deignan, John P. Phillips, sea connections, touch off the torpedoes and Complications Have Arisen Which John Kelly and H. Clausen. The latter, a leave the Merrimac a wreck, lying athwart coxswain of the New York, took part in the channel, which is not as broad as the the expedition against orders. They were Merrimac is long. There are ten eight-inch all captured by the Spaniards; but, the improvised torpedoes below the waterline, Spanish Admiral, in recognition of their on the Merrimac's port side. They are place bravery, sent word to the American Ad- ed on her side against the bulkheads and miral, under a flag of truce, that he was vital spots, connected with each other by willing to exchange the prisoners, and as-

May Block the Sale of the Big

shareholders last night complications arose

which will block the deal with the British

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Nabbed in Toronto.

stole in towards the coast and made her way to the eastward, followed by a steam around his waist will be a line, the other millions for the property, but the opinion lee excitement last year.

throw the Merrimac on her starboard side." ably more. "And do you expect to come out of this At 6.15 a.m. the launch came alongside alive?" asked a companion of the Heu-

Powell reported that he had been unable lieutenant. He was so interested in the to see any sign of the Merrimac's crew. It mechanical details of the scheme that he developed that, with great bravery, the scarcely stopped to talk of life and death.

down on us a bit, but the ships will throw their searchlights in the gunners' faces the heroes who had penned the Spaniards in there was not a sound or a sign.

Think the men should be able to swim to the dingy. I may jump before I am blown likes and also gave lessons in fencing to like and also gave lessons in fencing to li up, but I don't see that it makes much fashionable young people. He was once sure the attempt was quite successful. I hope all those brave fellows are not captured."

Cadet Powell believes the torpedoes previously fixed amout the Merrimac were exploided as planned, as Lieut. Hobson was difference what I do. I have a fair chance of life either way. If our dingy gets shot to pleces, we will then try to swim for the to pleces, we will then try to swim for the beach right under Morro Castle. We shall beach right under Morr

MRS. EUROPA HEEP: Be 'umble, Ury, dear; be 'umble. A HITCH IN THE LE ROI DEAL.

Idea Has Taken on the Minds of Englishmen.

New York, June 5.—Mr. Ford, in cabling onstration of good-will to America. Royalty to The Tribune to-day, refers at length to and members of the Ministry and of the

The Perilons Trip Started.

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Lieut. Hobson started on his dari ig two other men. This is the total crew and been last night will attend. Lieut. Hobson started on his daring all of us will be in our underclothing, with errand at 3 o'clock this morning. The morning was lying to the westward. Un-Merrimac was lying to the westward. Use the sale of Le Riot to the B. A. Corporation der cover of the clouds over the moon she der cover of the clouds over the moon she stole in towards the coast and made her stole in towards the coast and the coast and

that the idea of united action by the Eng- vecacy of the closest possible relations be-J. Mullings and G. L. Russell III the last the signal to cut the lasting which launch were bandages and appliances for thus get the signal to cut the lasting which session of the minds of men of influence that session of the minds of men of influence t will be holding the forward anchor. He the B. A. Corporation will get the Le Roi here. Tribune readers have already rethe wounded.

From the crowded decks of the New York nothing could be seen of the Merri.

The dingy is full of life busys and the Bishop of the New Stern The dingy is full of life busys and the Royal and Social prestige to the Roya York nothing could be seen of the Merrina astern. The dingy is full of life buoys and has quietly bought up in various quarters Ripon, and definite accounts of the enthusian astern. The dingy is full of life buoys and has quietly bought up in various quarters Ripon, and definite accounts of the enthusiance of the enthusian could be seen of the Merrina astern. The dingy is full of life buoys and has quietly bought up in various quarters.

The Missing Balloonist to Be Searched for by Another Party

deck and get over the side as quickly as afternoon at 7.05 o'clock. The bill was leader, M. Vericle, is in Paris for the purpossible. The men in the engine room will under consideration eight hours to-day. A pose of bringing out balloons for the United An Anxious Hour.

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For an hour the anxious watchers waited through the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections with a score or more of attempts were made to break open the sea connections. for an nour the anxious watchers waited for daylight. Rear Admiral Sampson and siedge hammer and will follow the leader amend it, but in only three or four in he is a personal friend of Andree, and saw for daylight. Rear Admiral Sampson and into the water. This last step insures the stances were the attempts successful. Parhim start at Spitzbergen. Andree was only Captain Unadwick were on the bridge of the Merrimac, whether the torthis streams of shock were seen against the western shore, quite close to the Spanish batteries, and strong glasses made out the lanceh of the New York returning to the face of the face the launch of the New York returning to the flagship. Scarcely had the small craft will have been released of able, which all tea imported into the United States. were cut but one, consequently he rose to were contested Saturday, 36 hours ahead of the flagship. Scarcely had the small craft been sighted before a puff of smoke issued are cut.

will have been paid out before the anchors the amendment created no debate, and an enormous height and lost control of his balloon. He could only live in the air a from a battery on the western arm of the ... Then all that is left for me to do is to calculated by the Senate experts that the certain time. Providing winds would land harbor, and a shot plunged far over the touch the button. I shall stand on the duty, if it be finally enacted into law, will Andree in Alaska, he had guns and ammulaunch. Then for 15 minutes the big guns sterboard of the bridge. The explosion will raise at least \$10,000,000 a year, and problanded. Our balloon will be similar to Andree's, but we will drag over the surface DUBOIS HAS CONFESSED of the ground with a heavy hemp rope 150 House, Toronto, from whom information yards long. As we descend the rope be-"Ah, that is another thing," said the That He Planned the Robbery of an comes lighter and vice versa. Prof. Ter-Aged Couple in Cincinnati-Was wagne is an experienced balloonist, and claims to have recently traveled from New Cincinnati, June 5,-(Special.)-Enrico Du- York to Havana and return and to be in cadet had gone right under the batteries But, in reply to frequent questions, Hobson bois, alias Lingi Salvator, has been brought possession of valuable information regard-

Cadet Powell also reported that he had clearly seen the Merrimac's masts sticking up just where Hobson hoped to sink her, north of the Estrella battery, and well past the guns of Morro Castle. But, of the heroes who had normed the Spaniards.

The advantage of the French dry clean-fity a couple of years ago of an aged of years ago of an aged of the savings of a couple of thousand dollars, the savings of a lifetime on the past the guns of Morro Castle. But, of the heroes who had perpend the Spaniards.

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Rosland, B.C., June 4.—(Special to The World).—At the meeting of the Le Rol ed on her side against the bulkheads and vital spots, connected with each other by a will block the deal wing the British and retried Corporation for the present at the Anattoir. After the Angle-Saxon banquet held in London for the present at the Anattoir and they should do their work in a minute and a quarter.

Disposal of the Men.

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What was noticeable in all the English "Last night's Anglo-American dinner at speeches was the entire absence of any-

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Montreal, June 5.—(Special.)—The contract | Canadian fast line steamship company, for building the Canadian Pacific into the Time will tell, but there is certainly a Boundary Creek country has been signed, good deal in the wind.

British Columbia is Prospering. and the contractors will go to work with-Dr. Kramer, President of the Hamilton miles of road from Robson to Midway, will Powder Company, who returned yesterday out delay. The work, which comprises 100 be undertaken by three firms, Messrs. Mc- from the coast, states that no province in Kenzie and Mann, Messrs. Foley Bros. and the Dominion is now enjoying the same de-Mr. Peter Larson. The names are a suffi- gree of prosperity as British Columbia and cient guarantee that the contract will be adds that the people hope that the ald of successfully pushed to completion, the time the Local Legislature, together with the given being to Dec. 31 next. McKenzie moral support of the Dominion Government, and Mann are well known all over Canada; will ensure the construction of the rail-

Foley Bros. are St. Paul people, who have done work on the Crow's Nest line, while Carranza and That Letter. Carranza and That Letter. Senor Carranza was seen to-day by your Mr. Peter Larson constructed the whole of the Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway correspondent and he declares that the for Mr. Corbin, so there need be little translation of his letter, as given out in doubt that the great ore deposits of the Washington, is totally misleading. He de-Boundary Creek district will be brought nies in toto the truth of the statement into close communication with the railway that he had kept General Blanco posted, system of Canada by the end of the pre- and states that he wrote that the Amerisent year. It is stated that the 100 miles cans were seeing spies on every hand, and of road will cost at least \$3,000,000. There not what appeared in the Washington verwill be four tunnels on the line, one of sion. Senor Carranza laughs at the idea

of the Americans demanding his expulsion from British territory. He maintains that he has been doing nothing to warrant any There are important rumors affoat here such action on the part of the Canadian to-day to the effect that the Canadian Paci- authorities. It is understood that Magisfic Railway has been called upon to take a trate Lefontaine will to-morrow acquit Dehand in the fast line negotiations, and that tective Joe Kellert from any complicity in the matter will be settled during the pre- the letter stealing matter, although His sence of Sir William Van Horne and Mr. Honor has not yet done so.

R. B. Angus in London. Rumor does not Declared to Be an Exaggeration.

say, however, whether the C.P.R. will assist Petersen, Tait & Co. to float the Chapleau is dying is an exaggeration. The scheme, or will secure the transfer of the ex-Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec has not contract. Lord Strathcona and Mt. Royal been a well man for some time, having had

Square and a National Library Bearing His Name.

Fast Line and C.P.R.

New York, June 5 .- Many are the ways and means suggested of doing honor in some substantial manner to the late Mr. Gladstone. Referring to the subject Mr. Frederic, in his cabled letter to The Times,

THE SUNDAY WORLD

In are so great a noeman would be ruly nonorede by the founding or amplifying of a
great collection of books to bear his name.
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there is no hope of material reform. before midgnight Saturday, and is brimful of library in the National Liberal Club. news and instructive reading. The circula- Though this is at present practically only like ex-President Reitz, whom President seemed to leap across the harbor on trance. The flagship was too far away to hear the reports, and when the firing ceased it was judged that Hobson had blown up the Merrimac. ahead of Monday morning's papers. It is stone as a memorial of himself. This is a paper that is constantly asked for so, and to the great body of reading Lib"When Mr. Cecil Rhodes wins his politithrough the week. If you cannot get it at erals the library is easily accessible. Yet cal battles in Cape Colony, and when Rho-

were contested Saturday, 36 hours ahead of Monday morning's papers.

Fetherstenhaugh & Co., patent seliciters at Dineens' is best known to the public in connection with Men's Silk Hats. The distinction of the great house in this respect rests upon the great house in this respect res

Brought Pat O'Brien Back. Detective Black has returned from Niagara Falls with Pat O'Brien, who had in his possession a bicycle stolen from A. E. Wright, 3 St. Vincent-street.

Friday morning, June 3, in his 46th year, Edward D. Boswell, President of the Temiscouata Railway.

Funeral at Riviere du Loup on Monday, June 6.

LEE—Suddenly, on Saturday night, June 4, 1898, Sophia, widow of the late Capt. Limited, Toronto Branch 38 Front-street Limited Street Limited St

Talk of a Monument in Parliament Kruger's Authority is Absolute and the Outlook is Not Reassuring to Englishmen.

New York, June 5.-The London correspondent of The Evening Post says: "Ex-Chief Justice Kotze of the Transvaal this week brings to London his conflict with President Kruger, which may prove the pivot of important developments in ays:
"Many ways have been proposed this the near future, The views which Mr. week of doing public and permanent honor Kotze has laid before Mr. Chamberlain are to Gladstone's memory, and two sugges-

would be an institution to which all English-speaking men would have easy access."

desia is proved to be a rich gold country, when General Kitchener is at Khartoum, France is conciliated in West Country,

a few local showers or thunderstorms,

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