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reh 16.-Captain Comings has secured three steamers connection with the transallway between Seattle and er forming a connecting link the United States and Asia. es each have a capacity for or hundred tons of feeight, undred passengers, and tened, costing approximately each. They are now en Seattle via Magellan straits the first of May. J. F. rth, she explored the route of ans Alaskan from Ilimna bay Clarence, has gone to Wash-

The Girl is Pretty

fork, Feb. 16.-Walter S. young commission mertre found dying in a room of s Island hotel last midnight, red soon after being removed in the room the gas med on, evidently with the inof creating the theory of suiof Broops had a bullet in his Florence Burns, a handsome rirl, has been arrested as

Daylight Robbery

e Feb. 16.-Masked robbers y in daylight entered the cre of Mrs. Bernstein and the till of \$50, using revolvers date the occupants of the the it was being ransacked.

Mrs. Soffel's Plea.

R.Pa. Feb. 4.-Realizing that wined her husband, Mrs. not wish to bring further wad humiliation upon him. sires a change of venue te faces justice. In tears and aw may place upon her, but ot want the punishment adand pleaded with Mr. Robb two hours to grant her sh She begged in the name

I m way to blame for her Sold told the attorney that to a bad woman. She said she knew that she had

shand, who is Mr. Robb's

and told him that her husband

burden of sorrow and dis- was brown. al could not make any defito her at this time. had finished her pleadings questioned her with parice to the places where refuge in their flight. She but refused to make any reted with the plot.

eds Larger Pension.

s, Cal., Feb. 4.—Reports nurse. Her general health, and family in Scotland.

mont has been receiving government a pension of ghter, Miss Fremont, un- the Missouri supreme court.

til the severe accident which rendered her helpless and made necessary many extra expenses incident to such a

Now Miss Fremont says that the pension is not sufficient for their needs, and is looking hopefully to the time when her mother's claim to a tract of land in the city of San

Supporting the Bill.

Washington, Feb. 4. - The senate committee on immigration today heard further arguments on the subject of Chinese exclusion, ex-Governor Another Connecting James H. Budd of California appearing in behalf of the Mitchell-Kahn bill, which he siad was simply a modification of the stateutes in existence. He said there was nothing radical in it.

Andrew Furuseth, on behalf of the eamen, spoke of the unreliability of the Chinese sailors in time of emergencies on ship board. He cited the collision between the City of Chester and the Oceanic in the Golden Gate. The former vessel manned by American seamen, was sunk, but the Oceanic's Chinese crew rendered no assistance, having become terrorized and it remained for some of the American seamen of the Chester to go to the Oceanic, man her boats and enter upon the work of rescue. He also cited the case of the United States transport Lennox, disabled in the Pacific. whose Chinese crew refused to man the boats to bring assistance.

Mr. Furuseth, in answer to Mr Penrose, held that the ship subsidy bill as it stands now, would not have a tendency to bring more sailors aboard ships or to ameliorate or improve their condition. He declared that he had obtained information from an official in the bureau of navigation of the navy that during the war with Spain we had only six properly manned warships. This led to considerable questioning, and Mr. Fairbanks wanted to know the name of the official who gave this information, but Mr. Furuseth could not recall it, saying, however, it could easily be ascertained. Asked to name the warships he had referred to, he could recall but five and mentioned the Oregon, Iowa, Texas, New York and Brooklyn. Ir response to questions by Mr. Clay and Mr. Fairbanks, he said his remarks applied to skilled seamen regardless of nationality.

On one occasion, he said, he visited a government ship at Washington Navy Yard, and out of 21 men aboard her only one was a native American. After fifteen years of careful study he said it was his firm conviction that the United States lost her seamen because of the treatment she gave them and he concluded by saying it was not safe to put the merchant marine of the Pacific into the hands of the Chinese.

President Gompers, speaking in be s pleading she made this half of the Federation of Labor, said to Assistant District Attorn- he desired to correct the impression of Allegheny county, in the that' Chinese exclusion was desired here today. She said she solely by the Pacific Coast states. He go anywhere to have the pun- said it was asked for by all the ormeted out to her for her ganized wage earners regardless of the

Seattle Mystery.

Seattle, Feb. 4.-The body of a foul play, although Coroner Hoye, request is made. who investigated the case, is more inthose of a suicide.

patched to the scene and the body conveyed to the morgue. Coroner would be held for a few days in the hope that it may be identified.

Crew of Lost Condor.

as Mrs. Jessie Banton Fre- ish sloop of war Condor are a num- Majesty's government. ont is crippled and will is the schoolmaster on board, was visiting South Africa, in consulting minals. in be able to walk. Some the only one of his section of the na- with Boer leaders in the field and in she fell, dislocating her hip. val brigade to survive the battle of returning to Europe for the purpose a she has been helpless, so Traspan. He was severely wounded of making known the results of their lking is concerned, and has and was barely convalescent when or- errand, a period of al least three the constant attendance of dered to the Condor. He has a wife months would elapse, during which

To Hang For Rape.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 4. - The Flear and this, together with supreme court today sentenced George able home which the wom- Armstrong to hang in Platte county ornia provided for her some March 14 for rape. This is the first served very well for her- sentence of death for rape passed by

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Francisco, valued at \$50,000, shall be Will England Consider but has threatened her life. She Peace Terms.

> Says That No Foreign Power Must Interfere, or in Any Way Dictate Terms.

London, Feb. 4.-The British government replied to Dr. Kuyper the Dutch premier, that if the Boers in the field desire to negotiate for peace negotiations can be entered into, but only in South Africa. The British government adhers to its intention to not accept the intervention of any foreign power.

The text of the reply of Lord Lansdowne, the British foreign secretary, to the communication of Dr. Kuvper, the premier of the Netherlands, is as

"The Foreign Office

"January 29. "Sir: You were good enough to lay before me January 25 a communication in which it was proposed, with the bringing of the war to an end, his majesty's government might delegates in Holland for the purpose of enabling them to confer with the delegates might return to Europe the present time. ject commends itself to His Majesty's Britishers to man the Columbia.

the communication I received was made on the responsibility of The Netherlands government alone and without authority of the Boer delegates or leaders. His Majesty's government has given it their best consideration and whilst entirely appreciative of the motives of humanity which led the Netherlands government to make this proposal, they feel that they must adhere to the position adopted and publicly announced by them some months after the commencement of hostilities by the Boers; that it was not their intention to accept the intervention of any foreign power in the South African war.

safe conduct before His Majesty's woman was found floating in the bay jesty's government obviously is not in the interchangeable mileage system. this morning at the intersection of a position to express an opinion on Charles street with the grant street such an application until they have bridge. A long gash across the right received it and are aware of the pre-

her sympathy for the waist, and a cheap, black heavy skirt of credence or instruction of a later nished by a delivery company. and heavy buttoned shoes. On the date than March, 1900. His Mar. The fact that the goods had not A workman discovered the floating negotiation, were now completely transmitted to the wholesale houses. body at 8:30 this morning, and at vested in Mr. Steyn for the Boers of once notified the police department, the Orange River Colony and Mr. chief of His Majesty's forces, who has gun. already been instructed to forward. The new tunnel company will lease

postilities would be prolonged and much human suffering, perhaps, need-

lessly occasioned. "I have, etc.

(Signed) "LANSDOWNE." Accuses Her Husband.

cently arrested on her husband's ac- 12,000 acres.

cusation of larceny and later discharged, yesterday filed charges against her former accuser. She seeks a divorce. Statements in her complaint are supported by affidavits

from her son-in-law

Mrs. Donovan alleges that her husband during the last year not only has been guilty of systematic cruelty. claims that at Atlin he beat her until she had to flee for her life, and continued this course of conduct until she was forced to come to her daughter, Mrs. Vashny, of this city, for

Thither, Mrs. Donovan alleges, her husband followed her. She says he persecuted her daughter and son-inlaw in his efforts to reach her at their home, and claims that he haunted the vicinity day and night in his search for her. She further states that he assaulted her in the Northern Pacific depot recently, and she alleges that he has frequently threatened to either shoot her or blow her up with dynamite.-P. I., Feb. 4.

Anxions For a Race.

New York, Feb. 4.-Sir Thomas Lipton is quoted, in a destatch to the Journal from its Loodon correspondent, as saving he has not vet received the letter from C. W. Post, of Michigan, offering to charter the Shamrock to race against the Columbia this year.

"There may be a feeling in the United States that the Shamrock's defeat was due to her crew last year," said Sir Thomas, "and it is is very good of Mr. Post to offer to grant a safe conduct to the Boer man her with Americans to try con-Britishers; but, not having received Boer leaders in South Africa. It is his letter making a specific offer, I suggested that after a conference the am unable to say anything definite at

with power to conclude a treaty of "However, I am always delighted peace with this country, and The to benefit or help sport in any possi-Netherlands' government intimates ble way and I might lend Shamrock that in this event they might at a in the interest of sport, but underlater stage, be instrumental in plac- stand I would not charter my yacht ing the Boer plenipotentiaries in re- at any price. I would, however, lation with plenipotentiaries who agree to lend Shamrock to Mr. Post might be appointed by His Majesty's providing he adequately fitted her out government. The Netherlands gov- at his own expense for a contest with ernment intimates that if this pro- the Columbia if it is possible to send

government they will inquire of the "Frankly, I would rather see a role delegates whether they are prepared between the two yachts this season to make the suggested visit to South with Americans aboard each, which I think would be a better test of the "It may, therefore, be inferred that relative merits of the two boats."

Interchangeable Mileage Tickets.

New York, Feb. 4.-The trunk line association has, it is understood, virtually decided upon the establishment of an interchangeable mileage bureau, to have charge of the preparation and accounting of 2,000 mile tickets, interchangeable on any road in the association. Final arrangements, however, have not been completed.

This action is in response to a petition of more than 20,000 merchants in trunk line territory, submitted to the association through the New York board of trade and transporta-"Should the Boer delegates them- tion. The board has been actively enselves desire to lay a request for a gaged on this movement for some time past and although final details government, there is no reason why have not been arranged, the outlook they should not do so. But His Ma- seems favorable for the adoption of

New York, Feb. 4.-A van loaded side of her face raises the theory of cise nature and terms whereon the with silks, feathers, millinery, furs and general merchandise, said to be "I may therefore point out that it worth \$15,000, sent out by the Amerclined to think that the remains are is not at present clear to His Ma-ican Express Company for wholesale jesty's government that the delegates houses in this city, has been looted. The woman was apparently about retain any influence over the represen-30 or 35 years of age at the time of tatives of the Boers in South Africa horses and vehicle in this city but no with a crime against the her death, and had been in the water or have any voice in their councils. trace of the goods or driver can be had never sinned. She a month or more. The clothing is a They are stated by the Netherlands secured. The driver was not one of hat her act was brought thin blue and white striped shirt government to have no such letters the company's employes but was fur-

third finger of the left hand was a jesty's government, on the other been delivered at their destination usband and would like to large imitation diamond. The hair hand, understood that all the powers was ascertained only when comof government, including those of plaints from the retailers had been

Street Car Terminal.

Butterworth's dead wagon was dis- Schalkburger for those of the Trans- New York, Feb. 4.-A great terminvaal. If this is so, it is evident that al station for New York and New the quickest and most satisfactory Jersey street railways will be built Hoye was then notified and after an means of arranging a settlement west of Sixth avenue, on the blocks would incriminate those who examination, stated that the body would be by direct communication be- between Christopher and Leroy tween the leaders of the Boers in streets, according to the World. The South Africa and the commander-in- purchase of property has already be-

San Francisco, Feb. 4.-Among the immediately any offers he may rethe use of its tracks to the traction talated in the east to the officers and crew of the missing Brit-ceive for the consideration of His companies. The tracks will rise from the tunnel at the Manhattan end to ow of Gen. Fremont, the ber of survivors of the earlier fights "In this connection His Majesty's the surface of the street on a gentle is ill and needy are of the British-Boer war in South At- government has decided that if the incline. This will be constructed on misleading. It is true that rica. Sergt. of Marines Edgson, who Boer leaders are to occupy time in two blocks to be bought for the ter-

> Montana School of Mines. Butte, Mont., Feb. 4.-A special

from Helena to the Miner says : Gov. Toole has been notified in a communication from Binger Hermann, commissioner of the general land office, of the approval of the secretary of the interior of the lands selected for the state school of mines and the agricultural college. The total amount of Mrs. Clara Donovan, the woman re- land embraced in both tracts is over

Schooner Ashore.

Cape Henry, Va., Feb. 4.-The schooner Orland V. Wooten, from Sa vannah for Baltimore, with pine lumber, is ashore at Cape Hatteras. The crew of eight men were rescued by life

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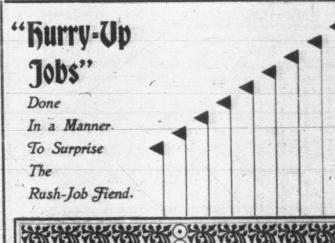
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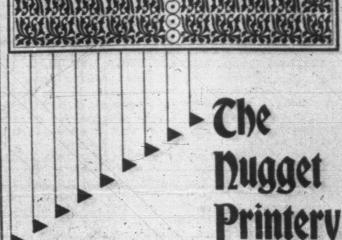
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