WORLD'S NEWS -TOLD IN-

The Chinese minister conferred with President Roosevelt in regard to pend-ing negotiations for the purchase by China of Han-Kow railroad and con-

cessions.

The training ship Dorothea of the Illinois naval reserve struck a reef near Mackinaw City and is badly dam-

aged.
Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay attended
the Long Island school board meeting
startling the mebers with red hat and
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Barney Oldfield, the dare-devil motorist, met with a bad accident at Detroit and came nearer death than ever before.

before.

A Russian warship bombarded a saucy town in Creje till the people raised the white flag.

One man was killed and six injured by the fail of an elevator being used to raise building material at the Kinsman street school building in Cieve-land.

land.
Orders were issued for the resumption next Monday of the balance of the hot mills of the Greer in plant of New Castle, Pa., when about 2,000 men will be at work.

men will be at work.
Immigration Inspector Marcus
Braun at New York resigned rather
than wear a uniform.
Dissensions among the stockholders

Dissensions among the stockholders started a run on the Denver Savings bank, and the officers put the 10 per cent rule in force.

Eugene C. Schmilt; the union labor mayor of San Francisco, was beaten at the primaries by the reform Report of San Francisco, was beaten at the primaries by the reform Report of the property of the proper

schools.

John D. Rockefeller has purchased
the King home, adjoining his Pocantico Hills estate, for a favored em-

ploye.

King Oscar of Sweden is to delegate his duties to Prince Gustave as regent while he takes a rest.

A French squadron of eighteen war vessels has anchored in the Solent, where officers and crew are guests of

where officers and crew are guests of King Edward.

By a decision of a New York judge, the laying on of hands and the pray-ing of Christian Scientists in cases of aickness are practically upheld.

J. Pierpont Morgan had a confer-ence with President Roosevelt over the proposed sale of Yankow rallroad to China.

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Clair Bain Hamilton, aged eighteen, Clair Bain Hamilton, Clair Bain, Clair Bai

burg. Va. were married in Washing-G. William Filt, designer of two of the Lipton cup challenging rachts. and Capitals H. M. Durrand, son of the Brif-ish ambassador at Washington, were among the Lucanin passengers from Liverpool to New York. * The Interior Department at Wash-ing indian lands for agricultural in-terior of the company of the com-pany of the company of the com-traction of the company of the com-traction of the company of the com-traction of the

the owners.
General Joseph H. Lyon of Leavenworth, Kas, has been appointed temporary major general of the uniform rank, Knights of Pythias, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of General James R. Carnahan.

eral James R. Carashan.

"It is reported that the sultan of
Morocco is now opposed to an inter-national conference on Morocco af-fairs, fearing that dismemberment of his empire may follow.

By executive order the president has discontinued the land offices at Eau Claire and Ashland, Wis. The business of the two offices will be trans-forred to the land office at Wausau, Wis.

Wis.

Investigation of the career of the
missing mayor of Paterson, N. J.,
shows a black record.

No trace can be found of Mrs. Rebecca Bowman, a mysterious woman
of wealth, who has disappeared from
the home of William Abbey at Lafay
site. Ind.

Unitéd States Senator William B. Allison and Congressman Robert G. Cousins of Jowa have sailed from Southampton for New York.

An enormous mass of pure antire copper has ben uncovered at the Michigan miles in Ontonagon county.

LATEST CASH MARKET REPORTS.

renovated, 1891er, daries, Cooleys, 1846; first, 276; falles, 186; posking stock, 184; Fish-Black bass, 15c; carp and buf-alo, 2c; pike, 7c; pickerel, 5c; perch.

Live poultry-Turkeys, per lb. 15c; chickens, fowks, 11c; roosters, 7c; syrings, 62; 60 per 60; dicks, 10c; gesse, 24.06. Berries—Red raspherries, 15c; 61.16 per 15c; data black reds the 62; 15c; dicks per 15c; data black reds the 62; 15c; dicks per 15c; data black reds the 62; dicks per 15c; dick black cherries, 11.16; 25c; per oar; gens, crates, 56c; 41.16; baskets, 15 gric.

Sc. Basketa, 18
 Scans—Hand-picked, choice, \$1,574.6
 Coff. color, \$1,25.91.56; red kidneys, bu, \$2,9623.05; brown Swedish, \$1.85.1 limas, California, per 194 lbs. \$6.49.50.

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New York Produce.

Butter—Easy: creamery, common to extra, 174,921c; state dairy, common to extra, 164,9204c; renovated, common to extra, 159,15c; western factory, common to extra, 159,16c; western imitation recamery, extras, 159,16c; western imitation recamery, extras, 159,16c; do, first, 119 mon to extra 15916; western imitation rememer, extras 159cd of firsts 159 (1997). The rememer of the first 150 (1997) was a second and white fancy 150cd of any other of the first 150cd of the white fancy 150cd of the first 150cd of the first

Butter—Receipts, 13,200 pounds; sold a H cents; official firm at 21 cents.

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The contract for the construction of the postomice building at Adrian. Mich., has been awarded to E. W. Reid & Co., of Flint, Mich., at 279. 582, the building to be completed by March 1, 1907.

African tribeamen burned many Portuguese villages and massacred the white settlers by wholeasle. Hioting of a severe character marked the strike of 1,000 Jewish bakers in New York City. At a meeting at strike beadquartes manufactured the strike of 1,000 Jewish bakers in New York City. At a meeting at strike beadquartes manufactured the strike of 1,000 Jewish bakers in New York City. At a meeting at strike beadquartes manufactured to the strike of 1,000 Jewish bakers in New York City. At a meeting at strike beadquartes manufactured to be proposed to the strike of the strike

south, at Pana, as pastor.

John Doyle, former president of the
Indiana mineworkers' organization,
has been appointed a national organizer by President Mitchell.

John and Jaris Wood, two Boston
brothers, quarried because of love for
woman and have not spoken for years.

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After being out more than forty
hours, the jury in the Oregon land
fraud cases against Congressman Willammou, Dr. Van Gesner and Land
Commissioner Biggs reported that it
was unable to agree, making the secoud disagreement in the same case.
The third trial will begin on Aug. 23

HIDDEN PUZZLE PICTURE.



FLOORS CARRY MANY TO DEATH

Section of Big Department Store at Albany Sinks Into Basement.

MORE THAN TWENTY ARE DEAD

Men Engaged in Making Improve-ments in the Building Saw Wooden Beam in Two and Collapse of Struc-

Albany, Aug. 9.—Twenty to thirty persons were killed and more than hair a hundred severely injured when the middle section of the big department store of the John G. Myers Company collapsed at 8:50 o'clock Tuesday morning, carrying 100 men, women and children into the basement. All day and far into the alght firemen and laborers were diggting frantically in the ruins, hoping to rescue alive some of those imprisoned in the debris. Forty-six injured pers. as were dragged from the ruins before midnight, and six bodies were taken out. Three more modies were in sight, and it was the general opinion of the searchers that all those who remained in the ruins were dead.

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in the ruins were dead.

Anything like a complete list of the killed and injured will be unobtainable until the workers have made their way to the very bottom of the mass of wreckage. With few exceptions those

wreckage. With few exceptions those caught in the rain were employes, a large majority of them girls.

The collapse occurred shortly after the opening hour, when barely a score of shoppers were in the store.

The best account of tae event that probably caused the ruin is giren by the head of the crockery, glass and drug department, which occupies the basement.

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Warns Clerks of Danger.

"The workmen were sawing at a wooden floor beam which runs under the end of the central pillar in the middle of the store," said he. Excention of the store, and the excent of the pillar. The first thing I knew two of the counters near the place where the men were working began to sag, and several pieces of glassware slid off cotto the floor with a crash. I yelled to my clerks to run for the front of the store. The words were not out of my mouth when there came a creaking and everything around use began to fall.

The pillar which gave way supported the ends of two glant girders, and when It fell the main supported the ends of two glant girders, and when It fell the main supported the sends of two glant girders, and when It fell the main supported the sends of two glant girders, and when It fell the main supported the sends of two glant girders, and when It fell the main supports and when It fell the main supports of the store of the sends of two glant girders, and when It fell the main supports of the sends of two glant girders. The pillar which gave my supported the sends of two glant girders, and when It fell the main supports of the sends of two glant girders. It is not to the sends of two glants grants and the sends of two glants grants are grants. The pillar which gave my supported the sends of two glants and the pillar which gave my supported the sends of two glants and the sends of two glants and the sends of two glants and the sends of the sends of two glants and the sends of two glants and the sends of two glants and the sends of the s

to escape.

Work of Rescue Begins.

The firemen at once set to work to rescue those who were planed under the top wreckage. They were joined by scores of volunteer rescuers, and some were carried out, none of them fally injured.

tally injured.

In a short time the city's entire hospital and ambulance force was on the

Minister CHURCH IS IN TROUBLE

Minister Lectures to Pay Debt on Roof
Garden Institution.

Larorte, Ind., dispatch: To lift an
ortigage on the famous roof garden
church at Columbus, Ind. Rec.,
the church at Columbus, Ind. Rec.,
is making an overland tour of Indiana
and Illinois, giving illustrated lectures
on "The Passion Play." The church
was psecentiy levied upon by the sheiff, the congregation having been unable to meet the obligations which fall
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scene, aided by half a hundred doo

teens, nuced by that a hubarts usotors.

The volunteer rescuers and firemes
continued the work until exhausted,
when their places were taken by a
from the New York Central and Delaware & Hudson railroads. These
delved in the rains all night, but the
work of rescue proceeded slowly,
When darkness came it was estimated
that nearly fifty persons still remained
in the rains, and that not more than
half of these could survive.

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Some 100 persons are still unaccounted for, but fifty of these are eash boys, of which the firm has no record. The louist so the company is estimated at between \$20,000 and \$300,000. The building was a very old one, but until now considered perfectly sound. After the death of John G. Myers, founder of the store, two years ago, the business was conducted by a company consisting of George P. Hilton, if. King Strudee, Edward F. Hackett and Robert M. Chalmers. Mr. Chalmers was taken from the ruins with slight lajuries.

TRIES TO GIVE AWAY HIS CASH

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Drunken Stockman Finds No One

Who Will Accept \$5.05.

Kannas City, Mo., dispatch: After
valnly trying to give away 1,025 to a
Christopher Pangrow, a stockman of
Shawnee, Kan, was arrested and
locked up at police beadquarters for
safekeeping. He was very drunk and
highly indignant that no one would
accept the bulky roll of bills he was
four-shing about his head. Fangrow
came to town with a car of stock and
disposed of them at the stock yarda
Then he started out alone to see the
city. On boarding a Roanote car
downtown he offered his money to
called at the police station and promleed to deliver Fangrow and his bunleed of money at his home in Shawnee.

MISSOURI SOLON-15 ACQUITTED

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Jury Finds That Senator Farris is Not

Jury Finds That Senator Farris is Not Guilty of Bribery.

Jefferson City, Mo., dispatch: State Senator H. Farris was acquitted by a jury in the circuit court on a charge of bribery in connection with a bill introduced at the season of the state legislature in the season of the state legislature in gifts use of alum in the manufacture of baking powder, commonly known as the "alum bill." The acquittal was greeted with cheers by the friends of Senator Farris and the latter was warmly congratulated. The trial had lasted for a week, the principal testimony for the state being that of former Lieutemant Gorror John A. Lee, on whose testimony before the grand jury indicates the state of the state of the grand jury indicates the state of the grand jury indicates the state of the grand jury indicates the grand property of the grand property of the grand jury indicates the grand property of the grand proper

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Explosion of Powder in Mines at Kelster Has Berious Results.
Unlontown, Pa., special: Eight miners were injured, one of them seriously, by the explosion of a blownout shot in the mines at the Keister
works in Redstone fownship. Accharge of powder prepared and not
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charge of powder prepared and not
been placed tight enough, and when
discharged scattered rock and fire
among a group of miners. They were
quickly brought to the surface and
given medical attention.

Contracts for Steamships.
Chester, Pa., dispatch.—The contract for two 400-000 till750,000 passenge steamships for a new service hetween New York and Boston has been awarded to the Roseh Shipbuilding Company of Chester by the Metropoli tan Steamship Company.

PRESIDENT VAN HISE IN DENIAL

Wisconain University Head Says Pre-fessors May Do Outside Work.
Maddoon, Wis. dispatch—President
Van Hise, Just returned from two
weeks in Colorado, dended a story that a new policy was to be inaugurated at
the university of Wisconsin whereby members of the faculty could not do
outside work, such as teaching in city schools or writing text-books for pri-vate gain. "I have never said a thing to anybody regarding any such poli-cy," he said. "It is pure fabrication."

OBEYS MOTHER'S ORDER TO SHOOT

Illinois Boy Acts on Parent's Advice and Kills Well-Known Politician.

THOUGHT HE WAS A BURGLAR

foman Had Been Made Nervous by Numerous Robberies Committed in the Vicinity and Was in Dread of Being Attacked.

Sterling, III., special: Harvey Consway, is well-known contractor and politician of Coleta, Whiteade county, was shot and instantly killed Sunday morning at 12:30 c'clock by Charles Herick, 14 years of age. The shooting is of a peculiar nature and has caused tremendous excitement in the county.

remeadous excitament in the country. Bunday morning at about 12 o'dock or later fir. Criss about 12 o'dock or later fir. Criss about 15 o'dock or later fir. Criss and in Colleta, and in company with William Geosey secured a cake of ice. Mrr. W. H. Herrick, who lives in a flat twenty feet from the loc house, imagined that robbers were entering or leaving the Shanons store, and securing a double-barried shotgun she gave it to her soon and advised him to shoot at the latrucker, but fold him to aim low.

Boy's Aim is True.

son and advised him to shoot at the intruder, but told him to aim low.

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The boy shot, discharging the contents of both barrels in the back of Conaway on the right side, boring as bole through five ribs and tearing the lung and liver. Conaway fell forward with a cry and in an instant was dead with a cry and in an instant was dead to the content of the content

county.

The coroner's inquest was held Sinday afternoon and the case is being thoroughly sifted by State's Attorney H. H. Waite, it being necessary to adjourn the inquest.

Neither Mrs. Herrick nor her son has been arrested. Mrs. Herrick is a prominent church woman and is liked by the entire community. What so-tion the authorities will take is not known.

CHICKENS HATCH IN A HAYMOW

CHICKENS HATCH IN A HAYMOW. Indians Farmer Finds a Dozen Lively Chirpers, Abandoned by Mother. Wabash, Ind., dispatch: Eliis Busard has found that a mow ful of new forward that a mow ful of new forward forw

KILL TWO AT A CAMP MEETING

Fight Over Game of Craps Proves
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Smyrns, Del, dispatch: An early
morning riot among segroes at Friendship camp meeting, sear Clayton, rosuited in the death of George Jackson,
of near Middleiown, who was sho
to the state of the control of the control
wounder. According to Guy, the negroes were shooting craps on the Delware and Chesapeake railroad, close
to the camp meeting grounds. A dispute arose and revolvers were brought
iato play.

VANDALS CUT HISTORIC FLAG

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Ruin Revolutionary Relic, Used to
Drape John Paul Jones Casket.
Washington dispatch: Nary Deparment officials have instituted a search
for the vandals who mutilated a historic stilk battle flag, leat to the cruiser Brooklyn for the purpose of drapjung the casket containing the body of
John Paul Jones on the recent vorage
from France. A strip a foot long and
two inches wide was cut from the
flag, which was used in one of the
battles of the revolution and is the
property of the Daughters of the
American Revolution.

New Herreshoff Boat.
Bridgeport, Conn., dispatch.—A.
motorboat built from designs by C.
Herreshoff, is said to be the fas
crait ever built. How much m
than 35 miles an hour the boat m
Mr. Herreschoff would not say.

Finds \$8,000 in Cash.
Kent, Ohlo, dispatch: A pocketbook containing \$8,000 in cash and papers was found by Erie Section Foreman Hurd at Tallmadge. It was left with the Kent bank for the owner, who is believed to be a Chicago man.

DEMANDS ACCOUNTING OF ESTATE FROM HER SON

ndant's Secret Marriage Against Family Objections Causes Estrangement.

Estrangement.

LaPorte, Ind., dispatch—Piqued because her son secretly married Miss Jeahle Campbell, a society belle of Michigas (Lty, Ind., against her visites, Mira, Amelia Leeds, formerly of respective to the control of the past year a real-feat of Clust for the past year a real-feat of Clust for the past year on, Office W. Leeds, a well known Michigan City business and cith man, for an accounting of the real and personal estate of her deceased husband, Waiter O. Leeds Miss Carolina Leeds Joins her mother in the action. Waiter O. Leeds Miss Carolina Leeds Joins her mother in the action. Waiter O. Leeds Miss Carolina 1998 and personal property claim and personal property claim and personal property claim and personal property claim of the complex of the compl

tory showing the estate in 1900 to be worth but \$35.252.

Mother and daughter now allege that young Leeds has falled to and refused and still refuses to make an accounting of the property in his hands and refuses to turn over to the mother and the still refuse of the estate, which is after shares of the estate, which is closed to more than \$150,000. Besides the accounting the court is saked to partition the real estate, which is located in LaPorte, Lake, and Porter counties, and Cook county, and Chicaco, and judgment is in addition, prayed against Offley Leeds are ago created a social sensation, but Mirs. Leeds would not become reconciled to her son's action and an estrangement took place that has continued.

ASPHALT TRUST LOSES IN VENEZUELA COURT

IN VENEZUELA COURT
Supreme Bench Decides That Participation in Revolution Annula All
Concessions to the Company.

Washington dispatch: The supreme Court of Venezuela has rendered judgment in the appeal of the Bermudes Asphalt Company, confirming all the points in the original judgment of May 20 last with costs. The decision further annuls the Hamilton contract and grants dismayes for the government. For the court holds that the defendant company forfeitled its rights by participating in the, Matos revolution in 1903. The case has been pending for months, during which time this government by implied and expressed demands has threatened Venezuela with summary justice is an equitable decimands has threatened Venezuela with summary justice is an equitable decimands has threatened Venezuela with the whole proceeding is a travesty on justice, as President Castro has had the courts absolutely under costrol.

The United States has approached Venezuela half a dozen times in the matter, but has met only with defiance. Herbert W. Down, until recently minister to Carrans, once asked to Venezuela half a dozen times in the matter, but has met only with defiance. Herbert W. Down, until recently minister to Carrans, once asked to Venezuela half a dozen times in the matter, but has met only with defiance. Herbert W. Down, until recently minister to Carrans, once asked to Venezuela as a Confidential agent to saccertain the equity of conflicting arguments. Upon his report will depend the attitude of this government.

MURDER INQUIRY IS STARTED.

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Man and Woman Accuse Each Other
of Killing a Fisherman.
Rock Island, Ill., dispatch: JosephIne Collett, accused by William Nagel
of killing and partly burning Carl
Brady, a Sherman, on an island in the
Mississippi river, said the crime was,
committed by Nagel. She asserted,
that Brady was shot during a quarrelfollowing his refusal to leah Nagel e
skiff. When confronted with Nagel,
the woman repeated the story and
fainted. The charred body of Brady
was found on Saturday. Mrs. Collett
and Nagel were arrested in a bouseboat owned by Brady, who evidently
was killed several weeks ago.

EDITOR COLLIER IS INJURED

Bustains Concussion of the Brain While Playing Polo. Narragansett Pier dispatch: P. F. Collier, the New York editor and publisher and one of the best known polo players in the country, was lighted here in a pole game. The doctors repeated by the country was lighted here in a pole game. The doctors repeated by the country was lighted here in a pole game. The doctors repeated by the country was lighted by the country was presented by the country of the present of the pole of the pole

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Girl Ends Her Life.

Arthur, III., dispatch.—Miss Anna E.
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