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TRUTH AND LIBERTY,

THE STORY

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Many of those who are advertising in the classified columns today for the first time will develop, in the course of a year, into regular and successful advertisers.

RUSSIANS TRY TO **RETAKE METER HILL**

Assembled in Strong Force and Assaulted Position but Were Repulsed With Heavy Loss.

THEY ARE FORTIFYING POSITIONS

Briween Lino Tie and Mantao Mountains, Where They May Make Their Last Stand.

Tokio, Dec. 2, 3 p. m .- It is reported here that the Russians have attempted to retake 203 Meter hill. They assembled a strong force and assaulted the position, but were repulsed with heavy

The Japanese finding sailors among the Russian dead, believe that if men from the fleet are being employed in making sorties, the complement of the force must be falling short.

The fact that the Russians are fortifying the positions available between Liao Ti and Mantao mountains, increases the belief that they will make their jast stand there.

JAP OFFICERS KILLED.

Tokio, Dec. 2, 11 a, m.-Imperial kendquarters make the announcement that 17 officers have been killed and 64 wounded in the field, but does not mention the place. It is presumed that it

was at Port Arthur. The details of the attack of the swordsmen at Port Arthur are un-known here, and a difference of opinion exists as to whether any of the attacking parties were armed exclusively with swords, Possibly, many of the midlers carried awords in addition to their bayonets, for the Japanese retain

much ancient respect for the sword and continue training with it, despite the apposition of the officers of the newer The results of this sword attack were

St. Frienoung. Dec. 2. Sphere and necked from Mukden today say that dan kennenkampfi's force on Nov. 30 drove the Japanese out of a new posi-tion southward of Tsinkhetchen. The



quaim and Walla Walla has increased

about \$152,000. J. M. Graham of Vancouver, B.C. and H. Stone of Portland, Or., were among the speakers. Today, in addition to T. S. Lippy and other prominent men in the work in this state, Ivan B. Rhodes of Portland, Or., and Harry O. Hill. Pacific coast secretary of student work, is on the program.

PHILIPPINE EXHIBITS.

Net Cost of Those at St. Louis Was \$716,633

Washington, Dec. 2 .- According to a statement prepared at the bureau of in-sular affairs, the net cost of the Philip-pine exhibit at the St. Louis exposi-tion to the Philippine government up to the night of Nov. 26, was \$716,653. The total distance of the statement of the stat

total disbursements to that date were \$1,419,024, and the receipts \$512,967, mak-ing the net cost \$396,057, of which \$189,-423 is covered by an allotment from the Louislana Purchase exposition fund, reducing the cost to the Philippines to the figures named.

BLANCHE CREW SURVIVORS. They Tell a Tale of Terrible Suffering.

London, Dec. 2 .- The two survivors of the crew of nine of the steamer Blanche, which was sunk in the Mersey river in a collision Wednsday night, say that thy escaped in a lifeboat. This boat was dashed against the sinking ship drowning three of the seamen. The remaining six righted the boat and rowed away, but were buffeted by the waves, which soon filled the boat with

The wounded leg of Gen. Nakamura has been amputated. The party under Gen. Saito retired and did not press the attack. freezing water. Two more died of ex-posure. Again the boat was capsized, but the four survivors managed to COSSACKS DRIVE OUT JAPS. scramble in again. They renewed these efforts to reach shore, but two more suc-St. Petersburg. Dec. 2 .- Dispatches cumbed. At 8 o'clock Thursday morn-ing the lifeboat struck shore at Formby and the survivors painfully dragged the boat and its gruesome cargo through the surfe to land, after having fighting was short and sharp. The Japin been seven hours in the boat, anse burned their supply depots bere villages and retreated, pursued by Cossacks so far as the Taitse river The Japanese losses were about 50 tilled and 100 wounded. The Cossacks Distinguished Arrivals. New York, Dec. 2 .-- Morton Frewen, destroyed a Japanese telegraph line and the Rev. Canon McLarney and Dapny Maker, arrived today on the steamrecupied the village of Suidun, about seven and a half miles southeast of ship Cedric from Liverpool.

Mr. Tatum said he had for some time contemplated taking this step and was compelled to vacate the office because no salary was paid him. Robert Glocking of Toronto, Canada, the vice president, has assumed the of-fice of vice president. MRS. GEO. HENRY GILBERT. Oldest Actress on American Stage Dies of Apoplexy.

rulers and bindery women, for which

Dies of Apoplexy. Chicago, Duc, 2.-Mrs. George Henry Gilbert, the oldest actress on the Ameri-can stage, died in her rooms at the Sher-man House today shortly after she had suffered a stroke of apoplexy. — The apoplectic stroke came while Mrs. Gilbert was alone with her maid. The maid first sought to dift her on to a couch, but realizing that Mrs. Gilbert's attack was a grave one, the maid left her, where she had fallen and summoued the house physician, who responded im-mediately to the call. He pronounced the condition of Mrs. Gilbert eritleal. Mrs. Gilbert's Chicago engagement in Chide Fitch's play "Granny" began at Powers' theater last Morday and until idday the venerable actress had appeared to be in her usual heaft. Mrs. Gilbert died of cerebral apo-plexy. She lived but an hour and a

plexy. She lived but an hour and a half after being stricken. The attack is said by the attending physician to have been due directly to the shock of cold water bath.

New York, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Glibert was the star of the play "Granny" written for her by Clyde Fitch. The company was organized by Carles Frohman and was put before the public as a tribute to Mrs. Gilbert's long career on the stage. Mrs. Gilbert played "Granny" stage. Mrs. Gilbert played "Granny" for three weeks in this city and when she started to four the country it was the intention to present the play in every city where she had played during her career and at the conclusion of the

long trip she was to retire from the stage The ovation to Mrs. Gilbert upon her appearance at New York at the first night of the play was a remarkable and pathetic one and the old lady was overcome by the warmth of her greet-ing. Fears were entertained at that

time that she was not strong enough for the long tour but she assured the management of her good health and the trip was started. Mrs. Gilbert was born in England 83

years ago and came to this country with her husband who was a dancer i 1849. She was a member of Augustin Daly's company from 1869 until Mr. Daly's death. Since then she has ap-peared under the management of

CLEAR LAKE JUTE II. Big Steer Was Sold at \$3.60 a

Charles Frohman.

Pound. Chicago, Dec. 2.—The big steer, "Clear Lake Jute 11." winner of the internation-al grand championship at the livestock show in progress here, was sold to a New York firm today for \$35 per hundred rounds

A Three Master Burned.

Oakland, Cal., Dec. 2.—The three-masted blip Centennial belonging to the Alaska Packers' association, was partially des-troyed by fire in Sessions basin at an early hour this morning. Capt. E. F. Stantard, who with his stepson, Lathrop Levy, were the only persons on band, made a gallant fight against the flames. He was severely hurned about the face and hands. The Centennial was built in Boston and hands. The Centennial was built in Boston three years ago, and had been engaged at the Alaskan fisheries for 10 years. The vessel cost \$20,000, and the damage done by the fire, \$10,000, was not covered by insurance, The fire broke out at 2 o'clock but it was 4 o'clock before the fireboats and tugs could be summoned from San Francisco. The main and mizzon masts were burned off and the ship was left lying badly damaged on the mud of the basin.



Christmas News.

HOW SHUCKERS LOST A FORTUNE.

Ex-Convict Who Got a Pardon for Bravery During the Recent Jail Break.

HE MICHT HAVE HAD \$50,000

Had the Young Forger Kept Straight He Would Now be in Comfortable Cirucmstances.

Word from Wooster, Ohlo, Indicates that if ex-Convict J. C. Schuckers had behaved himself on being released from prison, he would have fallen heir to \$50,000, as his grandfather died rocently, leaving no will, and the above amount would have fallen to him. But now he is cut off on account of being a fugitive from justice, since his attempt to pass a forged paper on the New York Security and Trust company. But lawyers say his deserted and abused wife, now in San Francisco, has a good show to get hold of it, only Schuckers will have to be located and some correspondence engaged in with him before this can be done. So the man's whereabouts are being diligently inquired after. His grandfather was a very wealthy man,

released from prison buckers a year ago, 'r' the part he took in thwarting the duthrends of the previous report of Mai. Evans is i October, when one convict was killed and another, Lynch, badly wounded

others, all at the peril of his life.

placed any faith in his allegations of

On being released, Schuckers had as

fine an opportunity to get up again in the world as any man could desire, as

every help possible was thrown in his

way, and moreover, his rich grand-father sent him \$500. It is believed that

this last was Shuckers' undoing. He thought he would celebrate with just

one glass; and then with the old taste stirred up, another glass followed, and then a third. After that "Facile des-census Averni," and Schuckers was swiftly on the downward path. He

married a hard working young woman

with a little means, who knew nothing

she was not long in finding out the manner of man he was, for he forged

paper which she took up, although it consumed all of her means, and then

he beat her sister out of \$300 laid up

for an education. Then he skipped, and has been heard of but twice since.

BACK FROM DIXIE.

Secretary of the State Board of Horti-

culture Tells of Official Trip.

ing; work is reported more plentiful,

and the horticultural conditions mak-ing considerable advancement. The

work of the state fruit farm or ex-

Another

Christmas News

Feature.

Complying with the requests of

several leading real estate and

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"SALT LAKE AND LOS

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The article to consist of not

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FRED WHITTROCK DEAD.

Took Part in a Sensational Train Robbery.

Leavenworth, Kas., Dec. 2.-Fred Whittrock, who in 1887 took part in the sensational train robbery in Missouri, is dead here at the home of his mother of lagrippe, aged 44 years. Whittrock, whose family is highly respected, had been in business here for several years. Whittrock planned and executed a

robbery south of St. Louis on the Iron Mountain road in the winter of 1887. He boarded the express car with a bogus reder, stating that he was to be as-sistant messenger, bound and gagged Messenger Frothingham, and robbed the safe of \$124,600. Whittrock hid most of the many Bruthurgham was as of the money. Frothingham was ar-rested charged with the robbery when Whittrock wrote a letter to the detec-tives staling that they had the wrong man. He signed he letter "Jim Cum-mings" and was arrested as Cummings.

Inspecting Maneuver Grounds.

Inspecting Maneuver Grounds. Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 2.-Gen, Constant Williams, commander of the department of the Columbia, and Maj, R. K. Evass, assistant adjutant-general of the United States army, are Inspecting the maneuver grounds at American Lake today, accom-panied by Secy. Whitehouse, of the cham-ber of commerce. Capt. A. 8. Rowan, who has been in Tacoma for several days is with the party. They are making the tour in an automobile. The visit of the of-heers is at the request of the chamber of commerce, which Fus secured an option on all the ground required, and which will be submitted to the war department. Gen. Williams says whether or not the department will see fit to recommend to Congress the purchase of this site is prob-lematical. Nothing has yet been deter-mined. There are other sites, whos claims are heing advanced and whose supporters are now actively at work. The general asys he is certain us exorbitant price will be paid for any ground. It is sold the report of Mas, Evans is favorable to the

writers' association and the officials of the Elevated Road company, the speed and efficiency of the fire cars were demonstrated. After a run of he mile a fire was extinguished within six minutes after the alarm was sound-ed. The equipment of the fire cars consists of two 100-gallon tanks of chemical solution and two lines of hose. each 150 feet long. In addition a reservoir containing 200 more gallons of so-lution is carried on each car. Two trained men compose the crew of each Car. Caught on Decoy Letters.

New York, Dec. 2 .- Five years may elapse before Herman Fromkes, a clerk in the One Hundred and Third street branch postoffice can visit his aged parents in Russia. The clerk has just seen arrested by postal agents who al lege several decoy letters were found in his possession, and that when con-fronted by the inspectors, he put his hand under has yest and produced five letters still unopened, among which were the two decoys with the money still in them. In all the letters are al-leged to have containing \$102,

Fromkes recently applied for two months' leave to visit his parents in Russia and was preparing for the jour-ney when arrested. He was held in 22 500 bell. \$2,500 ball

SCHURMAN CAN'T COME.

President of Cornell University Prevented by a Death.

State Supt. of Schools Nelson received a telegram this morning from President J. G. Schurman, of Cornell account of a death. Supt. Nelson re-Evans is favorable to the grets very much that President Schurman will not be able to attend but an effort will at once be made to secure some other prominent educator so that the teachers and the public in general will not be disappointed. To that end the superintendent today opened up communications with President Harper of Chicago university, with a view to having him come in the place of President Schurman. It is to be hoped that suitable arrangements can be made with President Harper as the time is growing short and at this late date it will be difficult to secure as able an educator as the

New York, Dec. 2 .-- While It has been officially announced that the claim of one of her largest creditors-the one whose suit brought about all the publicity given her affairs-would be satisfactorily settled, there was no dimunition of interest today in the case of Mrs. Cassie Chadwick, the Cleveland woman whose financial affairs have furnished a series of sensations almost unparalleled. The claim of Herbert D. Newton, the Brookline, Mass., man, for nearly \$200,000, which apparently has been removed from further consideration, according to a statement of Mrs. Chadwick's attorneys, was only an in-

cident. Other claims still pending are known to aggregate four times that amount, they say, and, for all they know, may total 100 times the sum named by Newton. Many of the claims against her, the attorneys say, have nu basis in fact and at the proper time the claims will be shown to be fraud-ulent. That all the just debts will be met they still maintain, and at the same they still maintain, and at the same time make the announcement that Mrs. Chadwick will have millions left when all her creditors have been settled with.

Mrs. Chadwick is still in her suite of Mrs. Chadwick is still in her suite of rooms at the Holland House, but she has notified the management that she will give up her rooms either today or tomorrow. It is believed that she will guit the city tomorrow, when she will go either to her home in Cleveland to be present at the hearing on an appli-uation for a receiver for her property. or else she will travel south. It is said that she has engaged a private car for her journey. Much of the popular in-terest in the case today was based up-on anticipation. Mrs. Chadwick's at-torneys had promised that she would torneys had promised that she would make public either today or tomorrow a lengthy general statement covering every phase of the case from her view point. This statement was expected to university, stating that he would be unable to be present at the Utah State Teachers' association next mouth on Teachers' association next mouth on statement from Mrs. Chadwick will be made public hefore tomorrow. Mrs. Chadwick, he said, would remain in New York until the affair was settled. and would then depart. Just when the settlement with Herbert D. Newton would be effected, Mr. Powers was un-"Powerful aid has saved the day for This statement was made today by George Ryall, of local counsel for Her-bert D. Newton, in discussing the setof his client's claim against Mrs. Chadwick. Where Mrs. Chadwick obtained the ald Mr. Ryall did not state but it is known that she spent considerable time in the Wall street district yesterday, nd was for several hours in the office of a firm of attorneys which frequently has acted as legal representative for one of the country's richest men. It It was soon after the visit that Mr. New-As ton's lawyers announced that they were soon as President Harper is heard from satisfied that their claim would be setthe changes in the program will be antled. Considerable interest was arrouged today by a statement credited to a Cleveland attorney to the effect that Mrs. Chadwick lost large sums of money through bucket shops Another statement made in connec-tion with the case today was that a number of years ago Mrs. Chadwick borrowed from Mrs. Schenley, the English woman who died several years ago possessed of many nillion dollars worth of property in Pittsburg. It is ild that notes for various sums made w Mrs. Chadwick were found among Mrs. Schenley's papers after her death.

AVOIDED AN ENGAGEMENT.

Takio, Dec. 2.-The following was given out at the imperial headquarters this afternoon

The commander of the Japanese force at Hslenchuang reports that on Nov. 28 a detachment of our force at tacked the enemy's position at Suchialoutzu and dislodged him, but discovering a large column of the enemy ad-vancing from the rear, our forces stopped and occupied Machiacheng and its vicinities. In the forenoon of Nov. 26 some artillery appeared in the direction of Siantziatzu and Wanliu river, and in the afternoon the enemy was gradually reinforced from the rear to three or four battalions of infantry and eight guns. Our detachment avoided an engagement, rejoining our main post-

DROVE OUT JAP ENTRENCHERS.

Si, Petersburg, Dec. 2 .- Gen. Sakhaoff reports that a Russian reconnoiter-ing force attacked the Japanese, who vere entrenched at Lamatun (Lamunt-ing), at nightfall Nov. 30, and drove them out at the point of the bayonet. pursuing them as far as the Shakhe river. About 25 Japanese were bayon-eited. The Russians secured many rifes and equipments. The Russian estained a similar success on the right wing. Their losses in both affairs were insignificant.

Russian Warships Seen.

Island of Perim, Dec. 2 .- Four Rus-Man warships passed Perim at 2 o'clock this morning, going southward.

Tangler, Dec. 2 .- The Russlan auxillary cruiser Rion, formerly the Smo-lensk, and her two torpedoboat destroyers, have arrived here, and are coaling.

GERMAN-AMERICAN BANK.

One at Buffalo Opened its Doors This Morning.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 2 .- The German American bank on which a run was be-run yesterday, opened its doors as usual at 9 o'clock this morning. At 19 o'clock there were about 20 deposi-tors in line. They were being paid promptly. Vice Prest, Schilling stild there was no events. bark's ability to withstand any run, but that he did not anticipate that would be withdrawn. Prest. Emery Mates that the German-American bank had about \$500,000 in available currency and within 24 hours could have 2,500,000.

DEATH BY FIRE.

Mrs. Alice Gregory and Children

Have Narrow Escape from It. Colarado Springe, Colo., Dec. 2 .---Mrs. Alice Gregory and two children had a narrow escape from death in an incendingy fire early this morning. Their home at 110 South Weber street. was partially destroyed, the occupants ef the residence escaping by a porch madew. Chief Baty of the fire de-partment declares that the fire was locandlary, the house having been set at fire in three different places simul-taneously.

Washington State Y. M. C. A.

Bellingham, Wash., Dec. 2.-The Washington state Y. M. C. A. conven-tas, which will be in session until sunday night, is carrying out the sec-sed day of its program. The report of the state executive committee shows the stabilishment of branches during the rest

W. C T. U.

Re-elects the General Officers for The Ensuing Year.

Philadelphia, Dec. 2.-The National Women's Christian Temperance union today re-elected the general officers for another year. The officers are Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, Portland, Maine president; Mrs. Anna A. Gordon, Evans ton, Ill., vice president at large: Mrs. Sugan M. Fry, Evanston, Ill., corresponding secretary; Mrs. Frances E. Beauchamp, Lexington, Ky., assistant recording secretary; Mrs. Helen Mor-ton Barker, Evanston, Ill., treasurer,

BACK FROM PANAMA.

Hepburn Committee Arrives at New Orleans,

Orleans, Dec. 2 .- The United States transport Summer entered the river today, bearing Congressman Hepburn and members of his congressional party, which went to the isthmus of Panama to make a survey of the conditions there. The visitors will be entertained at a public reception tomor-.WOW

Gold for Europe

New York. Dec. 2.-The report that the National City bank has engaged gold to the amount of \$500,000 in Paris for import to this country is confirmed The transaction, it is stated, is a special one. It could not be learned whether the gold will take the form of francs, eagles, or bars.

Pussian Ambassador Dead.

stroke.

Vienna, Dec. 2.-The Russian ambas-ador, Count Peter Kapnist, died at 1 clock this afternoon from an apopletic under its enabling act, in Salt Lake district 8,803 acres for deaf and dumb

ATTACKED BY TRIBESMEN.

House of an English Writer at Tangier. and and a find a find a

Tangier. Dec. 2.—The Benl-im-Sur tribesmen made a determined attack on the residence of Walter B. Harris, the English writer, last night with the avowed intention of capturing him. The mountuincers surrounded the house, stab-bed a guard, who attempted to raise an alarm, and sabered others, but inally, after some footing, the tribesmen loft without finding Mr, Harris.

The David Evans Libeled.

San Francisco, Dec. 2.-A libel has been filed in the United States district court against the American schooner David Evans to recover fils alleged to be due as wages. A libel has also been filed against the British ship Peleus to recover \$20 for portion of a cargo of currants \$20 for portion of a cargo of currants damaged on the trip from Antwerp to this city.

Thomas A. Moran's Will.

Chicago, Dec. 2 .- The wills of Thomas A. Moran and George T. Smith have been filed for probate. Both docu-ments are alike in that the estates are left almost entirely to the widows and amilles The value of Mr. Moran's estate was

given at \$375,000 in personal property, and \$60,000 in real estate. The Smith estate is valued at \$1,350,-

Edward W. Tatum Resigns.

Chicago, Dec. 2 .- Edward W. Tatum, the past year at Waitsburg and Va-had many year at Waitsburg and Va-had the property of the organization heidenial to movements for buildings at Seattle, Spokane, Bellingham, Ho-

POLLTAX COLLECTIONS.

Supervisor Seddon Reports Good Results in Work and Cash.

During the 11 months of this year the poll tax collectors under the supervision of Street Supervisor Seddon have collected the total sum of \$12,000. Of that amount \$2,000 was paid in cash and the remainder was paid in work on the streets. In comparison with the poll tax collections of last year, the figures this year show that the collections for the 11 months were greater than the whole year 1903. The total collections last year were \$11,196, of which \$1,234.50 was collected in cash. So that there is an increase of \$804 the 11 months this year over the entire year 1903. With the collections this month the increase will of course be added to. As yet no suits have been instituted for the collection of the poll tax, but a list of delinquents has been placed in the hands of the city attorney, and

unless they pay up at once they will have to pay court costs as well as the tax of \$3 PUBLIC LANDS.

> Secy. of Interior Approves Selection by State of Utah.

(Special to the "News.") Washington, Dec. 2 .- The secretary of the interior has approved selections of public lands by the state of Utah



"AMERICAN" INSTEAD OF "UNITED STATES" ON

OFFICAL LETTERHEADS. Washington, Dec. 2 .- That

there may be no misunderstanding on the subject announcement was made at the state department today that diplomatic and consular agents of this government were informed some time ago that whenever acting T in their notarial capacity they should conform to the language T of the law and use the title employed in their commissions, for example, "consul of the United States of America." For brevity, however, and also because itis the more definite adjective the use of the title "American"

instead of "United States," is now employed on official letter heads and cards and whenever these agents are not acting in some notarial capacity. These facts have been recited in the forma! replies to letters reaching the state department from time to time from persons not acquaint. . ed with the facts. Ŧ.

Lynch and Haworth were at liberty for Schooner Coquille Encountered. a short time, but were eventually cap-tured and returned to prison. It wa

Portland, Or., Dec. 2 .- The merchant's Portland, Or. Dec. 2.-The merchant's exchange has received advices from the commander of the staner Whitter, which arrived at Astoria roday from San Fran-cisco, that his vessel had encountered the schoener Cogulie, 12 days out from San Francisco for Coos bay. In a disabled condition, and out of provisions off the Oregon coast, north of Coos bay. Suf-ncient prvisions were supplied the long over-due vessel to carry her through to her destination. The Cogulie encountered terrific gales after leaving San Francisco and was blown off her course. Fart of her rigging had been carried away. claimed that Schuckers by the ready use of his wits secreted the cell house keys which would otherwise have fallen into the hands of the escaping con-victs and thus prevented the escape of resulted in cutting short Schuckers' term of imprisonment. He had idenfified himself with the prison Christian endeavor society quite actively, but his fellow prisoners never placed any faith in his professions, as he was ad-dicted to drugs which destroyed his rense of truthfulness, and no one

THE CALCHAS SAILS.

Was Captured by the Russian Vladivostok Fleet.

Viadivostok, Dec. 2.-The rBitish steam-er Calchas (which was captured by the Russian Viadivostok squadron while bound from Puget Sound ports to Japan, and whose release was announced Oct. 23), today salled for Nagasaki, Japan.

Dr. L. F. Pitkin Dead.

New York, Rec. 2 .- Leonard F. Pitkin, M. D., one of the best known phy-sicans in New York, is dead from kidney disease, which compelled him to retive last spring from active practice. Mr. Pitkin was born in Hartford. Conn., in 1858. His family is one of the cldest and most prominent in New England. He was connected as mediadviser with several large corporations here and was particularly well known in the theatrical profession, having been physician for many of the prominent actors and managers.

AT ZEIGLER.

Firing Heard in that Vicinity Last Night.

Duquoia. Ill., Dec. 2 .- Firing was Joseph H. Parry, secretary of the heard again last night in the vicinity state board of horticulture, returned of Zeigler. This continued about an hour, and it is reported that the militiathis morning from an official visit to the Dixle country and to the experimental men on guard at the pumping station where the firing was heard took part. Springfield, Ill., Dec. 2.-Gov. Yates fruit farm near St. George. He reports conditions in the south improv-

made a statement, to the Associated Press today that he has not the slightest intention of declaring martial law at Zeigler, and that an interview credted to him intimating such an intention is false.

ADMIRAL WATSON.

In Italy Studying Condition of Naval Recruits.

Rome, Dec. 2 .- Rear Admiral John Watson, U. S. N. (retired), has arrived here from Paris, and is studying the instruction, physical and moral, given in Italy to recruits for the army and navy.

Wright on "Capital and Labor."

Brookline, Mass., Dec. 2 .- Carrol D. Wright, president of Clark university and former commissioner of labor, has addressed a large and fashionable au-dience in Whitney hall, his subject be-ing "Capital and Labor."

Mr. Wright discussed the relations of employers and employes and sug-gested remedies to alleviate bitterness of the conflict between the two fac tions. Legislation, he said, would make the struggle less violent, but it would not end it. He said, in conclusion, that the prime factor of industrial discord is lack of confidence. Confidence must be established before any practical result can be obtained.

Fire Cars on Elevated Roads.

Chicago, Dec. 2.-What are to be the first fire cars to be used on an elevated rallroad in this country have been inand in an accompanying envelope, I stalled on the Metropolitan Elevated lines. The cars correspond in type to

two mentioned. There will necessarily have to be some change in the program already prepared for the institute but there will e no material change in the topics for discussion in the different sections

nounced. SMITH GOT SIX YEARS.

Forger Who Was Arrested at Kenyon Pleaded Guilty in Pennsylvania.

This morning, Chief of Police Lynch received a letter from Detective Alex Macbeth of Uniontown, Pa., stating that Arthur E. Smith, alias Hamilton, who was arrested here in October by Chief Lynch and Capt. Burbidge for forgery, pleaded guilty when arraigned in court, and was given six years in the Pennsylvania state prison.

Before leaving Pennsylvania, Smith forged checks aggregating \$3,825. He

came to Salt Lake and succeeded in cashing several drafts. Particulars of his offense were sent to the officers here, together with an accurate descrip. tion of the man. Chief Lynch and Capt. Burbldge located him at the Wijson hotel and placed him under arrest. He protested his innocence and declared that the officers had made a terrible mistake. Word of his capture was sent to the officers at Uniontown, and Detective Macbeth at once secured requisition papers and came out here for Smith. The accused was arraigned on the charge of being a fugitive from justice, but finally agreed to accompany the officer back to Pennsylvania.

In October the detective took his prisoner back to the state where his crimes were committed, and from the letter re-ceived by Chief Lynch it appears that the young man decided that the best thing to do was to plead guilty,



Atty. General Breeden Was Acquainted With Assassinated New Mexican.

Attorney General Breeden, in speaking about the assassination of Colone) Francisco Chavez of New Mexico, said he had known the colonel for 20 years. The old veteran was aggressive in his temperament, and managed to stir up bitter enemies, both political and personal; and to Judge Breeden's best belief, the murder was the result of some personal enmity. He said a good deal of the history of New Mexico was writ-ten in blood, among the murders being the assassination of a chief justic in a Santa Fe hotel, the assisonation of the sheriff of Santa Fe county by four natives, all of whom were hung, the assassination of Col. Fountain and his

son, and not a few others. Judg Breeden said he himself, while publi prosecutor at the territorial capital.had often received letters decorated with skulls and cross bones, and threatening the regular chemical engine in use in him with death in case he the city firs department. Four of them to prosecute certain parties. him with death in case he continued

HENRY MILTON.

Brought from San Quentin to be Resentenced for Murder.

Sen Francisco, Dec. 2.-Henry Milton, alias George H. Lupton, was brought from San Quentin yesterday to be re-sentenced on the charge of murder. He was convicted of killing James Gillecos in April, 1993, but took an appeal to the supreme court prior to March II, the day on which he was sentenced to be hanged His appeal was denied and he was sentenced to be hanged at San Quentin on Jan. 6.

CHILD DIED IN HER ARMS.

Mother Arrested for Trying to Have Body Cremated.

New York, Dec. 2 .--- Under a technical harge of transporting a dead body without a permit, Mrs. Florence Wie-land, wife of an Albany, N. Y., businesa man, has been arrested in a crematory on Long Island while holding in her arms the body of her dead child, which had taken there for incligation, She left Albany late at night, hoping to reach the office of a specialist in New. York and her child, suffering with pneumonia died on the train. She arrived at the crematory half dazed, from grief, and, being without a per-mit which the superintendent demanded before he would accept the body for Incineration, the police were notified, Upon their arrival, Mrs. Wieland became hysterical but clung to the body

of her child which she had carried in

her arms nearly all day, and was taken

the dead child was kept and the moth-

Island City pending investigation. The husband, when seen in Albnay

stated that Mrs. Weiland had tele-graphed to him her fruitless effort to

reach a specialist and of the child's

A necessary certificate which he had

dispatched by mail would, it was ex-

Servian Cabinet Resigns.

Belgrade, Servia, Dec. 2 .- The cabinet

The resignation of the Servian cab-inct is due to a disagreement between

the ministers over the building of new railroads. The ministry was constitu-

ted in February, 1903, under Premier

pected, end the tragic incident,

has resigned.

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Judge

er was taken to better quarters at Long

Here

the Newtown station house.

