A Thousand Socialists Make a Demonstration Before the Parliament Buildings.

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Under the present electoral system in tors. Up to the present time the laboring man has been completely deprived of representation in the Prussian Parliament, owing to the fact that he was overwhelmed in the final elections by the other two classes. The categories of electors are formed arbitrarily by dividing the total amount of taxation received by the State into three equal parts. A small number of wealthy persons paying the first third of the total taxation, select certain number of men from their ranks to act as final voters; a more extended number of less wealthy in the vicinity of the building.

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possibility of the election of a represen-tative of the working classes.

Prince Von Buelow, the Imperial Chan-cellor, has made known his intention of speaking on this subject during the de-bate which is to follow the presentation of the interrellation of the interpellation,

The crowd before the Parliament The crowd before the Parliament building increased rapidly, and soon numbered many thousands. When the doors were opened those nearest to them attempted to force their way into the building, but the policemen managed to keep the people back.

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tain order when Prince Von Buelow drove up. His presence was greeted with loud and ironical cheers, accompanied by much hooting and shouts of

want manhood suffrage."

The police, fearing that the rising excitement of the crowd would lead to violent disturbances, cleared the approaches to the building, driving the crowd into the side streets. As the peo-ple were being hustled away they hissed continually. The manifestants remained

FOUGHT FOR FOOD.

PASSENGERS ON THE MOUNT ROYAL FEARED STARVATION.

Women Lay About on the Deck and Twenty-two Hours Were the Jurymen Screamed Until They Fell Asleep-Storm at Its Worst on Christmas

Queen stown, Jan. 13.—Even after a they passed through is still on the passengers of the Mount Royal. They were all anxious to tell their story today, but, all being Russians or Hungarians, only one was found who could speak any English. Ladislaus Szechenyi, Hungarian peasant, is on his way to America a second time. He has spent some years in the lennsylvania coal when we started from Antwerp," said he "all

Hungarians together, and the other passengers looked at us down below, where we were all living together like the village at home, only bigger. As a great sailor, because I was in America before, of course I knew they would all be sick, and I was myself,

it; only laughed at them.
"But we didn't get better, and byand-bye they wouldn't let us go on
deck, only for a short time each day. The big waves made the ship lean away of the passengers never saw the ocean before, and they were much frightened, but I tried to tell them that it was nothing, but I was much frightened myself. women lay about on the floor of the ship, and sometimes when the boat seem-ed to be going right over one would cream, and then they would all start in

asleep.
"We thought when we sailed that we would all see Christmas in America, but it was on Christmas Eve—we make lot of that night in the old countrythat it was the worst, and even I, though I am a good sailor, and have been across the ocean twice before, I thought we

it was dark, and fastened all the doors. so we were more frightened than ever. Somehow we couldn't get our food very well for a long time, and when they would come in with the big wooden trays the people would fight for bread and meat, though they thought they were going to be drowned.

"On Christmas Eve, though, when it well for a long time, and when they

was at the worst, our priest, a very old man-Father Echegrzu has name -made them all stop and pray all together, and after that every day and every night we prayed and sang to-gether. Once they wanted to recite the Litany for the dying, but he would not

sailors told us we were safe, but the fear was on them, too, and when we would begin to chant our songs they would run away fast. "There was one woman all alone, who

had no man with her. She had a little baby that was very sick. The mother prayed all the time for the little one, but we thought it would discover in the but we thought it would die every night. That was very bad to see, and you shall hear what was worse, for the baby after we came to this place and

were safe."

The ship's officers were unwilling to talk freely of what had happened, further than to say that the vessel was at no time in danger, and that passengers had nothing to complain

The scarcity of food in the steerage is explained by the ravenous appe-tites of the passengers themselves, who seemed to fear that they were to be starved as a preliminary to being drowned. It was then found neces-sary to guard each steward entering quarters with food to repel upon him, and see that the weaker ones got their share.

As far as human beings are concerned the hair of the femals grows much fast-

JURY DIVIDED.

THOS. NOAH, YOUNG MUNCEY IN-DIAN, MAY BE TRIED AGAIN.

Struggling With the Case, and Finally Chief Justice Meredith Discharged Them.

London, Ont., despatch: After being out day's quiet in port the terror of what twenty-two hours, the jury in the trial of Tommy Noah, the young Muncey In-dian, charged with the murder of Absalom Fox last spring, were unable to agree, and were discharged by Chief Justice Sir William Meredith, and the prisoner was remanded. The court room was crowded all day by spectators, who refused to leave until the jury was discharged at 4.30 p. m. The cas the jury at 6.30 o'clock last night, and, as they failed to agree, they were locked up for the night. All morning they wrestled with the case, but without avail, and at 2 o'clock they came into court and announced that they were un

able to agree.

The Judge sent them back to reconsider, but they returned at 4.30 and were discharged. It is understood that the jury stood seven to five for acquittal.

SCHMITZ MAY GO FREE

Judgment Agains: San Francisco Ex-

Mayor Quashed. Francisco, Jan. 13.-The district Court of Appeals handed down a decision to-day setting aside the judgment in the

former Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz, convicted of extortion in the French restaurant case. Abe Reuf also benefits by the ruling of the upper court, for according to its decision he pleaded against the laws of the State. According to the appellate judges, the compelling of French restaurants to pay "fees" to Abe Reuf was not a crime,

though Reuf divided the "fees" with the Mayor. After discussing the point, the court reversed the judgment against Schmitz

on the ground that no acts constituting a crime had been proved against him. Abe Reuf, who pleaded guilty to extorting money from the French restaurants, The decision wipes out the French res-

taurant cases, and pending charges of extortion against Schmitz and Reuf must Both are now entitled to release on

Both are now entitled to release on bail. There are, however, still a large off and the young lad was cut about the number of indictments charging them face by the fragments of the metal casing which enclosed the cap. with receiving bribes from corporations, and the bail, figured at \$10,000 on each case, would reach an enormous sum.

Schmitz and Reuf cannot take advan-

tage of the decision for sixty days. The prosecution has twenty days in which to ask for a re-hearing, and the Appellate Court ten days in which to consider the application. When this is done the prosecution will go through the same procedure in the Supreme Court, which will the supreme Court, which will be same length of time. Conse-, Schmitz and Reuf will still be kept in the county jail for two months

FIGHT LIKE CHRISTIANS.

Trouble of Hebrews of the Richmond Street Synagogue, Toronto.

A Toronto despatch: The troubles of the Richmond street Hebrew congregation in their efforts to worship God and keep the peace were aired in the Criminal Sessions yesterday, when Asher Goldman and Harry Chosberg, two members of the Christopher Street Synagogue, were charged with robbing the sacred ark in he Richmond Street Synagogue and stealing a holy seroll nagogue and stealing a holy scroll

therefrom.

Ins is the latest development in a faction tight, in which the police, brickindignation meetings and a large vol-ume of heated remarks have been freely used.

After several witnesses had been heard Judge Winchester, observing the merriment the case was occasioning the jury. said: "Gentlemen of the jury. I said: "Gen

fear the children of Abraham are better than their Christain brethren better than their Christan brethren in the quarrels over religion. It is the old, old story: They are ready to suffer for it, pay for it, fight for it and die for it, but not to live for it. The Hebrews in the city, when they have a grievance, instead of settling it peacefully or going to the civil courts, at once fly to the criminal courts with their disputes. It seems from the evidence that the scrolls were purchased by the congregation of the Richmond Street Synagogue, and that when the congregation divided the section who went to Christopher street took part of the contents of the ark. Whether they have a right to a share of the scrolls or not is a question for the civil courts to decide, so I must ask you to bring in a verdict of not ask you to bring in a verdict of not guilty against the two prisoners." Goldman and Glosberg thereupon were discharged amid evident rejoicing from their supporters, who still retain pos-session of the scrolls.

CHGPPED TO PIECES.

FOUR ITALIANS MURDERED AT FLORENCE, COL

Pieces of Bodies Picked Up in Arkansas River-Partner of Two of the Victims Suspected-Blood-Stained Axe in His Cabin.

Florence. Colo., Jan. 13.—That Ercole Buffeti, Dominick Minichetto, Joseph Minichetto and Mrs. Frank Palmetto, who mysteriously disappeared in this city, were murdered and their bodies then chopped to pieces, is the opinion of the police, as human lungs, a thorax and a piece of tongue have been found in the Arkansas River.

It is believed that the other dismemto be been that the other dismembered bodies are being scattered along the bed of the river by the swift current. Tony bovori, who is in jail charged with the murder of the Minichetto brothers is said to the the said of the said to th ed with the murder of the Minichetto brothers, is said by the police to have confessed to killing a man in Italy be-fore coming to America. In his house was found a bundle of letters addressed to Tony Noroni, and this is believed to Tony Noron, and this is believed to be his real name. Bovori was engaged in market gardening here in partnership with the Minichetto brothers, and is accused by the police of having murdered them in order to obtain their money and other property. He had \$350 when arrested. Buffeti was an old man emarrested. Buffeti was an old man em-ployed in the garden. The police believe he was killed because of the other alleg-ed murders. His name was added to the list of missing last night. Mrs. Palmetto was a young divorced woman, who dis-appeared two months ago. She had kept house for Bovori, but repeatedly refused to marry him. All her clothes have been found in Bovori's cabin. A blood stained axe was also found there, and a Mexi-can woman has informed the police that she washed the blood-stained clothing

WANTS A NEW TRIAL

Chester Gillette, Convicted of Murder, Enters an Appeal.

Albany, Jan. 16 .- A new trial for Chester Gillette on the ground of nearly a dozen errors of law in the trial which resulted in his conviction and sentence to death for the alleged murder of his sweetheart, Grace or "Billy" Brown, of South Otselic, Chenango County, at Big Moose Lake, in the Adirondacks, July 1, 1906, was asked of the Court of Appeals this afternoon by Senator A. Mills, of Little Falls, who has been Gillette's

ounsel since his arrest.
Gillette was found guilty on a of enticing Miss Brown to Big Moose Lake in the Adirondacks in July, 1906, taking her out in a boat in a lonely part of the lake, and as dusk was falling striking her on the head and face with and throwing her unconscious body into the water, where, it is claimed, drowning completed the work of murder. The de-fence has all along held that Miss Brown

Bridgeburg, Ont., despatch: Fred Jones, the twelve-year-old son of James Jones a conductor employed by the Grand Trunk Railway asre, met with a serious accident last night. While playing with other lads on the railway track he found a dynamite cap such as are used by the railway companies as signals for placing on the rails to warn approacning trains of danger, and taking it into the house, he tried to explode it by setting fire to it with a match. He was successful. The cap exploded

with such force that two fingers and the thumb of the left hand were blown off and the young lad was cut about the

EFFECT OF PREFERENCE.

Foreign Trade Diverted to Britain and British Colonies.

London, Jan. 13.—The Board of Trade has issued a report on british trade with New Zealand. The report says the New Zealand. The report says the figures suggest that the effect of the preferential arrangement has been to divert to the United Kingdom and British possessions a portion of the trade formerly held by foreign countries, in formerly held by foreign countries, in commodities affected by the preference in particular. Last year the United Kingdom and British possessions were enabled to secure, on the whole, an increase in the imports of those commodities about equal to 22 per cent. of the total imports into New Zealand.

300 LIVES LOST AT FEAST.

Chinese Moving Picture Show Results in Terrible Fatality.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 13.—Mail advices received from South China tell of a terrible fire at Canton, where 300 lives were lost in the burning of a restaurant. A Chinese recently returned to Canton from California with a cinematograph machine, and at a wedding feast at the Choi Chan restaurant

BAPTIST MISSIONS.

Laymen Meet in Toronto and Ask For the Sum of \$200,000.

A Toronto report: The Laymen's General Committee of the Baptist Church met at Walmer Road Baptist Church all day Thursday. Delegates from Montreal, Lindsay, Brantford, Hamilton, Peterboro, Kenmore, Dundas, Berlin, Belleville, Woodstock, St. George and other points in the Province were present.

The Toronto Baptist Churches have placed as a minimum the sum of \$50,000 for mission enterprises, while a committe of the meeting recommended that the convention of Ontario and Quebec should raise as a minimum \$200,000 for the same object.

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Among Toronto congregations, Jarvis Street Church has promised \$15,000 for missions this year, as against \$7,000 last year. Ossington Avenue Church, a small congregation, gave \$300 last year, and will give \$1,600 this. Beverley Street, \$400 last year, will give \$1,200 this year. Doveroourt Road Church will at least double their gift, and probably triple it, notwithstanding the fact that they have given liberally in the past. One of their number has promised to give dollar for number has promised to give dollar for dollar of the congregation.

HEAVY FIGHTING.

TOWN CAPTURED BY ABYSSINIANS AFTER BLOODY BATTLE.

Entire Garrison Slain-A Desperate and Unequal Fight Before Lugh-Not Known Yet Whether Emperor Mene-

lek Authorized Attack. Rome, Jan. 13.-News has been receiv ed here of a terrible battle in Italian Somaliland, on the east coast of Africa, between the Italian forces there and the Abyssinians. It is learned on good authority that Lugh, the furtherost Italian station in the interior, was besieged by the Abyssinians and destroy-ed after a desperate and unequal fight,

and its defenders were killed. It is believed here that the Italian Government is concealing a severe re-verse in order to prepare the public for graver news. The importance of the situation lies in the establishment of the fact as to whether or not the King of Abyssinia ordered the attack upon

talian possessions.

Lugh was garrisoned by only about 125 natives under the command of Cap-tain Bongiovanni, and the attacking party consisted of about two thousand nians, according to reports received here.

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The Italian Government has ordered the squadron, now in the Red Sea, to proceed to the coast of Somaliland, in order to protect the towns along the coast, as the entire territory is garrisoned by not more than two thousand natives, under the command of Italian officers. cers. At the same time the Government has telegraphed to the Italian Legation at Addis Abeba, the capital of Abyssinia, instructing the Italian Minister to present a protest to King Menelik against the violation of the status quo.

Italy holds Lugh through an agreement concluded with the Sultan of that territory in 1895, which, however, was never ratified by King Menelik, who considered Lugh as a portion of his territory. Lugh is nearly thirty days from

the coast.

The dominion of Italy in Africa extends over an area of about 90,000 square miles, with a coast line of 670 miles. The population, which is nomadic, is estimated at 450,000. The country, in the country is the country of try is largely in the hands of native chiefs and is undeveloped as yet. By various decrees between 1890 and 1901 the Italian possessions were constituted as the colony of Erythrea. During the early part of this period Italy suc-Bridgeburg Boy Lost Part of His Left Hand.

Ceeded in annexing a very extensive territory, but in 1896 an Italian army met with a crushing defeat, and after the treaty of Addis Abeba, the whole of the country to the south of the Mareb, the Bolesa and Muna Rivers, was restored to Abyssinia, By treaties in 1900 between Italy and Abyssinia, and in 1902 between Great Britain, Italy and Abyssinia, the frontiers of Erythrea were

Abyssinia, the frontiers of Erythrea were considerably modified.

In 1906 they were enumerated 275,000 native and 3,949 Europeans, inclusive of the military forces, 2,333 of whom are Italiana.

MARRIED FOR FUN.

NOW MISS MALONEY WANTS CON-TRACT PRONOUNCED VOID.

Philadelphia Millionaire Appeals to Courts for Judgment Declaring That His Daughter Was Not Wedded to the Arthur Osborne.

New York, Jan. 13.-Martin Maloney, of Philadelphia, made known, through a formal statement given to the Associated Press to-night, that proceedings had been instituted to obtain a court judgment declaring that there was no marriage beween his daughter. Helen Eugenie, and Arthur Herbert Osborne, the young New York broker, who, according to the county records, were technically united in matrimony at Mamaroneck, December 28, 1905.

Fictitious names were given by the parties to the ceremony and the two never lived together. Mr. Maloney does not go into details in his announcement, but it is understood that the present

ed to Canton from California with a cinematograph machine, and at a wedding feast at the Choi Chan restaur.unt he gave an exhibition of moving pictures, Several hundred Chinese had crowded into the place out of curiosity, packing it tightly.

The film took fire and thery was a panic, during which the building collaptard.

of fun, and that the marriage was a mockery.

Subsequent to the Mamaroneck ceremony Miss Maloney accepted the attention of Samuel Clarkson, a young Englishman, who had been a guest at the Maloney home. On October 1 last Clarkson and Miss Maloney simultaneously dropped out of sight, and were next heard from in London, where Miss Maloney will have little to be forth 7,000,000.

loney was found living in a hotel, and Markson in bachelor apar ents.

Following the disappearance of the wo and while frantic efforts to locate them were being made by the Maloney family, the situation was further com-plicated by the published claim of Os-borne that he was the husband of the missing daughter.

THE THAW CASE.

Picking Out the Jurymen-Miss Goodrich to Attend.

New York, Jan. 13.—The trial of Harry K. Thaw, for the killing of Stanford White opened this morning with one new juror as the net result of a day's work. Twice the jury box was filled yesterday and twice it was partially emptied again, and this morning the attorneys faced the threat of court sessions on Saturday unless they complete the jury before 10 o'clock to-night, It is not usual to hold court sessions Saturday, and the attorneys on both sides had counted on having time tomorrow to take a final look over the evidence, as there will be no time after the jury is completed.

Four absentees from yesterday's panel came in to-day, secured the rem their fines and were examined for service. The last one of the four, William vice. The last one of the four, William H. McHugh, a clerk, qualified as a tem-

porary juror.

The prosecutions of the fifteenth peremptory challenge was directed against Clayton Rolena, a clerk, who had quali-

fied for cause.

Wm. Burck, assistant secretary the Bowery branch of the Y. M. C. A., was accepted as temporary juror No. 11 in the Thaw panel.

Rumors of a mistake in identity when an attempt was made to serve Edna Goodrich, the actress, wanted as a witness for the defence in the trial of Harry K. Thaw, led to the serving of another subpoena upon the young woman at the theatre where she is playing last night. William Moore, a special employee in the case, from Attorney Peabody's office, served the subpoens.

Miss Goodrich and her mother received him on the stage and the young wo-

man willingly accepted the papers and promised to be on hand whenever desir-Justice Dowling announced this morning that night sessions of court would not be held after the jury is completed.

DUBERLY'S FUNERAL.

Earl Grey Wires That He Will Pay the Expenses.

A New York despatch: Early to-night he Stephen Merritt Burial Company received an answer to a telegram sent Earl Grey, Governor-General of Canada this morning, in which they say he instructed them to inter at their discretion the body of the suicide, H. Grey. Duberly, who killed himself at the Hermitage, and intimating that the Government. ernor-General would defray the expenses of the funeral. Upon receipt of the telegram the burial company decided to hold the funeral to-morrow, at 2.30 o'clock, at the chapel of the Stephen Merritt Company, Eighth avenue and Nineteenth street. The interment will be in Mount Kensico, N. Y., Ceme-

This afternoon two women, one about twenty-two years old, and the other about twenty-five, called at the rooms of the company and requested to see the remains of the suicide. Both women, ac-cording to the undertakers, seemed to be deeply moved by the sight. They deckin-

ed to give their names.

The burial company, up to a late hour to-night, had received no word from the young man's relatives in England. The funeral service will be conducted by Rev. Stephen Merritt.

FIREMAN'S CLOSE CALL

at Montreal.

Montreal, Jan. 13.— Fire broke out early to day in the Ecole St. Vincent de Paul, corner St. Denis and De Montigny Streets, and caused much ex-citement among the 140 children who were gathered there, but fortunately none of the little ones were injured. Fireman Viau, of No. 11 station, how-ever, was not so fortunate, for he nar-rowly escaped being burned to death. He was caught in a dense cloud of smoke and fire in the upper part of the institution, and when found, was lying prostrate on the floor and the flames were rapidly spreading around him. He was taken to his home, where was ascertained that he had escaped with slight burns.

women auto cab drivers in Berlin has already come to an end. To-day, Frau Von Papp, the only woman who was licensed to drive an automobile, retired because she did not possess sul ficient endurance to withstand the ardu

ous duties of the calling.

Twenty other women who have been learning to drive, failed to satisfy the police requirements for the granting of licenses. The cab companies show no disposition to engage any more women, and the experiment can be considered as having resulted in failure.

IN DANGER OF DEATH. Swept Away.

Pittsburg, Jan. 13.—Excitement was created in Allegheny yesterday by the announcement by Mayor Guthrie that sions of the young people that the idea of their union was conceived in a spirit of fun, and that the marriage was a mockery.

announcement by Mayor Guthrie that one-third of the population of that part of their union was conceived in a spirit death by the possible breaking of the old Allegheny reservoir. old Allegheny reservoir. Experts find its condition is such that the walls are liable to break at any moment, letting forth 7,000,000 gallons of water.

The reservoir is on a hill, and practically overlooks the Spring Garden district, situated between two high hills. If the reservoir collapses 60,000 persons will have little chance to escape with

BRANTFORD OPERA HOUSE

Woods' Fair and Other Business Places Badly Damaged.

Grafton's Store Slightly Damaged— May Build New Theatre.

A Brantford, Ont., special despatch: The Brantford Opera House was gutted by fire at 5.30 this morning, and so badly damaged that it will probably be abandoned. Adjacent buildings also suffered, though not to a serious extent. The cause is unknown. Constable Boylan saw smoke issuing from the theatre, which is situated on Colborne street, in which is situated on Colborne street, in the heart of the business block, between Market and Queen streets. A general alarm was turned in, and both local departments responded. The theatre is on the second floor over business houses. The whole building was in flames, and it was only because of the desperate efforts of the department and the thick fire proof walls that the conflagration was confined to the interior of the theawas confined to the interior of the thea tre. The stage and dressing roo completely gutted, and the stroyed.

Below the theatre Woods' Fair, Jack

Below the theatre Woods Fatt, Jack Kelly's cigar store and pool room, Harry Souel's barber shop were badly damag-ed by water, and Grafton's clothing store was slightly damaged. The total loss will be in the neighborhood of fif-

loss will be in the neighborhood of fif-teen thousand dollars.

The Opera House was erected in 1881, and is owned by the Stratford estate of this city. The place may now be converted into business premises, as a project is on foot to erect a new theatre on another site. The cause of the fire is a mystery. A moving picture show exhibited last night, but all the appliances were removed. The electric wiring was perfect. Manager Frank Johnston lost \$400 worth of musical instruments and other effects on which there was no insurance.

HIGHEST PENALTY.

THREE YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

Judge Choquet's Effort to Put Down the Carrying and Free Use of Knives by Italians at Montreal.

Montreal, Jan. 13.-Judge Choque piaced himself on record in the Court of Special Sessions to-day as being determined to put a stop to the habit so

termined to put a stop to the habit so common among Italians in this city of carrying and using weapons.

"You are a foreigner, seven months in this country," said his Honor, in tentencing a young Italian named Michaela Marino to three years in penitentiary, "and it is proved that without the slightest provocation you took cut a razor and struck Antonio Tatti an the neck, causing him bodily harm. Fortunately you did not commit murden. Italians in this country must understand that they have to stop these practices—that they must not carry knives of razors. This is a quiet country, yet in this city we hear every day of quarrels and murders. Such quarrels and murders such guilty of such offence as at present before this court will be most is found guilty of such offence as at present before this court will be most severely punished. The highest psnalty in the present instance is three years in penitentiary, and I inflict three years."

AFRAID OF TITLES.

The Manager of the Hotel Gotham Becoming Wary.

New York, Jan. 13 .- Any person with lection of baggage who in the future wishes accommodations at the Hotel Gotham will have to present at the desk a letter of introduction properly certified by the Embassy or Le Carl Berger, manager of the Gotham, issued an order to that effect yester-

assued an order to that effect yester-day.
"Some of these persons of title mean well enough," Mr. Berger said, "but their bank accounts do not keep pace with their good intentions. In self-protection I have made the rule a sweeping one, so that no one will feel that I am discriminating against him."
"I cannot be blamed for receiving old

acquaintances with whose resources I am familiar. Neither can I be blamed if I refuse to open accounts with men WOMEN CHAUFFEURS NO MORE.

Career of Berlin Auto-Cab Drivers of ity to meet their hotel obligations is Gentler Sex Cut Short.

Berlin, Jan. 13.—The short career of me quite a few dollars, and I am determined to the sex of these persons have cose me quite a few dollars, and I am determined to the sex of these persons have cose me quite a few dollars, and I am determined to the sex of the

> CAPT. CARTER'S FRAUD He Acted in Collusion With Greene and Gaynor.

mined they shall not cost any more.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—Judge Kohlsaat in he United States Circuit Court rendered a decision this afternoon in favor of the Government in the suit against Capt. Oberlin M. Carter, former United States army engineer, charged with hav-ing defrauded the Federal Government to the extent of \$700.000 through conspiracy with Gaynor and Green.

Third of Allegheny's Population May be entitled to the \$400,000 in unregistered. railroad bonds and other securities trac ed by the Government to safety deposit vaults and banks in various parts of the country. Under the decision the Gov ernment will retain the securities, and the ramous case, which resulted in the conviction of Captain Carter and Green and Gaynor, and the imposing of pent-tentiary sentences, is brought to a close. The case grew out of the construction of certain river and harbor improvements on the coast of Georgia. The Government presecutors contended that the army officers and the actions of the coast of th

the army officers and the contractors de-frauded the Government in the sum of \$2,225,000, and that creatherd of this amount, or about \$70000 went to Cap-