lastro the Dictator

w the President of Venezuela Raises Money For the Government.

rchants, Barefooted and in Shackles, Marched Through Streets by Soldiers.

daily dispatch boats arrive

nary intelligence who can learn to knit at once. at a naval demonstration will ing Caraccas. ntract Order Form. national character. Uprisings en place in several districts, but Castro is considered to be able

Castro's Methods

York, April 6.-The Tribune to

as a long article purporting

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astro is revising the constitution his revolutionary policy. He call

his revision of the constitu-

the real president of Vene-

Curacoa, which he has chosen

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How Acosta Was Captured.

pite of the law against this

unishment was shot by Cason February 19th. In Vene-

is asserted. government

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H. B. M'SIVERIN,

Solicitor for Said Company. ted at Ottawa, this 18th day of Janu-SALE-"Oak Farm," Lake District les from Victoria, on West Saanie ad, comprising 51 acres, nearly a litivated, and good buildings. We rther particulars apply to John Black

Price of Their Freedom, \$15,000, another \$20,000 and the third \$30,000, they regained their liberty. They escaped from the country in dis-guise and arrived at Trinidad. In this ay Castro says the funds for conducting the government internal revenues of taxes began to come in.

Another method of raising money is

charging business men with conspiring against the government and confiscating their property. Not long ago a German merchant arrived at Barcelona from Caraceas to collect moneys due on various enterprises in which he was interested. He collected in all \$12,000. Castro heard of this, and gave orders

anati, O., April 6.—A dispatch to that the money must not be taken out of the country, and that the collector ages: "Minister Loomis has not must leave the cash with the government," "My must leave the cash with the government, and the money must not be taken out that the money must not be taken out reporting to the war office the finding of an abandoned and destroyed pom-pom show a satisfactory though uncompensation." though dispatches state that he Guaya for San Juan on the cruiser Scorpion, due yesterday It is suspected that the will join the squadron at Cule-well dispatch house arrived.

The man was seized and placed on a stool in a prison yard, where the hot rays of the sun beat upon his bare head and a soldier stood on the side with fixed bayonet, with Orders to Dry Him W.

Orders to Dry Him W.

Another Move. Orders to Run Him Through

There evidently has been if he attempted to escape. After seven y in the departure from La hours of suffering he announced that he Minister Loomis. Naval offiprofess ignorance of the him. This was not enough. The whole \$12,000 or nothing. In the pinch hours bouts of Loomis.

Blanco, the Venezuelan consul the United States, and Blanco for Germany on the next steamer leav-

that a naval demonstration will
He fears the result, because of the foreign interests at the sea statement of the Caraccas. They at once entered Castro's presence and demanded not only every penny of the \$12,000, but the punishment of the officials who had superinpresident's orders,

Cast Into the Rotunda. "Curse all foreigners," Castro is reportween the United States and ed to have said when once General tinues to press the Boers at Vryheid, It comes from a writer in Ayala, the minister of industry, sugnot connected with the pa- gested that foreign money and imm rder that it might be fairly corrected printed, proofs ibmitted to the Venezuelan this city.

The proof of the venezuelan tion should be encouraged to develop venezuela's resources. "I'll annul every concession held by a foreigner in this country," the dictator is alleged to have country," the dictator is alleged to have said, "and sell their concessions over them."

In December he annulled all the conconcerning the methods of the cessions of the various Orinoco concerns, York business men Company and the Shipping & Transportation Company, all American concerns, with headquarters in New York. The reason for the prejudice was that the companies had not carried out the conrepresentatives in Caraccas of e of affairs, have within the last litions named in their contract. Previous to this he had

given to the writer facts long Annulled the Concession Annulled the Concession of the Asphalt Company in the state of Bernudes, a concession which for ten years or more had been yielding the country a large revenue. He then sold the Asphalt property, which had been purchased years before in fee simple from the government of Venezuela. The Asphalt Company protested and carried Asphalt Company protested and carried Chicago are heart today. purchased years before in fee simple from the government of Venezuela. The Asphalt Company protested and carried its case into the Venezuelan court, where it was treated with an adverse decision.

Harry Myers, logger of Howe Sound, has disappeared. He was supposed to have decision. irst act was to pass, according Then the company brought the case to Washington and placed it before the day from Vancouver, and may have been and his little band of volunteers during as done without any pretension sulting the choice of the people.

ng the first week in March he ap-United States government. The state department immediately sent instructions to Loomis, which were carried out to have learned to subjugate their Thus was precipitated the

Meanwhile it is said, by excellent authority, that each of the entire diploon, 18 months ago. He yet to serve the remaining years government daily regarding the state of affairs.

February 20th, 1902. Then, of Venezuela at this port, refused to discuss the contents of the article, saywill enjoy six years more in aking eight years and a half. ing that there was no truth in it. STORMY VOYAGE. Andrade, who is to-day in the

AMan Liner Buenos Ayrean Arrives Safely at Greenock.

Greenock, April 6.-The Allan lin nishment. Crime penalties steamship Buenos Ayrean, Captain risonment for 10 years; but Pitts, from Philadelphia, March 11th, sta, a friend of Andrade and for Glasgow, about whose safety some apprehension was felt, has arrived here.
She reports that she was fogbound out-Castro, who had dared to take ainst Castro, and was the put to death. side of Philadelphia and remained anchored two days. Subsequently the dent of the weekly news- weather was very rough and the ship ently returned from Venewas swept from stem to stern by heavy seas, which smashed the deckhouse and carried away a lifeboat. Her coal became exhausted and her furnaces were fed with maize, cattle fittings, etc.

RAILWAY COMBINE.

There was never any fear felt by those on board regarding the safety of the

New York, April 5 .- Reports that huge railroad combinations are in process of formation were widely circulated here in a certain case to to-day According to all accounts the on that accorded with enterprise involves the greatest combinato-day According to all accounts the stice. These judges tion of capital known in the history of cell and kept there finance. It was said the company would be formed under the laws of New Jersey for the purpose of conducting a general freight and transportation busines throughout the United States, that the company would hold a controlling inter-est in all of the great railway systems and that the management of the road would be vested in the controlling com-

LANDMARK DOOMED.

London, April 6 .- The Black Bull Inn. the last of the ancient hostelries in Hol born, is to be pulled down. It was here that Dickens laid the scene of the nursing experiences of Mrs. Gamp and Betsy Pring, and where the immortal "Sairie," perpetrates so many of her historic expressions. After standing for over 300 years, it is now to make way for modern buildings, which will soon replace all the old haunts.

San Carlos, the old Spanish ison at Maracaibo, where are criminal convicts.

leadings of their families and diately after dinner. Don't forget this.

Without they had again paraded the streets in shackles and barefooted, and with uncovered heads. Having paid over the

vaal Have Abandoned Their Last Gun.

Plumer Is Advancing Towards Pietersburg Boers Move Seat of Government.

London, April 5.-Lord Kitchener,

Bethuli, Orange River Colony, Thursday, April 4 .- A force of Boers under

Lord Kitchener reports as follows t says that President Castro, of the place where he had concealed the the war office: "Col. Plumer has adticla, is unlikely to yield to the deroom unopposed on the way toward

> According to the Pretoria pondent of the Daily Telegraph the Boers have shifted their seat of government from Pietersburg to a point thirtyfive miles northeast.

The Kroonstad correspondent of the tended the torture. Without a word Times, wiring Thursday, says that the Castro paid the money and ordered the preparations are being generally made official, who had only carried out the by the British forces for winter opera-Pressed by French.

Capetown, April 6 .- Gen. French con-

More Cases of Plague. the latter being a Yeoman at Green million dollars.

DISCUSSED RAILWAYS.

Vancouver, April 6.-C. S. Pearson, general superintendent of the Pacific division of the Northern Pacific railway, was in Vancouver to-day, having a long conference with Canadian Pacific railway officials. It is stated on official author-

London, April 6.—The depopulation of India through famine and cholera is assuming alarming proportions. The latest advices from Simla says the census re-Burghers of the Eastern Transturns of the central provinces show a deturns of the central provinces show a decrease of over a million since 1891, wh m an increase of a million and a half might have been expected. It is stated that five millions have died in India since 1896 from causes directly due to the famine. In western India things are even worse. The Oodeypoor state returns show a decrease of 84,000 or 5 per cent. of the population. The state of Bsopaul shows a decrease of 124,000 and so on. In Bombay city the population has

plosion at Cumberland Have Been Buried.

Cumberland, April 6 .- Fifty-four vic-Chinamen were take out of shaft No. 6

Yesterday Moffoda was buried by the Odd Fellows. Robt. Fleck was also buried yesterday, Rev. Mr. Dodds offi-

A Chinaman brought up last night was almost headless, and his hands were ter-The whole of the mine has been exored, and the remaining bodies must be

Chinamen are still in the pit. MANY BUILDINGS BURNED.

age Nearly Quarter Million Dollars.

Lisbon Falls, Maine, April 6 .- A fire Capetown, April 6.—Five corpses of victims of the bubonic plague were found in Capetown to-day Seven additional cases have been officially reported, six of these being Europeans and one of the loss will approach a quarter of a

ANOTHER RAILWAY DEAL.

Salt Lake, April 6-A statement telegraphed from New York last night by A. W. McCune, that the Oregon Shor Line has bought the Utah & Pacific road, is confirmed by the principal stockholders of the Utah & Pacific. The road is 75 miles long, and connects with the Oregon short line at Frisco, Utab. The transaction has caused renewed rumors of a written conditions for a modus vivendipossible southwestern extension by the were agreed upon first between the TO DESTROY THE MERRIMAC.

New York, April 6 .- A dispatch from Santiago de Cuba to the Journal and Advertiser says that the wreck of the collier Merrimac, which was sunk at the

Census Returns Show Decreases in the Japan's **Ultimatum**

Regarding Manchuria Within Stated Period.

Official Statement Published in St. Petersburg-Steps to Preserve Order.

London, April 6 .- The Pekin correspondent of the Daily Express says:
"In order that the requisite military
"Japan is taking measures with a view measures might be taken, it was imat the service of Japan.

"Russia's reply concerning Manchuria vince, proved to be impossible. ing a reply within a stated period. This remonstrance, communicated through the

Official Statements.

St. Petersburg, April 5.-The Official Fire Visits Lisbon Falls, Maine—Damage Nearly Quarter Million

Messenger to-day published a detailed review of the negotiations conducted by the allied powers with the Chinese plenity the allied powers with the Chinese plenity remains faithful to its original and often the allied powers with the Chinese plenity repeated political programme, it will potentiaries at Tien Tsin and Pekin, and of the negotiations that led to the presentation of the French draft of peace conditions, which consisted of twelve points but are not yet concluded. The Russian government then makes the following statement:

"While anticipating an early settlement of the questions affecting the mutual relations between all the powers and China, the Russian government on its part considers it necessary to concern itself with the establishment of a Permanent Order of Things

nese governors of three Manchurian

"With reference to the subsequent institution of a local civil administration. and after a careful consideration of all the circumstances, the Russian government drew up the draft of an agree-

neasures to assure peace in that territory, and to prevent the recurrence of events similar to those of last year. Unfortunately, with the object of stirring up public opinion against Russia. alarmist rumors were circulated in the foreign press regarding the purpose and intentions of the Russian government.

Falsified texts of a treaty establishing

Statement of Revenue and Expena protectorate over Manchuria were quoted, and erroneous reports spread of an alleged agreement between Russia

and China. "As a matter of fact. this agreemen was to serve as a basis for the

Restoration to China, as contemplated by the Russian govern ment, of the provinces of Manchuria which, in consequence of the alarming

Russian troops. to hostilities with Russia. She has er- perative that the question should be tered into an arrangement with Liu Kun settled one way or the other. It was as compared with nine months of the impossible to lay down forthwith the last fiscal year. Deducting the expenditure of the last fiscal year. behalf of the other friendly viceroys and conditions of the evacuation of Man-governors, regarding the course they churia. According to the news received. of \$9,200,000. If the expenditure on will pursue in the way of aiding Japan serious hindrances were placed in the against Russia. It is understood they way of the conclusion of such an agreehave promised to place the telegraphic ment, and in consequence of its acceptcommunications and transport facilities ance by China, which was indispensable for the gradual evacuation of the pro-

being unsatisfactory, the Japanese government has decided," says the Yokohama correspondent of the Daily Mail, that such intention can only be carried wiring Thursday, "after a conference out when the normal situation shall be with the heads of the army and navy completely restored to the empire, and and of the departments of finance and the central government established at foreign affairs, to address a second and the capital, independent and strong more peremptory remonstrance demand- enough to guarantee Russia against a recurrence of the events of last year." The Russian government concludes buried beneath caves. The remains of Geo Walker, one Japanese and eight amounts to an ultimatum."

The Russian government concludes a lengthy statement relating to the Manchurian agreement in these words. "While the Russian government maintains its present organization in Manchuria to preserve order in the vicinity repeated political programme, it will

quietly await the further course of events.' Russians in Manchuria.

London, April, 4.—"By the end of May," says the Moscow correspondent of the Daily Graphic, "the Russian army in Manchuria will number 300,000 men. It is understood that the Russian minister of war, Gem Kouropatkin, reckons upon the possibility of having to dispatch an army corps southward into Corea." Corea."

Open for Discussion. London, April 5.-The Reuters Tele n Chinese territory along the borders of gram company has received the following. dispatch from Pekin, dated April 4th: "China's rejection of the Manchurian temporizing nature, leaving the matter still open to future discussion."

The Daily Chronicle publishes the following the Persian capital. The date of the Count of the Persian capital. The date of the Persian capital of the Persi

lowing dispatch from Berlin: "Count von Waldersee has sent an urgent telegram to Emperor William, imploring harangued the Mohammedan worshiphim to endeavor to hasten the negotiations for the withdrawal of the allied He left his pulpit and led the mob in troops on the ground that it is impossible to prevent quarrels between the wounded when troops arrived and dissoldiers of the different nationalities, persed the mob. The sheik was seized, ment with China providing for the which might at any moment lead to seri-

> formation that has just reached Paris, tionable authenticity, says the Paris cortreaty with China. This step is attributed to the personal instigation of Emperor Nicholas, and is accepted as evidence of his determination to avoid at the present juncture any conflict with Japan. At the same time the present Russian occupation of Manchuria is regarded in Paris, rightly or wrongly, as a parallel case to the Brytish occupawill approach permanency as each year. There was a heavy snowfall here this

Berlin, April 6.—A dispatch to the Cologue Gazette from Pekin, dated Thursday, April 4th, says the Chinese plenipotentiaries have agreed on the punishments of the guilty provincial officials to be demanded by the foreign ministers on account of the murder of

burg, is interpreted almost unanimously by the British press as capable of being sed into a single sentence: here: I remain here," and there is no tion to believe the matter is thus

The Standard, which throughout aas taken a moderate stand, declares that if destroyed by fire last night. The loss, Russia goes back on her promise now \$200,000, is covered by insurance. given as to the integrity of China, she will have to confront not only the protest, but the armed might of the energetic nation which, under the rule of the Mikado, is conscious of its strength to aid the greatness of its destiny. Japan, the paper says, will have the sympathy and support of nearly all the powers interested in the Far East.

The Daily Chronicle makes similar comments in interpreting Russia's policy, of human bodies, for the matter of that of the detriction. and says that of the powers which really tount, Japan is the only one which is at all likely to rack her protest with force.

The Daily News maintains that with Russia the policy is clear as daylight, and simply means no shred of independence for Manchuria. The paper con-tinues: "Russia has a firm friend and had been properly connected. ally in the United States."

Activity in Japan.

garding its policy, but it is said on good tures, there's only one Pain-Killer, Perry authority that the cabinet, at a meeting held Friday, resolved to communicate with Russia in firm terms respecting Manchuria. There is extraordinary activity in naval and military circles.

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Finances of The Dominion

diture For the Past Nine Months.

Surplus of Over \$1,000,000 Compared With Same Period Last Year.

Ottawa, April 6 .- The statement of revenue and expenditure issued by the finance department to-day shows the revenue for the nine months of the fiscal year, ending March last, to be \$37,918,000, or an increase of over \$1,000,000, about \$2,000,000

for March, 1900, which shows that Hon in his budget that the "crest of the wave had been reached."

STOPPING PURCHASES.

War Office Instructs Officers Not to Buy Any More Horses and Mules.

New York, April 6.—According to a Washington special to the Tribune, a statement has been sent from the department of Justice to the United States district court at New Orleans which will district court at New Orleans which will stop such actions as that recently brought by agents of the Boer republics to prevent the shipment to South Africa of mules and horses purchased in this country by British officers. The ruling of the department in effect is that the courts of the United States cannot sit in judgment in litigation between two other governments.

A special to the Times from New Orleans says it is learned there, on apparently trustworthy authority, that the war office in London has cabled to its agents in this country to wind up the business

MANY JEWS KILLED.

New York, April 5 .- A dispatch print-

Nanaimo, April 6.-Christopher Sparks from a source regarded as of unques- was instantly killed in No. 4 level, east withdrawn the proposed Manchurian heard the fall coming and warned two a parallel case to the British occupa-tion of Egypt as de facto possession that home this summer.

RIOTS IN GENEVA.

Geneva, Switzerland, April 6 .- A denonstration against the Russian and Italian consulates and the residence of the Italian consul occurred last evening 242 persons, missionaries and their in connection with the extradition of Jaffei, an alleged accomplice of Gaetno Bresci, the assassin of King Humbert. London, April 6.—Russia's attitude to-wards Manchuria, as outlined yesterday by the official Messenger of St. Peters-burg, is interpreted also for the coat of arms at the Russian consulate, but were

"I am SUGAR WAREHOUSE DESTROYED

New Orleans, La., April 6.-The warehouse on the south side of the plantation, containing a large quantity of sugar, was

SALISBURY'S HOLIDAY. London, April 6.—Lord Salisbury started for the Riviera this morning.

EX-PREMIER DEAD. Sofia, April 6.-Ex-Premier Sterloff is dead after a short illness.

is one of the wierdest of the electricians

AT ALL TIMES OF YEAR Pain-Killer will be found a useful household remedy. Yokohama, April 6.—The Japanese gov-rument is maintaining great secrecy re-for cramps and diarrhoea. Avoid substigarding its policy, but it is said on good tutes, there's only one Pain-Killer, Perry

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