

Commenting editorially upon the atti-tude of the United States government towards the Manchurian convention the

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binese signature of the Manutan convention is practically as-ed," says the St. Petersburg corres-adent of the Daily * Mail, "because ussia last August sent to the em-ress dowager 7,500 poods of bar sil-

AMERICANS PROTEST.

New York, March 11 .- The American Association of this city has reeived the following cablegram from the American association of China, the ter a body composed of the leading an merchants in the city of anghaf:

"Russian control of Manchuria inures extinction of American trade. Algorously protest against Russo-Chine agreement.

HART ON FOREIGNERS IN CHINA.

New York, March 11 .- The March number of the Deutsch Revue contains an article by Sir Robert Hart on "Fornets in China." "Foreigners in sina, although their number continully increases," he says, "are not very a mercases, ne says, are not very amercan, and can be divided into here general classes: Merchants, mis-ionaries, and officiais. The merchants w their calling in an orderly, regu-and blameless manner, observing aty stipulations and the laws een made to enforce them. in their general nor individual for is there anything to arouse amity of the Chinese in whose they are. But, nevertheless, the e complain that foreign compe-in China of the coastal trade has he junk owners and deprived a the large incomes they former-oyed. The missionaries are ac-edged to have done good in many and their medical down of the many and their medical work deserves gratitude. But the more fact that are bold enough to teach causes on and the acceptance of their is still more dangerous for stain abuses which have crept aple, converts seeking their the for protection against the the topsiastical influence for en benefit as well as the inter-of missionaries in the local adin etc., cause occasional within their districts and disthe people and officials." the reads as follows: as the quite inexcusable ac-Pekin government in regard missionaries and their fam-

to or three provinces, it must recten that the viceroys and agotten that the viceroys and s of the other fifteen or six-intained peace and order and permit any anti-foreign move-This must not be overlooked in ing how far the situation justi-s action of the reverse in treathow far the situation justi-etion of the powers in treat-ias outside the limits of civ-Every one who admits the s of Chinese philosophers, fright is great, must supple-by the other one that the right Fight is great, must supple-s the other one, that the right is also creat. The most pow-tes which are at the same time i civilized ones have not only t but also the duty to enforce ill on others. But their action be considerate. Manuelass and considerate, blameless and e proportion to their strength

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able at Sian Fu, where they the house of the governor,

this commodity, however, the import of sugar showed an excess last month of 50,000 tons over the quantity imported in February, 1900. Another indication is found in the fact that the British customs authorities are endeavoring to get together a staff of officials possessing a knowledge of the sugar trade.

Silk Dyers' Combination.

New York, March 11 .- According to the World the effort to form a silk dyers' combination in Patterson, N. J., has been devised, but the new deal conternplates taking only six concerns, known as the "big six," They are:

The Weldemann Silk Deying company, Emil Geering, August and Simon, Klipscher and Moas, Robert Garner and the Alexander Dye works. Dos Passo, a New York lawyer, who

is to form a combination by visiting all the dyeing concerns in Patterson, is the promoter of the new enterprise. The capital stock, it is said, will be about \$5,000,000.

Gamble Murderers to be Lynched. Chicago, March 11 .-- A special to the Tribune from New Orleans says:

A rumor gained currency last night that the negroes implicated in the Gam-ble murders at Carthage, Miss., were to be lynched or had been lynched by a mob.

The wires to Carthage are all down. The closest point to that town that can be reached is Canton, twenty miles The away.

One dispatch has it that nine persons including Broad, the white man, and two women were the victims selected by the mob.

Broad has been on trial for several days, but no fear of any serious law-lessness had been expressed. The Gamble murderers are Russell Broad (white), Andrew Boyd, Robert Smith, Minnie Smith, John Oliver Gray,

Maud Gilmore, Will Wings, Levy Lewis, and West Griffin (all negroes). They are accused of killing five members of the Gamble family while James Gamble, the head of the house, was away. Then they burned the house to



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elephones were rendered useless today by the rain, which fell and froze during the entire morning. The thirty-mile-

an-hour wind which accompanied the rain raised havoc with the wires weighed down as they were by the ice Officials of the Michigan Telephone company tonight estimated their total loss in the State at \$20,000. Sleet and rain have aimost paralyzed the State telephone service. The lines of the Michigan Telephone company The lines about Ionia are a mass of tangled iron and broken poles. The Citizens' company is also badly crippled. The loss will amount to several thousand dal-At St. Joseph 400 telephones were

burned out by contact with trolley wires. In Benton Harbor the wires of the company are all down.

EIGHT DEAD.

Dallas, Tex., March 10 .- Up to to-night eight deaths are reported from Wills Point tornado. the Wills Point ternado. Alice John-son died last night from fright. She the was sick at the home of her father, O. L. Johnson, when the storm struck the own. R. L. Walters and two of J. Williams' children are reported to be dying. The property loss in Wills Point is estimated at \$75,000 and in Van Zandt and surrounding country the storm did \$100,000 damage.

The storm section extends into Arkansas, Louisiana and up the Missis-slppi valley nearly to Memphis, which region is almost without wire or rail.

KILLED AT WILLS POINT. Dallas, Tex., March 10 .- Further reports of yesterday's tornado at Wills Point have made no additions to the death list. As stated in last night's re-ports, four people were killed outright. The property loss will be heavier than at first estimated. At Wills Point

alone it is \$50,000. East of Wills Point the course of the storm's fury dotted with wreckage can be followed to the Arkansas line. At New Boston and Texarkana houses were considerable damaged.

In Collin county, about thirty miles north of Dallas, the wind was very strong, but it did not attain the strength of a tornado. At one place 1.34 inches of rain fell in forty minutes,

KILLED BY THE STORM. Paragould, Ark., March 10.-Last night's storm killed three persons in Greene county and wrought much property damage. At Rockhill, Mrs. Millie Davis and a

to within two hours of birth, and sufthirteen-year-old boy, named Oscar Roberts, were killed by falling timbers. fered but a few hard At Jackson Commissary, Charles Browling, a well-known young business pains. This liniof his house falling in. Several persons are reported injured. Much damage to small buildings, fence and trees is rement is the grandest remedy ever made." Mother's

CLOUDBURST AT OWENSBORO.

Owensboro, Ky., March 10 .- A cloudburst here last night did great dam-age. The sewer-well and a big water main at Main and Davless streets burs and a hole twenty-five feet deep and about fifty feet wide was torn in the streets for some distance. The streets were undermined so badly that today part of them caved in. The Temple theater and Anderson's department store near by are both undermined and are in danger

Last night the city was in total darkness. Electric light poles in many places were down, and as a gas main burst on Main street, all gas had to be turned off.

A big force of men has been at work all day trying to repair the damage done and to prevent other and more serious damage.

HOUSES OVERTURNED.

Paducah, Ky., March 19.--A storm struck the neighborhood of Mason's Mill and overturned three houses filled with negroes. Twenty stables were blown down and many horses killed. Tobacco barns were razed and their contents blown away. The Catholic,

Law Enforcement in Kansas City.

Kansas City, March 10 .- The Law-Enforcement league of this city held a meeting tonight and listened to the report of a committee which had been appointed to visit the city and county officials to learn what assistance could be received from the officials in closing the joints here. The report stated that little encouragement was received from the city officers, but the county attorney promised to take action according to law whenever proper evidence should be presented to him. The league de cided to take the necessary steps to procure the evidence. There are many joints here, and they have not been affected by the temperance crusade that has been sweeping over Kansas.

Bloody Family Fend.

Hallfax, N. S., March 10,-A family feud at Shubenacadie, forty miles from here, culminated today in a bloody oting affray. The participants were David, Emach and Melrose Ettinger on one side, and three Lantz brothers on the other. The trouble started some time ago over a disputed piece of land. The Lantz brothers attended service this morning, and as they left the church the Ettingers, who had been in waiting, opened fire with revolvers. One of the Lantz brothers fell at the first His brothers returned the fire volley. and two of the assailants were shot. Emach probably fatally. The wounds of the others are serious, but not danger

Other relatives have taken up the dispute, and the local constables refuse to interfere. Further bloodshed is expected.

now be west of Kroonstadt. Several small commandoes are in possession of the southeastern portion of the Orange River colony, from which the garrisons of Dewetsdorp, Wepener, Smithfield and Rouxville have been withdrawn. It is impossible not to be struck with the fact that a great proportion of the former enemies of Great Britain in South Africa now frankly throw their lot with the British. Brandfort

Kroonstadt and Bloemfontein companies of ex-burghers are now bearing arms against the Boers. They state their object is not to operate against their former comrades, but to defend their homes and property against marauding bands. Every town in the Free State occupied by the British will soon become a center of British influence ex. tending a long distance in their vicini. Over 13,000 refugees are now within the British lines, and many of them de mand arms and permission to take the field. If their requests are granted it will be easy to get 2,000 ex-burghers en-

rolled on the British side.

MRS. NATION'S NEWSPAPER.

It is Four-columns, Sixteen Pages, Very Neat and Has Half Tones.

Topeka, Kan., March 10 .- The initial edition of Mrs. Carrie Nation's paper, "The Smasher's Mail," is interesting. It is a four-column, sixteen-page paneat appearance, containing per several half-tone illustrations of va-rious scenes during the late joint-cruade. Mrs. Nation says in her salutatory:

"I have no apologies to make for having Nick Childs for the publisher of the Smasher's Mail. Our Savior ate with publicans and sinners to do them good. The servant is not above his Lord. This paper shall be as its name, "The Smasher's Mail." I shall put into A Wife Says: the columns the letters I get from all over, even those I get from across the water. Those wishing to say anything through the columns of Smasher's Mail must put it in the form of a let-"We have four children. Wit's the first ter and use brevity (the soul of wit) for I reserve the exclusive right as editor.

On the fourteenth page is found a picture of the negro, Nick Childs, the publisher. Underneath are these lines. "Business manager of the Smasher's Mail and the Plain Dealer who went to the relief of Mrs. Nation when deserted by the law and order people

first page contains a half-tone of Nation. The lines under which The Mrs. Nation. the letters are published in the Smasher's Mail are "Letters from Hell, "Letters from Honest People," "Ap-peals for Help," "Some Poetry," "Notes and Comments," "Indorsements and Invitations," "Snap Shots," and "Answers to Correspondents."

Some of the paragraphs are: "We solicit advertisements of all that is useful and beneficial and that its use will be to the glory of God." "Why didn't the legislature pass a law prohibiting prisoners the use of tobacco whisky or to play cards in jall? Why build again the things which they de Why "I was glad to note that anarchy was indorsed by McFarlen and will do for every woman what it did for the Sheldon.

You want to be in the band wagon with the preachers and the good wo ter. Not to use it during pregnancy is a men. Verily I say unto you, Mr. Lindmistake to be paid for in pain and suffering. say

ay you must be born again." "In justice to Mr. Cook and family, will say my confinement was almost leasant, if it had not been for the cismoke. I had three meals a garette day and a good bed. It is a first-class hotel beside the Wichita jailhouse with its maniacs, cigarettes and green per-rimmons. The turnkey, Mr. Dodd, was

Fifth Cavalry for Philippines.

Washington, March 10 .- The squad-ron of the Fifth cavalry stationed at Fort Meyer, Va., left today for San Francisco, en route to the Philippines. They will sail on the transport. Meade about March 18th. The squad-ron is made up of troops I. K. L. and M. and is in command of Col. William A. Rafferty.

we can create a public sentiment which, regardless of legislation, will regulate

the trusts." President Hadley uttered these words at the Old South church last night, the report explains, before a congregation

largely made up of the richest church society in New England. He was delivering the third in a course of lenten addresses by college presidents and his specific topic was "The Development of a Public Conscience." In the course of his address he said:

"How do things stand as regards the need of a public conscience in this country today? The American standard of personal morality is on the whole high as compared with other nations and other ages. We have developed personal virtues through individual conscience very well. But our actions in politics and in a social and business sense prove our moral standards in those directions desperately low.

"There is an appaling contrast be-tween our methods of dealing with each other as individuals and the low stand ard observed in dealings between different parts of the world organization of society.

"Competition used to prevent a man from pratising great extortion upon his neighbor even if he wanted to, and in politics, we once had at least a rough form of relative justice. But today with our industries organized into trusts and the imperialistic spirit developed in politics, the general development of the principle of trusts will become appaling unless we cultivate a higher standard of morality than ever before. "Legislation will never protect us

from the evils of trusts, of deteriorated politics. The essence of a trust is that you must trust the head of it to exercise his power wisely or to abuse it. according to the kind of conscience he possesses

Trusts have got to be regulated by public sentiment and that public senti-ment is not merely the opinion of any particular part of the whole people, but is a readiness to accept, in behalf of the community, restrictions, independent of the question of whether you or I shall be personally harmed by those restdic.

tions. "You may say that the community will not be governed by this principle. We must expect that the community will, however, for the alternative is an emperor in Washington within twenty-five years. Public affairs can no longer five years. Public affairs can no longer be played as a game, but must be directed oy an intelligent and active publie conscience. Individual effort is helpless and hopeless."

Three Men Burned to Death.

San Francisco, March 10.-Three men and seventy-six head of horses burned to death this morning in a fire which destroyed Morton's livery stable at Leavenworth and Geary streets. The at Leavenworth and Geary streets. The three men were asleep in the hayloft. The dead men are Charles White. Charles Young and R. Jamleson, and were employed at the stable. The horses for the most part were delivery animals. Outside of the loss of life, the damage resulting from the fire was nominal

Big Haul by Burglars.

Argonia, Kan., March 10.-The pri-vate bank of J. H. Springer was bur-glarized here last night by three men and \$2,600 in cash and \$400 in registered government 3 per cent bonds secured. About \$140 in gold and \$8,000 in bonds was left untouched. The robbers se-cured their tools from the Santa Fe section-house near by. The vault was entered through the brick wall, and the safe was blown open with nitro-glycer-ine. The robbery was not known until ine. this morning.

Bank Embezzler Arrested.

Nashville, Ill., March 10.-Walter Of-fill, cashier of Edmund Palmer's de-funct Ashley bank, against whom two warrants were issued last week charg-ing him with being an accessory to

"Let Us Maintain Our Energetic Resolution to be Free," Says Senor. Gualberte Gomez.

Havana, March 10 .- Although the political demonstrations have ended, the radical element in the Cuban constitutional convention has not given up hope that the United States will recede from the position regarding the Platt amendment. The radical press is doing everything in its power to keep this view before the public. It attributes the action of the United States Congress to the influence of the trusts. declaring that the American people 'are in favor of giving Cuba absolute independence and of rebuking the action of the administration. Articles from American papers which seem to sustain the attitude of the convention

are given publicity, Senor Gualberto Gomez says in La Patria: "Let us maintain our energetic resolution to be free, but let us avoid furnishing the slightest pretext for the unhealthy imperialism which is corrupting the blood of a generous people and influencing them to trample upon our rights. Let us still have the justice of our cause and in the honor of the country which produced Washington, Jefferson and Lincoln."

At street corners and various public places placards have been posted which read thus: "To the people of the United States-

Do not make any promises that you are not sure to keep, and never go back on the word you have given.—George Washington."

This is recommended to the consideration of "all worthy compatriots of the great American.'

Thus far the radical members of the convention remain firm in their determination not to accept the Platt amendment.

The committee on foreign relations will meet tomorrow, but a final report is not expected for several days.

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