After all, is it as much fun to win as

The chief trouble with the tarket is the speculative bug.

A Chicago chemist gave six reasons for his suicide, but cowardice was no among the number.

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The Detroit girl who has been thrice wedded to the same husband has no end of perseverance.

New York has a woman stone cutter. Men will be particular about giving her the marble heart.

The Infante Alfonso's names appear to be sufficiently numerous and for midable to keep him off the cigar boxes.

It is consoling to realize that sun-shine can still be counted upon to fol-low clouds and rain if we wait long

"What is whisky?" asks the Wash ington Herald. Now will there be a rush of obliging editors to incriminate themselves?

A cry of "Mice" broke up a woman auffragist meeting at Wimbledon in England. Is there no limit to mascu-line deprayity?

As between aerial and submarine navigation, in their present stage of development, the prudent person still prefers hoofing it.

It seems to be settled that both the United States and Mexico want peace down in Central America, and that they will not have to fight

It is a serious charge to say that he women do too much talking hrough the telephone. Do they hin-ter other women from using the

Persons with matrimonial experi-ence will indorse Rev. Mr. Philputt's dictum that the cheerful heart comes first in Wifely qualities and the clean house afterward.

Raw eggs and sweet milk, taken in arge and frequent doses, is the new-st cure for tuberculosis. Wouldn't e so bad if the raw eggs could be put up in capsule or powder form.

Two Million Russians are starving.
The rest of the Russians have troubles of other kinds. If we were the crar we could not help feeling that we were doing a mighty poor job of

New York is to spend \$100,000 for free concerts on plers and in parks this summer. There is no city except London where so much free music is supplied, and the outlay this year will be larger than ever.

Mr. Schwab says we shall have to throw away our expensive steel rails and put in new ones of nickel steel. If the capitalization of some of the roads was not so moist they could afford to put in a gold-plated roadbed.

If there are 38,000 men working on the Panama canal, and they are dig-ging something like 1,000,000 cubic yards a month, each man apparently digs something like a cubic yard a day. Of course, however, a good many of the 38,000 never lift an ounce of

It is probable that Maurice Francis
Egan, who writes poetry for the maga
sines, will be appointed minister to
Denmark. It would be a good joke on
Alfred Austin, who thinks there 'are
no poets in America, if the President no poets in America, if the President would make it a point when the next ambassador to the Court of St. James is appointed to select some good, steady poet for the job.

Fine old language, the Latin. Fine new slang, our own. We say, today, when a man is knocked down and out, "He's got 'flis." The Romans, bedding the dying gladistor, plerced by the victor's blade, cried out across the areas, "Habet." And they're practically and almost literally the same

Statistics issued at the close of the year-1906 show that there were in use in the United States alone more than 7,000,000 telephones, and an aggregate of a little over \$,000,000 miles of wire used for telephone service. The telephone industry gives employment to \$0,000 persons in the United States, an increase of 171 per cent in six years, while during the same period the number of stations has increased \$39 per cent and the wire mileage 349 per cent.

Rev. Dr. Aked's plea for a Christo-centric revival staggers his hearers a bit, but they may get at his mean-ing in time. The distinguished Ens-lish preacher, like one of his emi-nent countrymen, evidently delights to indulge in terminological exacti-

Dr. Eastwood, an eminent English authority connected with the Royal Commission of Tuberculosis, says that clearly one of the most imperiant steps in fighting the acourge of consumption is to keep a watchful eye on the milk supply.

"HALL OF THE KNIGHTS" AT THE HAGUE.



SEVEN KILLED IN A MINE

TWO EXPLOSIONS OF GAS SHAFT AT PRICEBURG, PA.

Victims Are Horribly Disfigured-Wild Excitement Prevails Among Families of the Miners.

Pamilies of the Minera.

Scranton, Pa.—Seven men were killed outrisht and two others seriously injured in two explosions of mine gas in the Johnson No. 1 mine at Priceburg late Tuesday.

The first explosion, which occurred about three o'clock, was caused by the carelessness of a door tender who, by leaving the door open, allowed gas to accumulate in the workings. One man was injured as a result of this execution of the control of the con

serity harded to the scene of the explosion.

News of the explosion spread rapidjuly through the village of Priceburg, a
mining hambet just north of Serantop,
and hundreds of wives, children and
other relatives of those who are employed in the mine hurried to the
breaker. So badly disfigured were
the remains of those who were killed
that identification at the time was impossible and the wildest rectice to
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pursued by the mine officials to keep
the crowds back, and hundreds followed the ambulances to undertaking
establishments. It was with the greatest difficulty that any authentic news
of the affair could be learned, because
of the excitement that prevailed.

About 1,500 men work in the mine,
but as no account was kept of those
who had come out before the explosion
occurred it is impossible to delermine,
until the resume party returns, if the
present death list is complete.

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A That Included Women.

A Sumption, III.—A mob selzed Alfred Bouland here Monday night, intent upon hanging him because he had been charged with bigamy, but the timely arrival of officers saved his life. Three alleged mob leaders have been arrested.

Bouland was married here six months ago. Two weeks ago a woman claiming to be his wife arrived from claiming to be his wife arrived from claiming to be his wife arrived romedy in the second of the second him to the woods to hang him. Women were in, the mob, and one woman had just placed a rope around his neck when officers arrived and rescued Bouland.

Victor Ritchie, Josephine Ritchie and Jane Sorrows were arrested on the charge of being mob leaders, and state warrants have been issued for 15 others.

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Hurt on Eve of Wedding.

Washington,—Capt. Horace Pairfax
Moseby Browne, of the British army,
and his fiancee, Miss Maud Vera
Hanna, daughter of the late Joseph H.
Hanna, of Cincinnati, were injured in
an automobile accident late Monday.
Their marriage was scheduled for
Tuesday. Capt. Browne sustained a
fractured arm and a number of bruises
about the head and face. Mrs. Beulah
Jacobs, of London, who is Miss Hanna's chaperon in this country, was
also in the automobile and was seriously injured.

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London.—Eddle' Guerin, who escaped to the United States from
Deviris island, then came to England
where he was arrested and ordered
to be extradited to France, was set
ree by the divisional court, which decided that the extradition act did not
apply to the case.

Two Kilied in Auto Accident, Ciacinnail.—Thomas Trever, superintendent of the H. & S. Poque Co, and Alfred Trever, of the same company, were killed in an automobile accident Tuesday night. The chauf feur, name unknown, is seriously in jured and may die.

Hotel Proprietor Found Dead.

Martin City, Mo.—George Lee, proprietor of the Martin City hotel, was found dead three miles from bere on the road Tuesday. It is believed Lee was struck by an automobile.

TEST FOR LOW FARE LAW. Missouri Statute Will Have Three Months' Trial.

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Kansas City, Mo.—The Missouri two-cent passenger fare act will go into effect at six a. m. on Wednesday next, and be given a three months' trial. If at the end of that time the rate is found to be unremunerative the law's enforcement can be fought in the courts by the railroads.

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The courts by the railroads are simply and the courts by the railroads are simply and the courts by the maximum freight rate law and this case will be argued later in the federal court.

Judge Smith McPherson in the United States district court bere Monday afternoon, after handing down an opinion maintaining the court's jurisdiction in the premises, ordered the promulgation of the above stated facts, which had been agreed to by the attorneys for the state and the 18 Missouri railroads involved. The court in its decision had suggested that the two-cent fare should be first given appractica trial before injunction. The considered.

Herbert S. Hadley, attorney general, said regarding the two-cent bill:

"If at the end of three months the railroads want to illigate the reasonableness of these rates, the matter of the jurisdiction of the state and federal courts to determine the question will be fought out and the state has lost once of the rights and advantages.

"The injunction suits that I have brought against the railroad companies on the passenger rates in the state courts will attand."

BANKHEAD WEARS MORGAN TOGA Governor of Alabama Appoints For-mer Congressman to the Senate.

Birmingham, Ala. — Gov. Comer, who was in Birmingham Monday morning, appointed former Con-gressman John H. Bankhead to the vacancy in the United States sen-ate from Alabama caused by the death



JOHN H. BANKHEAD.

of Senator John T. Morgan, the ap-pointment to hold until the legisla-ture meets July 19.

Col. Bankhead ran first in the Dem-ocratic primaries for alternate sena-tor last August.

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Walf Heir to Big Fortune.
Howard, Kan.—Harry Posner, aced
Is, a walf brought here from New
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Ormal institute in Howard, Friday
received a message from New York
etg stating that he had fallen heir to
half a million dollars left by his father, who died in Cape Town Africa.
The boy's mother died when he was a
child. His father disappeared and he
had not beard from him in years unult to-day.

Boodlers Are Pardoned. Boodiers Are Pardoned.
Jefferson City, Mo.—Julius Lebmann and Emil Hartman, former St.
Louis councilmen convicted of boodling and sentenced to the penilentiary
over three years ago, were pardoned
by Gov. Folk Friday and released
after having served about half their
sentences.

Rock Island Publisher Arcested. Rock Island, Ill.—John Looney, politician, newspaper owner and lawyer, was arrested Tuesday on 34 indictments containing charges of criminal libel, extortion, bribery and, conspiracy to extort and to indict.

Fast Train is Wrecked.
Columbus, O.—Big Four passenger
train No. 19, one of the fastest trains
on the New York Central lines, went
through an open switch Tuesday in
the northern part of the city and five
persons were badly hurt.

MISSIVES ARE ADMITTED

Revenge Theory of Defense Comba By Witness' Statement That He Sold Hercules Mine In 1897.

RIOTS OF WORKMEN IS LIKELY ORCHARD SAYS HAYWOOD AIDEI IN FIXING UP LETTERS.

nent Confident—Nine of In-dicted Deputter Are Arrested.

Boise, Idaho.—The prosecution in the Steunenberg murder trial offered one of its most haportant pleces of evidence against William D. Haywood Tuesday, when, recalling Harry Orchard for redirect examination, it introduced and secured the admission of four letters tending to show that Haywood during the fall of 1905, when Haywood during the fall of 1905, when the contract of the federation leaders, had participated in a plan to deceive Mrs. Orchard the second, of Cripple Creek, as to the whereabouts of her husband.

Over a variety of protests from the defense Orchard was allowed to testify that early in the summer of 1905. Haywood told him that Mrs. Orchard was writing him for information as to Orchard's whereabouts. Orchard swore that he proposed that he should write his wife a series of letters that were to be falsely dated and delivered the summer of the federation. He said that he first wore two letters which he dated at San Francisco and had them delivered through Paddy Mullaney, who represented the federation of the letters which he dated at San Francisco and had them delivered through Paddy Mullaney, who represented the federation of the letters and, overruling all objections of the defense, Judge Wood admitted them.

Next Orchard swore that he wrote a thrid letter purporting to come from Nome, Alaska, and that under the general arrangement he made with the federation officials. March where he went as organizer of the federation and posted it. This letter, bearing the date of Nome, August 5, 1905, was produced, identified an admitted a settlement of the second of the place. I see that away to the last information of the place. I see that away to the last and order element. Yours very truly.

dicted Opputies are Arcested.

St. Petersburg—An imperial ukase was issued. Sunday proriguing the council of the empire until November 13.

The dissolution of the second doums alturday night was received throughout St. Petersburg with perfect tranquility, thanks to the precautionary measures, and in no place in Russia, so far as is known, were there any serious disturbances.

Demonstartions among St. Petersburg workmen are anticipated Monday but the authorities are not apprehensive over the possibility of rioting and racial excesses in Odessa and Kiev and other cities where party feelings run high. An outbreak of agrarian disorders in several regions of the empire is anticipated later, when the peasantry learn of the dissolution, but a spirit of quiet confidence in the ability of the government to handle the situation prevails in administrative circles.

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Though Gen. Drachnessy, prefect provisions for publicy in charge wirtually in the hands of Gen. Hazen-kampf, the side to Grand Dute Nicholaevitch, who returned from Krasnoy Selo to assume command of the combined garrison, including the suard corps, the Thirty-seventh infantry division, is large force of cavairy and Consacks and several machine gun detachments. The military was chiefly disposed in the industrial section, but a strong content of the prince Tretreet, specifically.

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SCHMITZ OUT AS FRISCO MAYOR.

Board of Supervisors Name James L. Gallagher to His Place.

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San Francisco. — Under orders of District, Attorney William H.
Langdon, the board of supervisors adopted ar feesbutton declaring Mayor Vingene Schmitz temporarily, -mable to perform his omdical duties and supervisors.

Gallagher's appointment as acting mayor. Is only a temporary one. He will serve only until the supreme court has decided whether or not it will admit Mayor Schmitz to bail pending the hearing of his petition for a new trial. Should Schmitz be granted freedom on bail Gallagher will, of the mayor will no longer be incapacitated for performing the duties of chief executive of the city.

Schmitz was given permission by Judge Lawler Tuesday to pay aröther vigit. to the offices of his attorneys, but failed in his effort to have the court extend the scope of his absence from the county jail so as to permit high to attend to other than private.

The application recticed that the "district attorney is seeking to sure heart of the prevent."

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At the opening of the morning ses-sion the defense asked Orchard a series of impeaching questions. Brief Session is Held at The Hague Tribute to Roosevalt.

TWO LIVES LOST IN STORM. Rain and Lightning Do Serious Dam

Sherburn, Minn.—Two lives are reported lost and considerable property damage done by a severe electrical storm which raged for nearly six hours in this vicinity Sunday. Rain fell in torrents, amounthg to a cloud-burst in the vicinity of Fajrmount. Streams are running bank full, roads and bridges are carried out and numerous washouts are reported. Many houses, barns and windmills were struck by lightning and badly damaged. A man and a boy, names unknown, are reported to have been killed by lightning near Dunnell.

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Washington—A private cablegram was received here Monday stating that Marquis Ito and the elder statemen of Japan held a conference with Foreign Minister Hayashi in Tokio last Wednesday, and that at the urgent request of the marquis is was decided to recall Viscount Aoki, Japanese ambassador to this country. The statement was made in an authoritative quarter that Marquis Ito and Ambassador Aoki have not been on friendly terms for many years.

It was said Baron Kaneko probably would succeed Viscount Aoki.

Tugboat Sinks, One Man Dro Tugboat Sinks, One Man Drowns.
Kansas City, Mo.—The towboat
Della struck a pier in the Missouri river Tuesday and sank. Walter Goff of St. Joseph, Mo., aged 55 years, a member of a prominent family there, was drowned.

Catcher Bresnahan Badly Hurt.
Cincinnati. — Roger Bresnahan,
catcher for the New York Nationals,
was hit by a pitched bail in the third
inning of Tuesday's game with Cincinnati, and is believed to be seriously hurt.

The Hague. — The first meeting of the second international peace conference, opened here Saturday, lasted hardly 20 minutes, when the conference adjourned until Wednesday. Tea was served in the main hall and the committee rooms after the adjournment.

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other countries or rulers.

Eight Bodies Now Recovered.

Washington.—Rear Admiral Brownson, chef of the navigation burses
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mand of the dispatch Tuesday night
from Rear Admiral Emory, in command of the feet in Hampton Roads,
stating that the bodies of two more
of the victums of the Minnesota's
launch accident were recovered late
in the afternoon, those of Midshipman
Herbert L. Holden and Seaman Robert H. Dodson. This makes eight
bodies recovered.

Chicago Theater Burned.
Chicago. — The Olympic theater,
the oldest vanderlile house in Chicago, was practically destroyed by
fre at midnight Friday night. The
loss will exceed \$160,000. Chief Horan
and three of his firemen were slightly
injured.

Eighteen Hurt in Wreck Trinidad, Col.—Eighteen passengers were injured, three fatally, in a wreck Monday of eastbound passenger train No. 8 on the Santa Fe, near Earl, 20 miles east of here.

PLOT TO FOOL WIFE RUSSIAN DOUMA DISSOLVED HEALTH NOTES FOR JUNE.



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