TELEGRAPHS, Australia and Canada, Australian colonies unite in inviting Canada to send delegates to Australia to consider the question -Feb. 11.

THEATRICAL, Napance, Oat., Opera House collapses. - Feb. 7.

Aldershot, Eng., Theatre Royal destroyed by fire .- Feb. 8.

Divorce suit, brought by Mr. Izard against his wife, the actress, Maria Temple, with Henry J. Leslie, proprietor of Lyric Theatre, as co-respondent, results in verdict with £5,000 damages for plaintiff.

France, Paris, "The Marquis," comedy in three acts, by Victorien Sardon, produced at the Vandeville and was a failure. - Feb. 11.

London, England, Wilson Barrett's new play "Now-a-Days" produced at Princess' Theatre.—Feb. 28,

Minneapolis, Kate Claxton, the actress, has severe stroke of apoplexy. -- Feb. 14.

New York, Hawthorn & Co. sue Mrs. Langiry for \$2,700 for furnishing kilts and plaids for Highlanders in play of Macbeth.—Feb. 15.

St. Louis, Mary Anderson adversely criticized by the newspapers.—Feb. 23.

Vienna, Surah Bernhardt achieves enormous success in her impersonation of "Fedora."--Feb. 13.

Thetford, Asbestos Mining Co., applies for letters of incorporation at Que, be c .- Feb. 21,

Trade, England, Lord Salisbury addresses Chamber of Commerce, London England, as to revival of trade.—Feb. 27.

Transvaul and Orange Free State, Presidents of, decide to hold conference to discuss advisability of forming federal union of the two states. — Feb. 8.

Trichinosis, La Porte County, Ind, twenty persons attacked with.—Feb. 26.

TRUSTS - Sewer pipes, nineteen of the largest firms in United States form combination.—Feb. 6.

"Big four" beef combination, American Meat Company formed in New York as a rival to.—Feb. 22.

Gas, Chicago, Standard Oil Company obtains control of .- Feb. 26. Stove founders, Maritime Provinces to meet upper province competition-Feb. 25.

Windsor glass, Pittsburg, Pa., importers of Belgian glass refuse to join, and trust falls through.-Feb 6.

Tupper Sir Chas., responds to toast of the Colonial empire at banquet to Lord Onslow in London, Eng. - Feb. 16.

Turkey, Sultan exiles Acre, one of principal sheikhs of Zemen, for inciting Arabs to revolt,—Feb. 13.

Typhus Fever, Hungary, epidemic at Doboka,-Feb. 8.

Typhus fever, Belgium, outbreak at Huppage near Verviers.—Feb. 22.

Union League Club, Chicago, celebrate anniversary of Washington's birth.—Feb. 22.

Unionists, Liberal and Radical, conference at Glasgow, speech by Mr. Chamberlain.—Feb. 12.

Unionist meeting, Bristol, Eng., breaks up with cheers for Gladstone .-

UNITED STATES CONGRESS, Samon, message from President as to how the German declaration of war was received, and the Martial proclamation rescinded by Prince Bismarck.-Feb. 1.

Agreement between the Creek nation and the United States transmitted by the President for ratification.—Feb. 5.

Ministry, Evarts Senator, offered Attorney Generalship, which he declares vide New York Commercial Advocate.—Feb. 1.

Senate, British extradition treaty rejected.—Feb. 1.

Senate, Finance Committee hears evidence from John S. Bell, chief of the secret service of the Treasury as to counterfeits in circulation. --Feb. 7.

Congress, Samoa, official minutes of conference held at Washington in 1887, with additional correspondence sent by President.—Feb. 8.

House of Representatives, proposed congress as to plan of arbitration for settling disputes, representative Townshend introduces bill to amend act so as to include Canada.—Feb. 12.

Senate, British extradition treaty, discussion on a motion to remove the injunction of secrecy from the proceedings.—Feb. 11.
Senate passes bill to enable the President to protect the interests of
United States in Panama.—Feb. 11.

Senate, Seal fisheries in Behring's sea, President transmits report from Secretary of State as to .- Feb, 12.

Senate, naval nominations, President sends down list of .- Feb. 14.

Senate confirms the nomination of Carrol D. Wright, to be commissioner of labor -Feb. 14.

UNITED STATESSAMOA .- Continued.

Senate, bill for protection of Salmon fisheries in Alaska referred to foreign relations committee.—Feb. 28.

Sackville case, further papers sent to Congress, Mr. Payard's letter to Lord Salisbury, his reply, and other correspondence.—Feb. 20.

Mr. Morgan introduces resolution, inviting Parliament and officers of the Dominion to visit the United States and investigate the industries and institutions of the country.—Feb. 18.

House committee on foreign affairs reports favorably on Senate bill for protecting American interests and citizens of 1sthmus of Panama. - Feb. 15.

And Japan, supplementary treaty of commerce, amity and navigation between, signed .- Feb. 20.

Utah, Ogden, Gentiles successful over the Mormons in municipal elections. –Feb. 11.

Vancouver coal mining and land company, registration of.—Feb. 6.

Villacampa Republican General, dies in prison at Madrid.—Feb. 17.

Washington's birth, anniversary of, celebrated by Union League Club Chicago.—Feb. 22.

Webster County, Ky., strange disease existing at, from which the Doc tor run away.—Feb. 4.

Wentworth Pioneer and Historical Society, Hamilton, Ont., hold their meeting and adopt constitution.—Feb. 7.

Wheat deal, Buffalo, N.Y., the largest cash wheat deal on record in the United States.-Feb. 20.

Western Assurance Company, Annual meeting at Toronto.—Feb. 21.

White caps, Renfrew, break into house of Adolphe Sauve, one of them wounded by a shot from wife.—Feb. 25.

White Caps, Harrisonburg, Va., two colored men severely handled -

Wiman Mr. Erastus, interviewed at New York as to Mr. Townshend's bill for including Canada in proposed conference as to commercial union with the United States.—Feb. 15.

Wissmann, Captain arrives at Alexandria and proceeds to Cairo to recruit blacks for African expedition.—Feb. 25

Wolves, Aitken Mine, two children attacked and devoured by .- Feb. 20. Women's enfranchisement, association for, formed at Toronto.—Feb. 4.

WRECKS, Barrington Head, N.S., steamer "Esme" from London bound to Annapolis goes ashore.—Feb. 6.

Beachy Head, steamer "Glencoe" sunk by barque "Largo Bay."-Feb. 3,

Beachy Head, British Barque "Largo Bay" collided with and sunk unknown four-masted steamer.—Feb. 4.

British Barque "Premier McKenzie" from Rosario abandoned at sea--Feb. 9.

Chesapeake Bay, schooner "C. R. Oliver" sinks in a squall, owner and crew lost.—Feb. 1.

Chicamicomica, N. C., Nova Scotia barque "Josie Troop" lost, and master and ten men drowned.-Feb. 22.

Corunna, Spanish mail steamer "Isle de Cuba," plying between Spain and Cuba.—Feb. 21.

Formosa, British ship "Anglo-India" from Shanghai for Philippine Islands.—Feb. 16,

Holyhead, British barque "Gen. Grant."-Feb. 9.

Ilfracombe, Devonshire, steamer "Symington," ten persons drowned.

Island of Bilirau, Spanish mail steamer "Bilirau" founders, all hands lost.—Feb. 4.

Klang Straits light, steamer Piah Pekret collides with steamer Chow Phya, and sinks.—January 13th, reported Feb. 22.

London, Eng., steamer "Nereid" collides with British ship "Killochan" of Dungeness, and both vessels go down, 24 persons drowned.—Feb. 3.

Port Patrick, British barque "Roseneath" from Dublin.—Feb. 2.

Tamsin, British ship "Anglo-Indian" lost during a gale, mate and 8 men reach shore in a boat.-Feb. 11.

Webster, Rhode Island, Julia Maher dies of paralysis after being gnawed by rats.—Feb. 11.

Wheat crop, Central Illinois, Hessian fly destroying whole fields. - Feb. 11. Napanee, Ont., two young men notified to go to work or quit the town.-Feb. 11.

Winnipeg Free Press purchases the Morning Call .-- Feb. 9.

Y. M. C. A., Ontario and Quebec, convention at Ottawa,-Feb. 1.

Young George Paxton, professor of mental and moral science at Univert sity College, Toronto, death of.-Feb. 26.