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Annual Festival of the Great American Saengerbund.

How the Organization Has Flourished in the States.

Cleveland the Place of Meeting - Im- ing. The object of her visit is to enmense Crowds View the Ruins of the Cold Storage Warehouse - Fifteen Bodies Found - Hercules Iron Company Assigns.

lovers of song, and especially the lovers of German song, have been attracted here in tens of thousands by the annual saengerfest of the North American Saengerbund. It is one of the noteworthy events of this notable year, exceeding in magnificence any former event of the kind. The North American Saengerbund has been in existence since 1849, when the first festival was held in Cincinnati, five societies and 118 singers being present It has now grown to 100 societies and upwards of 4000 singers. The last festival was held in New Orleans three years ago. A temporary auditorium, covering one acre, and having a seating capacity of 8000, exclusive of the big stage, has been erected in the public square in the very centre of the city. The festival will informally open to-day, but the production of the principal compositions will commence to-mor-

Prof. Emil Ring, formerly of Germany, but for the past four years conductor of the Philharmonic Orchestra of this city, is director-general of the saengerfest this evening. The prima donna is Rita Elandi (Amelia Louise Groll), a Cleveland girl, who for five years has been captivating audiences all over Europe with her exquisite voice. She sang in the opera "Cavalleria Rusticana" before Queen Victoria, it being he first time that the Queen had heard Italian opera since the death of the Prince Consort. Mrs. S. C. Ford, also of Cleveland, and Miss Blauveldt of New York will be the soprano soloists in addition to Miss Groll. The altos are Miss Lena Little of Boston, and Miss Olive Fremstadt of New York. W. H. Rieger of New York is the tenor soloist, and Emil Fischer of New York, Conrad Behrends of Germany and Gustav Bereike of Cleveland are the bassos.

A special feature of the festival will be the singing of the prize composition on the evening following the reception concert on Wednesday. About a year ago a cash prize of \$1000 was offered by the saengerfest officials for the best musical theme arranged for soloists and a large chorus, and the work of Heinrich Zellner of New York won the distinction. The composition is entitled "The New World," and is descriptive of the discovery of America. It will be sung under the direction of the author, who will be assisted by the New York Liederkranz, of which he is conductor.

Two Fatal Accidents. Petaluma, Cat., July 11:- Two young Swiss residents of this place were the victims of fatal accidents yesterday. Elvezio Franzoni, 24, was employed on his cousin's ranch and was considered a good swimmer. Yesterday, accompanied by another young man, he went for a swim. The young man remained on the bank while young Franzoni went into the water twice and returned to the bank. He entered the water a third time and swam out a short distance, when his companion saw him throw up his hands The creek was searched all night, but the body has not been found. The other victim of accidental death was Silvia Corda, aged 13. He was shot by Masunio Ghidossi, who secreted himself on the place, but was afterwards found. There was a party at the house of the Bollas, four miles from town, last evening, and the guests were dispersing in the early morning. Ghidossi, who was employed on the ranch, went to his room, secured a shot gun and going to the door fired a shot in the air. He then discharged the second barrel in another direction. Young Corda, who was lying on a table under some trees, only 17 feet from the shooter, received the second charge in the heart. The shooting was accidental and the flight of the shooter was induced by fright.

Ottawa News. Ottawa, July 11.-Sir Charles Tupper intends sailing for Canada sometime this

The department of marine and fisheries is still in negotiation with the Imperial government in regard to sending Robert Venning of the department to the Russian seal islands in Behring Sea, but definite instructions for his departure have not yet been received.

Murder and Bigamy. Sacramento, Cal., July 11.-In the Superior Court yesterday George B. Jeffries was placed on trial for the murder of Olga Ayers the Brighton telegraph operator, and for bigamy. On the murder charge being first called District Attorney Ryan said it would be impossible to proceed at this time on account of the sence from the state of George C. Mc-Millan, an important witness for the prosecution. Ryan said McMillan had been subpoenaed previous to his departure for the east, and had promised to he present. He had written to him repeatedly, but he was not here. He was, however, ready to proceed with the bigamy case. The defense raised no objection, and the trial of the bigamy case was commenced.

Eastern Excursion Rates. New York, July 11.-The opinions exressed by the participants in the meeting of the executive committee of the trunk lines which was called to oredr this morning, give ground for the belief

that at last eastern rates to the World's Fair will be reduced. The plan which meets with most favor is the running of special excursion trains at a round trip New York-Chicago rate of \$18. It is said a majority of the members of the committee have already announced their adhesion to this plan, and have agreed upon the 13th, Thursday, for the begin-ning of the excursions. Many people

were announced, and it is expected there will be a great rush westward within the next few days.

FACTS FROM 'FRISCO.

Daily Budget of Events at the Golden Gate_The Fair, &c. San Francisco, July 11.—Second mate SOME SWEET-VOICED PARTICIPANTS Richard Croker of the American ship Tam o'Shanter, charged with brutal treatment of his men, has been ordered nto custody of the United States mar-

shal to await the action of the grand Mrs. Chris. Evans, wife of the Visa lia bandit, arrived in the city last evengage attorneys to defend her husband in

the event of his recovery. Peter Carroll, a laborer, stabbed his wife five times last night and dangerously wounded her upon her refusal of his demand for money.

The inquest on the body of David Cleveland, Ohio. July 11.-American McCarthy, the young tinsmith who died from knife wounds last week, has re- prevails in the stock market, and little sulted in Thomas Morris being charged

with murder. C. A. Russell, employed in this city as a porter, had his skull crushed by an elevator vesterday. He was taken to his home in Alameda and blew out his brains with a revolver last night.

The steamer Colon arrived this mornher passengers were Robert Sacasa, expresident of Nicaragua, and Romulbo Pasche, ex-United States minister to Guatemala. Sacasa was accompanied by his wife and sons, and after a short stay in San Francisco will make an ex- ALL PRIVILEGES WITHDRAWN. grand banquet by the Mayor of Sheffield, tensive tour in the United States. He still considers himself president of Nicaragua, and says he resigned office to Senator Machado only during his absence from the country.

Frank O. Willey, son of O. F. Willey, the carriage manufacturer, has abscondand dollars belonging to his father. Young Willey, who is about 26 years old, acted in a similar manner two or three years ago, but returned and was forgiven.

At a meeting of the executive of the midwinter exposition which was held this morning a plan for collecting subdistricted and collecting will begin this for \$10,000 to the committee this morn-

AMONG THE RUINS.

Victims of Yesterday's Terrible Fire Being Slowly Recovered.

Chicago, July 11.—The Hercules Iron Works Co., owner of the cold storage creditors in the county court this morn- per eight pounds. ing. The Chicago Title Trust Co. is named assignee

World's Fair Grounds, Chicago, July 11.—The most interesting exhibit at the World's Fair grounds to-day, and one not scheduled in the official guide book. is the ruin of the cold storage structure, yesterday destroyed by fire, and 10,000 people this morning crowded around the debris, eagerly watching the search for bodies. Early this morning three more bodies were recovered from the ruins. but so badly charred and disfigured as to make recognition utterly impossible; One thing seems to be quite evident. however, and that is that the bodies recovered are not the remains of firemen. The locality in which they were discovered seems to preclude this possibility, as all the firemen who lost their lives were huddled in one place, in the dreadful air trap at the top of the shaft, and as they fell victims one by flames their bodies naturally fell somewhere within the small circle surrounding the smokestack. The bodies to-day discovered were evidently not the remains of any who jumped or fell from the shaft, because they were found at a distance from this point and under a mass of steam pipe and machinery that must

have fallen from above. On one of the bodies was found a leather belt to which was attached a pair of steel pincers, thus proving the remains to be those of a lineman. This discovery gave fresh color to the fearful apprehension that firemen were by no means the only ones who fell victims to the flames, and the public at once became disposed to doubt the declarations made yesterday by the supervising foreman that all employees and visitors were out of the building before the fire had reached a dangerous stage. The total of dead recovered has reached 15, though the search in the ruins has thus that the death list is still incomplete.

The Columbian guards who were yesterday on duty at the scene of the disaster have constantly maintained that several World's Fair visitors, electric men and other workmen were caught in the flames, and the unexpected discovery of bodies under the ruins this morning, and the fact that one is undoubtedly that of a lineman, gives probability to their declarations. There were many visitors and workmen in the building at the time the fire broke out, and the statements of the Columbian guards that many of them were caught in the flames were received so seriously this morning that it was decided to make a minute examination, foot by foot, of the ruins before the day is out.

Samoan Chiefs Will Fight. Sydney .N. S. W., July 11 .- A steamer which arrived here to-day from the Samoan Islands brings dispatches indicating that a war is imminent among the factions supporting King Malietoa and the adherents of Chief Mataafa. A British warship has been ordered to proceed to Apia, the capital of the islands. where she will join the German and American ships to preserve order and protect,

foreigners Officers in Irons. San Francisco, July 11.-When the Pacific Mail Steamship Colon arrived this morning two of her officers were under arrest, and in irons. The two men were Robert Donique, the freight clerk, and third officer A. J. Moors. The two men had been arrested for an assault made upon first officer Dorris. Both prisoners were turned over to the United States marshal, when it appeared that Moore had a misunderstanding with the first officer, and struck him over the head with a revolver. Donique the freight clerk, took a hand in the proceedings too, and the third officer and he were then placed under arrest. The revolver was not loaded, and it does not appear whose

Universal Torpor Experienced in London Money Market.

BUSINESS SEEMS AT A STANDSTILL

Collapse of an Old and Well Known Firm of Brokers.

Prospects of an Early Change Not Good -Various Railway Securities Embarrassed Canadian Cattle Now on an Equal Footing with Foreign - The Last Unfriendly Stroke.

London, July 11.-An unsettled tone business is being done except in settlements, which began to-day. English railway securities have declined; American railroad securities are weak, and two failures are reported at the exchange. The most important of the two failures to-day is that of John F. H. Read, long established. He had a large account on ing from Panama and way ports. Among railroad and Peruvian securities. Stocks were stagnant this afternoon. Further trouble is feared, the difference in accounts being heavy, especially in railroad securities.

Canadian Cattle Now on the Same Foot-

ing as Foreign Animals. London, July 11.-The board of agriculture has issued an order, which takes effect forthwith, cancelling the orders of April and June securing segreed with, it is stated, about five thous- gation and slaughter for Canadian cattle under special supervision. This withdrawal of special privileges from Cana- against family favoritism. dian stock places them on the same footing as the United States and other foreign cattle. Swan & Sons, Edinburgh, in their weekly report, say that as the restrictions are to be maintained an endeavor will be made to have Canadian scriptions was adopted. The city was cattle sent to Yorknill instead of Shieldshill, the former being much nearer the week. Mrs. Stanford sent in a check city. As showing the effect of the restrictions, the prices realized by Canadian animals are in many cases 18 shillings per hundred weight less than home cattle of the same quality. In all circles connected with the trade there is little erican railroad securities declined 1-4 to hope at present felt that there is any chance of an early change in the position that affairs have assumed. This week's markets were firm; 958 Canadian ani- Boyer, stock broker. warehouse at the Fair grounds, has mals were offered, and the best made made an assignment for the benefit of 3s 1d to 3s 11d; seconds 3s 6d to 3s 8d

MORE HOME BULE

Continuation of the Discussion on the Bill in Committee.

London, July 10.-The discussion of the tenth clause of the Irish Government act, which relates to the representation in the Imperial Parliament of the Irish counties and boroughs, began to-day in committee of the whole of the House of Commons. Right Hon. John W. Mellor was in the chair. The bill provides for the retention of eighty Irish members in the Imperial Parliament, a reduction of 23 in the present representation of Ire-

Mr. John Redmond (Parnellite), member for Waterford county, moved the adoption of an amendment to retain the Irish representation at its full present number, 103 members.

Mr. Gladstone opposed the motion. The Government, he said, could not go be yond giving Ireland representation i. accordance with her population, as compared with that of Great Britain. Right Hon. Sir William Vernon Har

court, chancellor of the exchequer, said that it was open to the House to arrive at what decision it pleased. The general Home Rule plan did not depend upon the Irish representation in the Imperial Parliament.

Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, the leader of the Opposition in the House of Commons, objected to the ministers evading the responsibility, as he claimed they were attempting to do. The question of Irish representation in the Imperial Parliament, he said was of the first importance.

Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, Liberal-Unionist leader, taunted Mr. Gladstone with leaving the matter in the hands of the House, so that the position far been very slight owing to the heat of the cabinet might not be prejudiced and confusion. There seems no doubt if the matter was decided against the that the death list is still incomplete. ministers. A division taken on the amendment

with cheers by the Liberals.

Organized Labor. Brewton, Ala., July 11.-The State Assembly of the Knights of Labor of this state in conjunction with the Juniper Hall local assembly went into secret session at ten o'clock this morning for the purpose of considering plans looking toward a re-organization of the Knights n this state, and to consider the cause of organized labor throughout the South generally. Nearly every local assembly in the state is represented, and the delegates propose to spare no pains to put new life into the order and to make up for the losses of recent years which have resulted from the loss of prestige incident to the defeats which organized labor has encountered in the coal and iron regions of Tennessee and Alabama. The

of the delegates' attention.

Discovery of a Crime. Spokane, July 10 .- Residents of the Peaceful Valley-a small portion of the city lying along the river west of the Falls-are greatly excited to-day over the unearthing of what appears to be a murder. Gardeners, while digging a ditch on the hillside to carry water from a spring, exposed to view the skeleton of a man which, from appearances, had evidently lain there for several years. The remains were unearthed on a plot of ground used as a garden, worked and owned by John Haines. Haines objected vigorously and used force in trying to prevent the ditch being dug, and when the skeleton was found he became terribly agitated and left the scene. Coroner Newman began investigation, have been postponing their visits to the with a deadly weapon.

the ground that Haines claims. He disappeared over two years ago, and Haines, who was working for him at the time, said that Murphy had sold him that place and left for his old home in in Canada wrote several times for information as to Murphy's whereabouts The coroner sent officers out in search of Haines, but he cannot be found, and the belief is strong that Haines killed Murphy in order to secure the farm.

Bank Failures. Kansas City, Mo., July 11.-The Kansas City Safe Deposit and Savings Bank. one of the largest institutions of its kind in Missouri, made an assignment this morning. Liabilities and assest not yet known.

Selbyville, Ills., July 11.-Thornton's banking house, Thomas M. Thornton proprietor, has made an assignment for the benefit of its creditors. The crash was wholly unexpected, as the house was long looked upon as one of the strongest private banks in Central Illinois. was the depository of county, city and township funds, the county treasurer alone being involved to the amount of more than \$50,000. Thornton has large land estates and other good securities, and it is hoped he will be able to pay dollar for dollar to depositors.

Folsom Found Favor. Sheffield, Eng., July 11.—Ben Folsom, caused his official head as American consul to this city to fall a sacrifice to the President's antipathy to anything the Master Cutler and the President of the Chamber of Commerce, representing a citizens' committee, to-day. No American official in Europe has ever made more or warmer friends than Mr. Folbusiness circles here that so able and popular a consul must fall a victim to the American President's inflexible rule

Forty Cholera Deaths. Alexandria, Egypt, July 12.-Eightyfive cases of cholera are in the hospital here. Forty deaths have occurred.

General Dispatches Berlin, July 12.-Chancellor von Caprivi is confined to his house by inflamed veins. He hopes to appear in the reichstag to-morrow. London, July 12.-Stocks are flat and there is considerable excitement. Am-5 per cent., the latter in Chicago, Milwankee & St. Paul. W. B. Moore, stock broker, has failed, also Frank

Ladies, What About Jam? Are you going to put up any this year, and if so will you want any jam bottles? If you do, remember that Russell & Mc-

Donald keep them in all sizes. Medicines in Queen Mary's Time. Blackwood's Magazine:-Not many emedies of Queen Mary's time retain a place in the modern pharmacopea. Cardano recommended bark of Indian wood, cinnamon, caryophyllum, colocynth, camphor, cyclamen, viola, turpentine, hops, anise, senna, poppy, mustard myrrh, wormwood, agrimony, lichen, privet, rue, raisins, hysson, crocus, marjoram, scabious, figs, honey and many more: and he earnestly urges the use of a remedy which he had tried himself for breathlessness accompanied by bad cough:-Take the lungs of a fox and forthwith wash them with wine and dry it in a furnace to a cinder; powder and mix well with the yelk of an egg. Among his external remedies one which was evidently a prime favorite was that which he applied over the su-

tures of the skull, and especially the coronal, and which he found a grand remedy for bringing away the humors of the brain. It was composed of Greek pitch and ship's tar, white mustard, euphorbium and honey, sharpened, if necessary, by the addition of blister fly. He had unbounded faith in the efficacy of elaterium-two grains dissolved in four ounces of goat's or cow's milk and

as much water, this to be drawn through the nostrils when the patient was fasting. He had found-and we can well believe it-that when this remedy was used a very copious discharge of humor took place from the nostrils. I shall not attempt to follow him through the long series of medicines which he recommended to be used.

International Marine Signals. London, July 11.-A dispatch from Boulogne to the Times says: France has submitted to Great Britain and America proposals to improve and simplify the resulted in its defeat by 280 to 266. The code of signals of merchant shipping. If announcement of the result was greeted the proposals are approved an international conference on the subject will be France suggests the addition of two new flags which will make possible 44.858 extra signals. A reform is necessary on account of the increase of the speed of vessels, which curtails the period of interview.

Newfoundland Shere Dispute. St. Johns, Nfld., July 11.-The colony is threatened with more serious complications arising out of the French shore question. The French flagship Naiade, Admiral la Mornaix, arrived here on ply without your express consent. Sunday to participate in the anniversary of the French republic on Friday next, and also to arrange the recent difficulty over the French shore. Five weeks ago the French lobster packers imported large quantities of trade implements in the steamer Harlow to Boone Bay. They refused to pay duty thereon, claiming question of convict labor in the former that the Frenchman's goods were exemp state will occupy a considerable portion, for non-payment of duty, and sold them at auction. The French admiral yesterday had a conference with the government and executive council. He demanded the return of the goods. The governor refused and he gave them until 5 o'clock in the afternoon for a final answer. None arriving at the proper time he hoisted anchor and left the port, refusing to attend a dinner arranged in his honor that evening and a ball on Wednesday evening. The British cruiser Cleopatra, Commodore Curzon-Howe, also came here to receive the Naiade. The Cleopatra's officers are indignant at the action of the French admiral who threatened all sorts of terrible things. miral la Mornaix has gone to St. Pierre to report to the government, thence he will sail to the French shore. The Cleoand will then follow the Naiade. It is believed that the matter will result in considerable friction, possibly an outle of James Murphy, who formerly owned break when the two warships meet: natra awaits instructions from England

RIO BOMBARDED

Canada. Since that time his relatives Rebel Forces by Land and Sea Attack Rio Grande do Sut.

AD'L WANDEKOLK AND CEN. SARAIYA

Effect a Junction and Proceed to Active Hostilities.

Wars and Rumors of Wars Throughout South America — Attempt to Evict Panama Settlers-Columbian Government Declines to Allow It-Instant Disarmament Ordered in La Plata.

Montevideo, July 12.-News from Rio Grande do Sul says that an assault has peen made upon that town from the land and sea by the revolutionary forces. This assault was forshadowed as Admiral Wandelkolk had formally declared in favor of the revolutionists, and appeared in front of the town of Rio Grande do Sul in the steamer Jupiter, with 500 armed soldiers aboard. When the news whose relationship to Mrs. Cleveland has of the admiral's arrival spread in the town, the citizens were terror stricken, fearing an immediate attack. Many of them abandoned their homes and sought savoring of nepotism, was tendered a refuge in the country behind the town, grand banquet by the Mayor of Sheffield, Admiral Wandelkolk postponed the bombardment of the town from the sea until the arrival of insurgent land forces under General Saraiva. The preconcerted plan was to begin an assault by land and sae at the same time. Meantime the som, and it is universally regretted in rebel admiral's force was increased by the crew and officers of the gunboat Camocino, who declared in favor of the revolutionists and put their vessel under his command.

The government tow boat, Manuel Diablo, while trying to enter the harbor, was fired upon from the gunboat Camocino. General Saraiva's battalions began massing behind the town yesterday morning, and last night the bombardment was opened. The result of the fight is not known because the government officials in Rio Grande do Sul seized the telegraph offices and refused to allow nessages to be sent south.

There is great excitement in Montevideo over the reports that there are grave troubles in Rio Grande. The censorship placed on the telegraph wires by the Brazilian government makes it impossible to confirm the report, but the situation has been serious for some time and it would not be surprising if the story should prove true.

Would Not be Evicted.

Panama, July 12.-The attempt of M. Mangers, who represents the liquidator of the Panama Canal company, to disossess the squatters on lands between Panama and Colon, claimed to be included in the concession to the company, has caused great excitement, and is the subject of some interesting correspondence with the government of Colombia. In the village of Gorgona the canal agent the entire population, including the local judge and mayor, to move out. These officials appealed to the governor of Panama. The governor declares that M. Mangers has no right to evict the squatters on the land in Gorgona, on the ground that the property has never been

formally demanded by the company for the use of the canal. Buenos Ayres, July 12.—Col. Gil has been sent to La Plata to enforce the decree recently issued requiring the disarmament of military forces in various states. The governor of La Plata is willing to disarm the state forces, but the state legislature is resolved that this shall not be done. Members of the chamber of deputies of the state have asked the Argentine federal congress to annul the decree for disarmament, and general trouble is feared.

PRIVILEGES OF PRESBYTERY.

Prof. Smith Asks Indiana Ministers Some Pointed Questions. Columbus, Ind., July 12.-The followng circular letter has been sent to many Presbyterian ministers in Indiana by Prof. Henry P. Smith, who was re-

cently tried for heresy: Lane Seminary, Cincinnati, Ohio, June 21.—Reverend and Respected Sir: The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church has gone boldly beyond its rights in pronouncing upon the acts of our trustees. It has presumed to condemn their acts and has directed its board of education to withhold aid from any student in institutions not approved by the church. This plain usurpation of power raises some questions which your advice

is most earnestly solicited to settle: 1st. In your opinion would it be wise to yield to the demands of the Assembly, either directly, by revising the action of the trustees, or indirectly by closing the seminary? 2nd. Will a firm stand for liberty,

taken by the trustees, command your endorsement and sympathy? 3rd. In case our students suffer from the refusal of aid, may we ask your church to assist them? Your name will not be used in connection with your re-

> Very cordially yours, (Signed) H. P. SMITH.

Deasy Found Guilty.

London, July 12 .- John Deasy, anti-Parnellite member of the house of commons from West Mayo, was found guilty yesterday of common assault and ted. The government seized the goods fined £22 and ordered to pay costs. Deasy was placed on trial on a charge of baving assaulted Ellen Lewis, a sixteenyear-old servant girl employed in the house in which Deasy lodged. He has applied for the stewardship of the Chiltern hundreds.

> The Chicago Fire. World's Fair Grounds, Chicago, July 11. 8:30 a.m.—The remains of five of the victims of yesterday's fire have just been removed to the morgue. They were burned beyond recognition.

> Immigrants From Bremen. New York, July 12.—The tramp steamship Red Sea, which sailed from Bremen on June 26th, with 800 immigrants, is now four days overdue. The report cir-culated vesterday to the effect that the vessel, to evade the restrictions at this

passenger at any other place. Quarantine vessels and immigration officials are waiting for the ship, and they say she will come under the same regulations as vessels, but it is believed that stringent precautions will result in the barring out of most of the Red Sea's

THE SEALERS' SUCCESS

Excellent Catches by Victoria Schooners

Reported From Sand Point. San Francisco, July 12.—The sealing fleet in Alaskan waters is doing remarkably well this season, according to a letter just received from Sand Point. The catch reported up to May 19th is as follows: Dora Sieward, 1436; Sapphire, 1260; Triumph, 1836; Mary Taylor, 740; Mascot, 836; Borealis, 1300; E. B. Marvin, 1014; Minnie, 1460; Annie E. Paint, 736; Ocean Belle, 1300; Oscar and Hattie, 1500; all of Victoria. Willard Ainsworth, 690; Henry Dennis, 1501; George R. White, 215; Volunteer, 12, all of Seattle. Japanese schooner, 1400.

TRACE AND TRYON.

A Fact Proving Tryon Was Not a

"Brilliant Naval Strategist." London, July 11.-The Globe says it is authorized to deny the published statement, to the effect that all the captains of the vessels that took part in the recent manoeuvres of the British Mediterranean squadron off Tripoli, were to be tried by court martial. According to the story which appeared in the Graphic of the charge to be made against the captains, it was that they had not obeyed Admiral Tryon's signals for the fleet formation, in attempting to carry out which signals the Camperdown ran into and sank the Victoria, the flagship of the squadron. The Globe says the manoeuvre was just beginning when the Camperdown struck the Victoria. The other ships did not have time to turn before the accident happened. The Globe further says that three years ago. Admiral Tryon, who was commanding the fleet manoeuvres, signalled an order for the identical evolution that resulted in the loss of his ship and his own life. Rear Admiral Richard E. Trace, who is now in command at the Malta dockyard, was in command of the vessel at the head of the port column, He saw the danger that would be involved in carrying out the order and refused to answer the signal. Admiral Tryon waited for 15 minutes, and receiving no answering signal, annulled his order and the signal for the evolution was hauled down. Admiral Tryon raised no question about Rear Admiral Trace's refusal to obey the

What a Volcano Can Do. Few people in this country imagine what terrible work a volcano of the regulation size can do when it once gets fully aroused, says the Philadelphia Times. In 1838 Cotopaxi threw its fiery rockets more than 3000 feet above the erater, and in 1857, when the blazing mass contained in the same mountain was struggling for an outlet, it roared so loudly that the awful noise was heard for a distance of 600 miles. In 1797 the crater of Tunguragua, one of the great peaks of the Andes, flung out torrents of mud and lava which dammed up a great river, opened new lakes, besides making a deposit of seething mud, ashes and lava 600 feet deep over the whole area of a valley which was twenty miles long and averaged 1000 feet in width. The stream of lava which flowed from Vesuvius in 1837 and passed through the valley of Terra del Greco is estimated to have contained 333,000,000 cubic feet of solid matter. In 1760 Etna poured out a flood of melted stones and ashes which covered eighty-four square miles of fertile country to a depth of from ten to forty feet. On this occasion the sand, scoria, lava, etc., from the burning mountain formed Mount Rasini, a peak two miles in circumference and over 4000 feet high. In the eruntion of Vesuvius in the year 79 A.D., the time of the destruction of Pompeii, the scoria, ashes, sand and lava vomited forth far exceeded the entire mass of the volcano itself, while in 1660 Etna disgorged over twenty times its own mass. Vesuvius has sent its ashes into Syria, Egypt and Turkey. It hurled stones of 800 pounds weight to Pompeii, a distance of six English miles, during the eruption of 79 A.D. Cotopaxi once projected a block of stone containing over 100 cubic yards a distance of nine and one-half miles.

Subject to Catalepsy. San Antonio, Tex., July 12.-Miss Ida Banwest, 19, who came here a few months ago from Neuwaldt, Saxony, is lying at her home here apparently dead. It is a case of suspended animation, in which condition she has been for three days. She has had five such attacks. In one of them, about three years ago, she was in a cataleptic condition for five days. During that time her friends and relatives were so fully persuaded that she was dead, that she was dressed in her shroud and placed in a coffin, and would have been buried but for the protest of her mother. Physicians had pronounced that life was extinct, and one of them, to demonstate to her family that she was dead, applied a red hot iron to her The girl winced perceptibly and sighed; this startled everybody. A short time after the girl regained consciousness and was ravenously hungry. She ate everything put before her. Ever since then after each spell when she regains consciousness, she eats heartily and is stout and healthy for from one to three months, when she is seized with another

> THE RING. GRIFFIN BEATEN.

Roby, Ind., July 11.—John Griffin, the "Braintree Lad," and Solly Smith, the champion of the Pacific Coast, met last night in the arena of the Columbian Athletic club, for a purse of \$6000 and the featherweight championship of the world. letic club. for a purse of \$6000 and the featherweight championship of the world. The event brought together one of the largest audiences ever seen in the arena. Six special trains were brought into requisition to accommodate the ticket holders, and after they had been dispatched from Chicago two additional trains of ten cars were found necessary to accommodate the superfluous patrons of the ring. Among those present were James J. Corbett, champion heavyweight of the world; Ed. Smith champion heavyweight of America, and many others. Time was called at 10::55. Both men exchanged body blows, Smith having the advantage. In the second round both men fought hard, and in the third Griffin seemed to have the best of it, though both men punched each other for a moment with vigor. Smith was still groggy when the bell rang for the fourth round, but he came up bravely. Griffin landed on his face with his right and left, following up with a heavy right on the breast, and rushed his opponent around the ring. Smith staggered when he reached the centre of the arena, and a heavy thrust in the chekt nearly sent him to earth, however, he turned on his opponent and, with a right lunge, struck Griffin full in the face, below the eye, Griffin fell and was twice counted out before the referee announced that Smith had won. There was a rush to the arena and the supporters of the uctor cheered themselves hoarse.