

officers could get a vehicle it is supposed he succeeded in getting many miles away. They have not caught him yet.

PARIS, March 29.—Advices from Grand Bassem, Western Africa, are to the effect that Pullo, the administrator of that district, has been killed in an engagement with natives. It is reported that Dosmey, the administrator of Casamanza, Senegambia, has been murdered by natives.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 25.—The state board of health is informed that there are more cases of smallpox in Chicago than ever before known. There were 221 cases reported from March 1 to March 25 in that city, 18 new cases being reported yesterday. The pest houses are full, over 600 patients being in them. One case is reported in Alton and the disease is reported as having appeared at Hoopston, Vermillion county.

LONDON, March 29.—Baron Hanne, lord of appeal in ordinary, is dead. He was president of the commission which tried the charges against Parnell in 1888.

ABBAZIA, March 29.—Emperor Francis Joseph was met at the railway station this morning by Emperor William. Triumphal arches spanned the streets through which the two emperors passed and an enormous crowd cheered them as they rode by. After being conducted to the residence prepared for him, the emperor of Austria paid a visit to the empress of Germany and partook of luncheon. The emperors will take sail on the German emperor's yacht later, followed by a brilliant reception on board the German warship Moltke.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., March 29.—A dispatch from Danville, Ill., says: W. H. Owens, city marshal of Paris, shot and killed James Gaines, a colored coal miner, at Grape creek, near that city, last evening. Gaines was under arrest for stealing an overcoat and some jewelry from Wallace Blackburn, of Paris. Gaines attempted to get his revolver away from Owens and the officer shot him to protect himself. Owens surrendered and is now in jail.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The President has sent the House a lengthy message, vetoing the Bland silver seigniorage bill.

DALLAS, Tex., March 29.—A telegram to the *Times-Herald* from Sierra Blanca, Texas, says: A special train of five coaches and two baggage cars left here at 1 o'clock this morning, with General Fry's first regiment of the industrial army on board. Company K, of the regiment under Captain Cunningham, will join the regiment at Valentine, which place they reached day before yesterday. The train is expected to reach San Antonio tonight.

COLUMBIA, O., March 29.—Coxey has rejoined his army. The Commonwealth is enjoying a big boom. The Farmers' alliance provided three wagon loads of provisions and two of wood. In a speech during one of the army's stops today, Carl Brown said he was being misrepresented by forty argus-eyed demons of hell who followed him around. He meant the reporters, and has issued orders to put newspaper men out of camp. The citizens of this place provided a camp, straw beds

being provided. Thirty-six recruits from East Liverpool joined. This town has a Coxey club, with fifty-three members.

DES MOINES, Ia., March 29.—The house this afternoon passed the woman suffrage bill, giving women the right to vote for city and school officers and on the question of issuing bonds.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 30.—Tidings of the British ship Somali, long overdue at San Francisco and thought to be lost were received here this afternoon.

The Somali was spoken by the Kennebec on March 27, a little north of San Francisco, and only a short distance from the coast.

She was entirely out of provisions, the crew having lived since Christmas on rice and tea taken from the cargo.

The Somali sailed from Hong Kong November last. She battled with northwinds in an attempt to pass Formosa, but the captain finally gave it up. She ran down China sea and went clear round Australia.

Officer Morgan, of the Somali, was taken on board the Kennebec and told of the Somali's terrible voyage. He wanted provisions, he said, as those aboard his vessel were starving. With the exception of rice and tea, which composed the cargo, the Somali's crew had had nothing to eat for many days.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 30.—The fact has just come to light that on Sunday last a young man fired two shots at the Armenian patriarch, the head of the Armenian church. Being arrested he admitted that a plot existed, in which several were concerned, to kill the distinguished prelate, and declared that they would eventually carry out the object, because he is not capable of managing the Armenian affairs. Several others are arrested.

OMAHA, Neb., March 30.—E. F. Cook, an aged and wealthy pioneer of Omaha, is lying at the point of death at his rooms and his physicians hold out little hope for his recovery. As nearly as can be ascertained from the neighbors and attending physicians Mr. Cook's present serious condition is in a large measure due to the importunities of an elderly spinster whose anxiety to become Mrs. Cook led her to harass the patient in season and out of season. She availed herself of all the opportunities afforded a nurse in Mr. Cook's sick room, until finally, in sheer desperation, the patient jumped from his bed, smashed the window and fled out into the street. On another occasion he rushed up into the attic and threw himself out of the window, falling thirty feet to the walk below. This experience was the one that brought on the present aggravated phase of his illness, as he sustained four broken ribs and was also injured about the head. Since that time there have been indications of mental failing and the doctors say the patient is now suffering from softening of the brain. The woman in the case has been removed and the dying man is in the hands of his relatives.

WALLACE, Ida., March 30.—Between Gem and Burke, the heart of the Coeur d'Alene mining district, yesterday, not less than six destructive snowslides rushed down into Canyon creek. As far as is known five lives were lost, and these were all killed by

one avalanche, but reports are current that two men were caught in another slide, which is quite probable.

At 9:30 a. m. a slide started 2,000 feet above the creek at the head of the draw in which the Black Bear mine is situated. At the foot of the draw, four board shanties were smashed to pieces and buried under forty feet of snow, and one was carried bodily forward across the creek, with but little damage.

In one of the buildings was an Italian family, comprising Stefans Deiro, aged 29, his wife, aged 25, their daughter Victoria, aged 14. These were all killed, and the bodies of Mrs. Deiro and daughter have been recovered. The body of Mrs. Nellie Rowe was also found.

Immediately after the slide occurred the entire shifts of the Gem, Frisco and Standard mines, about 200 men, were put to work to search for the missing persons, and these were recruited by several hundred volunteers from Wallace, Gem and Burke. Arthur Swayne, an inmate of one of the cabins, was found at the surface, but was so terribly injured that his recovery is uncertain. Two other men were partially covered with snow, but were not seriously hurt.

PHILADELPHIA, March 30.—Judge Dallas has filed an opinion in the United States circuit court holding that Chinamen can not be naturalized.

AUCLAND, New Zealand, March 30.—The steamship Alameda, from Samoa, brings intelligence of a serious uprising there. It appears that Henry Ide, the American chief justice under the joint protectorate exercised over the islands by the United States, Great Britain and Germany, fined and imprisoned the chiefs of the rival factions and compelled them to work on the roads like ordinary convicts. This angered the natives, who finally broke out in armed rebellion. King Malletoa sided with the chief justice and sent troops to put down the insurrection. Several sharp encounters followed in which thirty were killed and fifty wounded, the rebels being driven into the interior. It is claimed that Malletoa's troops indulged in all sorts of barbarities and atrocities, such as mutilating prisoners, beheading the dead and outraging the women. This so incensed the natives that a general uprising was threatened at the time the Alameda left. The foreign population is greatly alarmed, looking anxiously for the appearance of the warship of one of the nations forming the protectorate.

LOGANSFORT, Ind., March 31.—H. Purcell, of this city, who is now in his eighty-second year, has issued a challenge to any octogenarian in the country to run him a half mile foot race for a purse of \$400, winner to make two best of three heats. He is remarkably active for one of his advanced years, and has always been noted for his sprinting abilities and powers of endurance.

LONDON, March 31.—A dispatch from Berlin to the *Daily News* says that private intelligence has reached that city from Samoa to the effect that fresh fighting is threatened. The dispatch states that the *Schettische Zeitung* learns that the Aana and Atua tribes who have hitherto been faithful to the