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Their Excursions — Another Long Sarah Bernhardt has arrived here Their Excursions - Another Long Ucean Race Arranged - Philadelphia to Calcutta - British Day at the World's Fair.

tions there for years. The law provides that if one is caught in the act of stealing cattle the offender shall be shot on the spot. A great many of the thieves have their rendezvous in Texas, at the home of some Texan rancher. They make their raids on Mexican ranchers at night and drive the cattle across the river to the ranches which they own. The stolen stock is then removed and started on the trail to northern markets.

Another Big Ocean Race. Philadelphia, July 28.—An ocean race for 15,000 miles for a purse of \$35,000 in gold between three large ships engaged in the carrying traffic will be begun today. The vessels are all British, the Wanderer, Osborne and Glencoe. They each carry 125,000 cases of petroleum. Their destination is Calcutta. The Wanderer will leave to-day and the others follow to-morrow. The winner should be heard from in about four months.

At the World's Fair.

Chicago, July 28.—The attendance at the fair yesterday was 103,651. The cool weather makes a perceptible increase in the World's Fair attendance, and it is expected that the low rates which will go into effect in the western territory on Aug. 1st, will greatly augment the gate receipts. The survivors of the feverish gold hunting period of '49 are to hold a reunion at the World's Fair on Aug. 5, at the California building. By the courtesy of California the pioneers of Chicago have been tendered the freedom of the California building on that day, and it is the intention to make it a day of note in the history of the World's Fair; it ll be known as Pioneer Day at the California building. Arrangements for the observation of British day on Aug. 9th, at the fair are progressing satisfactorily. The committee will endeavor to have every country and dependency of Queen Victoria's empire now represented in Chicago, in the line of procession and on the stove. The liquid exploded and the exposition will be drawn from to furnish its quota, including the inhabitants the room. Maggie Mitchell was burned of the streets of Cairo, the Bedouins, the Soudanese and the men from India. McDonald was burned in trying to res-The attaches of the various British and cue the young woman. Joe Hussel wind TO MINOR LINE

Quarrels Every Day. World's Fair Grounds, Chicago, July 28.—The daily rows that take place in the board of lady managers, continue with increasing intensity, and a source of considerable amusement to the visitors attracted to the sessions of the board by those disturbances. The last wrangle out the country and on every side much is regarded somewhat more seriously than the previous quarrels of the lady managers, since the number of female commissioners have found it necessary to appeal to the national commission for ber for North Aberdeen, who desired Mr. not to confirm any more of the women est delicacy; the occurrence had that all appeal to the female committee on award have been intentionally ignored, and is signed by Phoebe Cousins of Missouri, Florida: Mrs. Cunningham, of North Carolina; Mary E. Davis, of Nevada; Mrs. Beeson, of Oklahama; Isabella Beecher Hoker, of Connecticut, and Mrs. W. B. McConnell, of North Dako-The national commision referred the ommunication to the committee on awards, but the protesting women will insist that special congnizance be taken of them.

The Sheriff is Afraid. Atlanta, Ga., July 28-Sam Jenkins of Bourke county went to Osceola, Fla., where he shot the town marshal and then returned home. He was joined by his three brothers and they fortified their house. The governor of Florida made a requisition on the governor of Georgia and the latter ordered the arrest of Jen-The sheriff, some days ago, telegraphed Governor Northen that the Jenkins brothers were armed and that he did not know what to do. He was or begin to multiply in an alarming dedered to summon every man in county if necessary. Yesterday and today the sheriff reports that he has the he is sure to be fired on. The governor is at his wits' end to know what to do with a sheriff who is afraid to make an arrest for fear some one gets hurt.

Wrecked in Canadian Waters. Washington, D. C., July 28 .- The resident has issued a proclamation reiting the various acts of congress reating to salvage of vessels wrecked in anadian waters contiguous to the Unitd States, and declaring that the condins prescribed therein have been fulfilled, and permitting Canadian vessels in case of wreck to be aided by Canalian wreckers.

Caused by a Cloud Burst. Puebla, Cal., July 28.-The Arkansas iver overflowed its banks on Wednesday night owing to a cloud burst, which emptied many tons of water into the streams. In a few minutes the streets were filled with frantic people and the vildest excitement prevailed. The ragevee on the main stream, undermined the foundations and carried away the uildings. A 30-foot gap was made, brough which the water rushed, flood-Rescuers manned boats and ments.

pulled to the relief of the unfortunates, who were huddled upon the roofs. The fire department is also at work.

LABIN AMERICA.

Trial of Admiral Wandelkolk-Capture Valparaiso, July 28 .- A council of war been convened, with Baron Freyherna

presiding. Buenos Ayres, July 28.-Vice-President Chihuahu's New Law Against the Uriburu has been sent to Corrientes to disarm the provincial troops there. It is reported he found many arms which had been secreted. He asked and ob-

Panama, Colombia, July 28.—Telegrams received here to-day confirm the report of the capture of Monogna, Nicaragua, by the revolutionists. Details of the capture have just been received. There was hard fighting and great loss Chihuahua, Mexico, July 28.—The legislature of the state of Chihuahua has just passed a law which, if enforced, will mand of Policarpo Bonilla, who lately rerid a considerable portion of the Rio organized the revolutionary movement in Grande border of the cattle thieves and his own country, fought with the troops smugglers who have committed depreda- from Leon. During the fight the troops from Leon were much more enthusiastic than those from Granada. It is reported that during the fight a detachment from one of the government's garrisons in Monogna deserted and joined the Leon

> General Zavala with the government troops has gone to Granada. A strong defence will probably be made in the

The United States steamer Alliance arrived here to-day from Callao. She is

bound for Corinto, Nicaragua. Panama, Colombia, July 28 .-- President Bermudez will to-day assemble the Peruvian congress, and the event is to be made a national celebration in honor of the president's victory over a faction headed by one Caceres. The latter desires the presidential office, and for this purpose he has incited disturbances to throw discredit on his opponents. His methods have, however, proved a boomerang, as is shown by the popularity of

Cherokee Strip Settlement. Topeka, Kas., July 28.—The government surveyors who are in charge of the location of county seats and land offices in the Cherokee strip are under instructions from Washington to have their report filed by Aug. 1st, and it is thought the proclamation opening the territory to settlement will be issued about Aug. 10th. The date of the opening is to be hastened on account of the labor trouble in Kansas and the miners' distress in Colorado. It is expected there will be a great rush to the strip.

Burned to Death. Pittsburg, July 28.—Two persons are dead and several injured as the result of a fire on the south side at 2:30 this afternoon. An unknown Polish girl was probably fatally burned and an unknown peddler very dangerously. The to death and others cannot recover. Chas. colonial legations and exhibitors will par- lived on 8th street and dropped dead while running to the fire, which spread, will not make this country responsible rapidly to the adjoining rooms, and in for the internal affairs of the islands. rapidly to the adjoining rooms, and in less than 30 minutes the building was in-

> Last Night's Free Fight. London, July 28 .- The hand-to-hand conflict in the house of commons last night made a deep impression throughregret is expressed that the affair should have occurred. The matter came up in the house to-day on a question asked by Wm. Alexander Hunter (Liberal), mem-

relief from the alleged injustice of the Gladstone to appoint a committee to incommittee on awards. On this appeal quire into the affair. Mr. Gladstone the national commission was requested said the question was one of the greatjudges' awards until each state and ter- ed a very serious fact in the history itory had been represented. The com- of the house. He would consider the munication concludes with a statement point and give an answer next week in reference to the appointment of a committee of inquiry.

Speculated and Lost. New York, July 28.-Julius Blanckensee, agent for the late Captain George Wiltse, United States navy, and who at one time was clerk on the cruiser Boston, was sentenced to five years and six months in States' prison by Recorder Smyth this morning. He pleaded guilty several weeks ago to stealing \$11,007 from Mrs. Wiltse, property entrusted to him, and he speculated in the markets.

Warts From Head to Foot. Baltimore, Md., July 28.-The second case known to medical science of a human being covered with warts from head to foot has just been brought to light in this city. The case is that of Lizzie Kench, a girl of 13, an extraordinary mature child for her age, and until within a few months an ordinary specimen. The warts first appeared eight gree. Within the past eight months, however, they have spread until every inch of her skin is covered with them, house surrounded, but that if he moves | The only similar case known is that of

a museum freak. Killed by Lightning.

Kingston, Ont., July 28.-The funeral of the late John Leacock of Frankville, killed by lightning on Saturday, was the largest ever seen in that section. The Orange order conducted it. Last Saturday Mr. Leacock and his second eldest son had been working in a hay field at the south end of the farm. They saw the storm approaching and started for They had gone some distance, when the saw they could not reach the house before the storm overtook them, and turned back to take shelter in a barn. They had only proceeded a few rods and were turning out of the lane towards the barn, when Mr. Leacock was struck. The boy was on horseback about four rods ahead of his father and hull of the ill-fated Victoria, which sank total number. escaped unhurt, although the horse was stunned by the shock and fell on his knees. The lightning apparently struck waters tore their way through the Mr. Leacock on the back of the head, the hair being singed and the right side of his moustache was burned off. His watch chain was burned in two, but strange to say, the watch did not stop. ing the thickly-settled points of the bot- His boots were fairly torn into shreds C. A. Crafer, secretary of the associa- law Cris. Evans. The reward for the Other openings were worn out and the rails of the fence for a long distion, and Capt. Stephen Jerran, of the capture of Sontag has been paid, but the

Close All Siam's Ports.

All Quiet at Bangkok Last Night, Though Natives Hostile.

French Gunboats Leave Menain River-Cleveland Expected to Oppose Hawaiian Annexation—The Islands Will Probably Come Under American Pro- ing suit.

Paris, July 28.—It, is announced that A Malefactor Twice Placed in the Chair the French blockade of the Siamese coast will be put in operation to-day. Fifteen hundred troops forming the foreign legion are ordered to hold themselves in eadiness to depart for Siam. Bangkok, July 28.—The night passed

against foreigners in the city is strong. There were no disorders; anxiety as to the outcome of the struggle continues. The French gunboats passed the bar outward from the Menam river last night. They will rendezvous with other vessels of the Indo-China squadron under Admiral Humann off the Island of Koh-Si-Chang, near the head of the Gulf of Siam. Trade is at a standstill, and there are no merchant vessels in the river. London, July 28.—It is rumored here that there are dissensions in the French cabinet growing out of the troubles in It is said some ministers are dis-

satisfied because the blockade was not forced with more promptness, and they reproach their colleagues for recalling the French gunboats from Bangkok. Report has it that the deliberations of council was held because of the presence there of President Carnot, have been marked by a number of violent ister, is ascribed to his knowledge of the assurances he has received from French ministers who are in favor of using moderation in the treatment of Siam.

Washington, July 28.-A special message on Hawaijan matters will be sent Congress in September. Minister Blount's final report is due here by the time the President returns. The whole Hawaiian subject will be discussed at a cabinet meeting during the coming week, with a view to a treaty for transmission to Congress together with Mr. Blount's report. What the President's recommendations will be are still unknown as to details. One thing is certain, he will not favor annexation, and from the tenor of Minister Blount's reports already received at the state department there is not even the slightest suspicion that he will recommend annexation. All the hints so far dropped by the state department officials point to a treaty contemplating the moral support of the United States to an extent which will prevent interference fro the other powers, but at the same time

ENGLISH COLLIERS.

Will Resist a Proposed Heavy Reduction of Wages. London, July 28.—The intention of the mine owners of the United King-24 hours. A quarter of a million priners have been represented in the conference which has been in progress in London for the past week, and the sentiment of the delegates has been de-

owners. In anticipation of an intention on the part of the latter to accumulate a large stock in order to take advantage of the rise in prices incident to a suspension of operation, the conference ordered all miners who had not been notified of a reduction in wages to quit work until the 28th, when they might resume if the old scale was maintained. Upon the question of the attitude of the gathering representing 200,000 men signified their opposition. Work has already been suspended in a large number of mines, and it is probable that the suspension will be general to-morrow except in Northumberland and Durham, where the men are just recovering from the effects of a protracted lock-out, and Cleveland and Cumberland, which are not included in

the proposed reduction. London, July 28.-In accordance with the decision of the miners' federation the great strike of English coal miners began to-day at a majority of the pits. No disorder was reported from any quarter. Something like 350,000 men are directly affected by the strike.

Gardens Suffering.

The residents of James Bay are com plaining of the inefficient police patrol in that district. Gardens are being ruined by flower thieves, who are daily becoming bolder.

An Unprecedented Performance. On June 13th, 1893, between the hours of 6:54 a.m., and 4:42 p.m. (9 hours and 48 minutes) 807 messages were passed in one direction over one of the Commercial Cable Company's main Atlantic cables, 2388 miles long, being an average of 82.2 messages per hour. This rate

worthy of bringing to the notice of the London, July 28.—The officials of the royal navy have for some time been per cent of the suicides were male, and Lost Forever. considering the possibility of raising the hanging was chosen by over haif of the in the eastern end of the Mediterranean Sea near Tripoli on June 22nd. It now seems that the situation could not have been fully understood when the inquiries were instituted, as the report of the Sal- & Co., as well as citizens of other states, vage Association of Great Britain holds have filed a bill in equity in the circuit that the feat is simply impossible. The court yesterday to determine the ownerdocument is issued on the authority of and the business portion of the city tance were burned and torn into frag royal naval reserve. Among other state other reward is claimed by two sets of Godwin, who keeps a small jewelry store as their word and soon scattered, some ments of the report says that the vessel men.

lies too deep. Referring to the pro-posal of a Frenchman to build a craft to go under the water to raise her they say that such a plan is too visionary to he seriously considered. The depth is French Ships Will Proceed to too great for anything with life to stand Unconditional Acceptance of the the pressure. The greatest depth yet reached was 25 fathoms, and that cost the diver his life. It was a vessel los in the Canaries which carried \$500,000 to try Rear Admiral Wandelkolk has PREPARING THE FOREIGN LEGION in specie, \$400,000 of which was saved. The association is now looking for a diver who will go down 23 fathoms, but has so far been unable to do so, notwithstanding that a liberal percentage of the \$90,000 in the wrecked vessel has been offered as a reward. The Victoria lies in 70 fathoms, where the pressure is equal to that of ten atmospheres, or enough to crush anything short of a solid piece of metal, to say nothing of a human body clad only in a rubber div

HORRORS OF ELECTROCUTION.

of Death. Auburn, N. Y., July 27 .- An execution by the electric method took place here to-

day, which marked a complete failure of the apparatus provided by the state, and quietly although the native feeling which turned the scene in the death spectators. The murderer in hand was a colored man, William Taylor, convictof the cold-blooded killing of a fellowconvict. It was 12:40 o'clock when the him to the death chamber. When all was ready the signal was given and the current was turned on. Taylor's powerful frame shot back and up in the chair, until the straps creaked and simultaneously there was a crash, unike anything heard before. The strain upon the boot rest had broken it and the under pinning of the chair gave way. The body sank to a receding posture, with the feet resting on the floor. The spectators were startled but did not move. Everybody supposed the victim was dead from the cabinet at Marly le Roy, where a the first shock, when a strange noise was heard. Taylor began to gasp for breath and saliva was seen to exple from his mouth. "Turn on the current," was The conciliatory attitude of the command of the warden, and electri-Lord Rosebery, the British foreign min- cian Davis tried to obey, but was dumbfounded to find no response to the turn French cabinet dissensions, and to the ing of the lever; the dynamo had broken down. The labored breathing of the victim continued and his chest rose and fell convulsively. Davis hastened outside to the dynamo to ascertain the trouble and found the armature had burned out and could be used no more that day. The victim was now gasping and groaning aloud. He was unbound and placed upon a cot and carried into the adjoining room. His pulse grew stronger and he endeavored several times to rise from the cot. The physicians said he was unconscious when taken from the chair, pre cisely like a man with apoplexy. would recover, they thought, and the only way to carry out the sentence of the law was to again place him in the chair. Linemen quickly connected the prison apparatus with the city electric light plant, and in an hour all was ready for the second electrocution. Taylor continued to grow stronger, and was given an injection of morphine. A small dose of chloroform was also given; he was then carried bodily to the chair, ped in a sitting posture. The current was then turned on, the body straightened up, and for half a minute 1240 volts coursed through Taylor's form. He was

then pronounced dead. Portland, July 27:-Rev. O. D. Taylor, Baptist preacher at The Dalles, who was horsewhipped a few days ago by an irate schoolma'am to whom he owed dom to make a reduction of 25 per cent. \$100, was yesterday arrested and brought in wages goes into effect to-day, and as to this city, accused of embezzling \$50, a result it is likely that some 200,000 000, funds of the Interstate Investment miners will quit work within the next | Company, of which he has been for a long time manager. Taylor is president of the Wasco Independent academy at The Dalles. He owed \$100 to Miss Hol comb, a teacher in the academy, and refused to pay. Miss Aqua, a warm friend cidedly hostile to the attitude of the of Miss Holcomb, took up the latter's fight and laid the whip on the clergyman in vigorous style. The Dalles Times. speaking of the occurrence, says:-"We have rarely seen such an exhibition of public sympathy as was extended to the young lady who horsewhipped O. D. Taylor this afternoon. At one time excitement ran so high that many believe, if a leader had assumed command, a riot would have resulted, and the reverend gentleman would have been the victim. toward the proposed action delegates While the act is to be deplored, very many express the opinion that Taylor received no more than he deserved. There are many people from the East in the city who have been deluded out of their earnings by his promises in regard to investments at North Dalles, and these have no friendly feeling towards the gentleman.

American Judges. Chicago, July 28.-A somewhat ommon method of nominating judges, which has been successfully tested on several previous occasions, is in progress at the headquarters of the Chicago Bar Association to-day. Eight judges are to be elected this fall, and according to the conditions of the bar prim ary each member is requested to vote for four candidates from each of the dominant parties. Upon previous occasions when the lawyers have manifested their choice in this manner the Democratic and Republican conventions have ratified their nominations, thus avoiding a party fight on the issue and securing non-partisan judiciary.

French Suicides. Paris, July 28.-After an unprecedented delay the government has issued the official report of the administration of eriminal justice for the year 1891. The of speed of transmission has never been delay may possibly be explained by the equalled, a fact which the company deems startling nature of certain portions of its contents. The chapter devoted to the subject of suicides gives the total number of acts of self-destruction as 8,180, or 21 to every 100,000 inhabitants, an

Evans and Sontag. Los Angeles, Cal., July 29.-The Southern Pacific Co. and Wells, Farge ship of \$5,000 for the capture of out-

French Ultimatum.

FOR THE SAKE OF PEACE AND TRADE

France Admits to Britain the Illegality of Blockade.

Assuring Great Britain That British Commerce Was Not Threatened-Free Entry Across the Menam Bar Promised That Nation's Ships-Mr. Gladstone Takes a Holiday.

Bangkok, July 29.-The Siamese Government has accepted the full terms of

the French ultimatum. London, July 29.—The Siamese legation in this city has received a dispatch from Bangkek stating in effect that the Siamese Government. learning that chamber to one of absolute horror to the France regards its reply to the ultimatum as a refusal to grant the French demands, and with the desire of maintaining peace, has telegraphed instructions to the Siamese minister at Paris to inwarden invited the witnesses to follow form M. Deville, French foreign minister, that Siam accepts the ultimatum in its entirety. The dispatch adds that the Siamese Government hopes the blockade will cease, that diplomatic negotiations will be resumed and that an early settlement of the troubles will be effected. Bangkok, July 29.-It is stated here that Great Britain protested to France that the threatened blockade of the Siamese coast would not be a legal act and that France conceded the point made by Great Britain. France, it is said, has undertaken that British commerce shall in no wise be interfered with by French warships. British vessels will

> sents a more peaceful aspect. The Ford's Theatre Disaster. Washington, July 28.-In the criminal court No. 1 to-day before Judge Cole, Col. Frederick Ainsworth, in charge of the record of pensions office, war department; George W. Dant, contractor; Wm. E. Covert, superintendent, and Francis Sasse, engineer, were arraigned upon an indictment recently returned by the grand jury, holding them responsible for the fatal disaster at Ford's Old Theatre building on the morning of June 9th last, and charging each of them with man-

be allowed to cross the Menam bar in-ward for Bangkok. The city to-day pre-

slaughter. The defendants pleaded not guilty with a stipulation which was agreed to by the district attorney. They might, on or before the 15th of September next, withdraw that plea and enter any other plea or motion they might see fit. It is understood the defendants under this stipulation will, when the case again comes up, demur to the indictment or move to quash them. After several pleas had been entered District Attorney Birney gave notice that several cases would be the usual crowd present during the arraignment, and there was no demonstra-tion of any kind or evidence of unusual interest shown.

A Hardy Norseman's Cruise. Rahway, N.J., July 28 .-- Charles Paulson, a building contractor of this place, will attempt to cross the Atlantic about the middle of August in a sixteen-foot Norwegian skiff. She has two watertight compartments, one at each end, and large rubber tubes will be stretched under the decks to add to the buoyancy of the boat. She will be sloop rigged. Paulson is an experienced sailor and has been wrecked eight times. In one of the sea wrecks he was out in an open boat for 13 weeks before being picked up. Instead of sailing towards the Azores he will take a northern course. He does not intend to take enough hard tack, his only food, to last through the journey, but expects to get directly in the track of the Atlantic liners and depend on them for food and water He calculates on reaching the Shetland Islands in 30 days, and then sailing over to the Skattegat and and thence to Christiania, his parents'

The Bulls and Bears. New York, July 28.-Prices at the stock exchange opened at an advance of 1-4 to 11-2 per cent. as compared with yesterday's closing. Big Four, Chicago Gas, Rock Island, St. Paul, General Electric, Lake Shore and Manhattan scored the greatest improvement. market was favorably influenced by higher cables from London. Talk about gold imports and a reduction in the posted rate for 60 days bull to 4.81. After the first rush to buy stock had been satisfied the traders tried the bear tack. The selling continued for some time, but there was no excitement, and after the offerings had been absorbed there was a rally of 1-2 to 11-2 per cent., the latter in Manhattan and Lackawanna. At 11 a.m. the market was again easier in tone.

Mr. Gladstone's Headquarters. London, July 29.-Lord Rosebery, secretary of state for foreign affairs, was at the foreign office at a very early hour this morning, and remained there several hours. Mr. Gladstone has concluded that his presence in London is now not necessary, and he has gone to make a promised visit to Stuart Rendal, at Hatchlands, near Guildford.

Invited to Inspect Canada. London, July 29.—In the press of day Sir Charles Tupper, on behalf the minister of the interior, invites 12 English farmers or qualified laborers to visit Canada during August or September at the expense of the Dominion to examine and report upon the agricultural resources of the country as far as possible. The delegates will be selected from counties not represented in previous delegations.

Ready on Monday.

Ottawa, July 29.-It was learned at the agricultural department to-day that the statistics for the government of British Columbia in regard to the census will be completed on Monday

Could Not Waken Him.

Toronto, July 29.-E. B. Guest has been in the habit of awakening John

went to awaken his neighbor, and was horrified to find he was dead. A week ago the deceased received from England something over \$600, but when found this morning he had not a cent, having spent it all. Rats had eaten one of his eyes, and the tip of one of his fingers. The deceased was last seen alive on Thursday evening.

Desolation in Its Track. Charlottetown, P.E.I., July 29.—A cyclone swept Hanlee Grove, near Charlottetown, yesterday. The tornado cut a path half a mile wide and swept everything before it. Two barracks were destroyed, and desolation marked the track of the storm.

War on the Dead Heads. World's Fair Grounds, Chicago, July 29.—The attendance yesterday was 77,-606. The efforts to reduce the free list to the fair are proving so successful that Superintendent Tucker of the department of admissions predicts that under the revision now taking place, at least 10,000 passes will be cut off. People who are conscious of their questionable right to free admission have been making the most of their passes since orders for revision and reduction were issued, the attendance from this source having jumped from 30,000 to 40,000 a day. order cutting off old passes will go into effect on August 1st, it is expected that after that date daily free admissions will fall to 20,000. A new feature was introduced this af-

ternoon, at the weekly prize contest Lady Aberdeen's village. members of the police and fire departments competed in running, walking, sack and wheelbarrow races. There was also the usual jig dancing for prizes, The sports of old Ireland have proved such an attraction it has been necessary to enlarge the village. The grass plot in the next street has been enclosed in the castellated wall, and the entrance is now made from the street through a massive castle gate. This additional space affords the needed room for competitors and spectators. Another space at the west end of the village has been put under roof and floored. Spectators will be sheltered, and in bad weather there will be dancing.

Choked at the Table. Hepworth, Ont., July 29.-Robert Reid, a saw miller, was chatting with his granddaughter at the dinner table yesterday, when a piece of meat stuck in his throat and choked him. Efforts to remove it were futile, and he died in three

SPANISH AMBRICA.

minutes.

Ruins of Mala-Nicaragua's Revelt-

Brazilian Turmoil City of Mexico, July 29.—Dr. Nicholes Leon, the archaeologist, in view of the probable complete destruction of the ruins of Mala by the elements, is preparing a complete series of large-sized photographs, with explanatory text, and is asking the newspapers to urge the government to take action to preserve these in-

teresting ruins of former civilization.
Panama, Colombia, July 29.—A dispatch from San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua, called for trial at the beginning of the says that it is expected that Granada, which had been repaired, and was strapter in October next. There was only now held by the government troops, will capitulate before many hours. The situation of the government troops at Gran-ada is said to be serious, details not being obtainable because communicatio with the interior is interrupted. Gen. Zeraloa, leader of the revolutionary forces, has occupied Mesayo in addition to Managua, having taken each town after hard fighting and the loss of many lives. His force is besieging Granada with so much determination that news of its capitulation may be expected any moment. According to the latest news from all points the outlook for Nicaragua

could not be worse. Rio de Janeiro, July 29.-Definite news concerning the situation is that the government is afraid to let the warships leave that port. It depends almost entirely on the presence of the officers and men. It is generally believed that the discontent in Rio de Janeiro is caused by partisans of the late Emperor Dem Pedro. There is great activity at the arsenals and all the warships are being out in fighting trim.

The United States cruiser Philadelphia has sailed from Rio de Janeiro, and is expected at Valparaiso pext week. Chihuahua, Mex., July 29.—The Yaqui Indians have been very active Juring the last four weeks, and reports have reached military headquarters here of numerous depredations upon the white and Mexican settlers. A few days ago a party of the Yaquis visited a ranch in one of the valleys of the Sierra Madre and murdered the owner and his sister and robbed the ranch. A detachment

of government troops was sent. Oaxaca, Mexico, July 29.—The Chinese living in Media, the capital of this state, have been removed to a remote and guarded quarter to protect them the wrath of the white people, who have heard that the Chinese have been killing and eating little children.

General Dispatches. Sydney, July 28.-A dispatch from Brisbane says Great Britain has annexed the Solomon Islands.

Brindisi, Italy, July 28.—The Maharajah Taitai Braga committed suicide by poison on his arrival here by steamer. The supposed cause of the act was the theft of a casket containing all his jewels and money. He was 19.

St. Petersburg, July 28.-An imperial ukase issued to-day forbids the killing or capture of fur seals on Russian land without special permission from the government. Persons violating this decree or engaged in unlawful pelagic sealing will render themselves liable to imprisonment of from 20 days to six months and the forfeiture of their ships, equipment and the sealskins already taken. cases of unlawful poaching on seal life on Russian ground will be referred to a judicial tribunal in Vladivostock.

Fleeing From Colorado.

Kansas City, Mo., July 29.-Chief of Police Spears, acting under authority of the state law forbidding railway companies to bring paupers into the state, intercepted at the state line the 300 unemployed men from Colorado who started for this city from Denver last night. There was a disposition on the part of the Colorado men to resist the police at first, but they finally agreed not to stop in Kansas City, and the train was aflowed to proceed to Union station. After disembarking the men were as good