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OUND BODY OF THOMAS PADFIELD

ho Pitman's Corpse Has Not Yet Been Located.

lin & Few Days, When All the Bedies Shall Have Been Becovered.

ECIAL TO THE "NEWS,"] led Utah, May 11.—The body of as Padileld was recovered this of it was not so badly mutils many others, the timbers havseme way protected it. The dewas married and leaves seviren. His widow has been alet ever since the accident and ery of the body will be a great

self was a partner of Edwin he last man recovered, and the us working together in the room muck by the after damp. grwas driving in the car which

een partially recovered and his went to be recovered today or me has yet been found of John

by body, and in all probability it nother part of the mine. It can a few days at most now when body is recovered and then the my will be prepared to resume

FT FROM THE CHURCH. dent Snow Sends a Check of

500 to Chairman Hammond. dent Lorenzo Snow sent the fol-letter today to Hon. James T. and, chairman of the Scofield

committee: th enclose check for \$2,500 in as a subscription from the desus Christ of Latter-day to fund now being raised in he sufferers of the late Sco-Very respectfully, LORENZO SNOW."

The Sconold Relief Fund.

substantial subscriptions to y, the largest being that for \$2,500. The aggregate s something over \$98,000, and approbable that the hundred r mark will be reached

estimated that at the close of duess subscription to the re-255,000 mark. Of necessity conth some substantial additions are

\$117.25 From Knightsville.

Esville has subscribed \$117.25 to at to the "News" today by Mr dag funds from the citizens of er, of Menan, Idaho, also sends

Money Received Today.

wing contributions were reset Mantl \$ 500.00 Waugh, Ulntah Indian Omhundro, Whitesbow,

MISS HUNT DEAD.

rom the Effects of Her Burns at Provol Today.

PECIAL TO THE "NEWS,"] o May 11.-Miss Essie Hunt, who erely injured at Startup's canremembered that Miss Hunt's of took fire from a lamp, the of which she was attempting to

funeral services were in progafternoon, preliminary to her being forwarded to Joseph morning. Her demness of estetted by her friends, of estetted by her friends, of he had many. The doctors are he had many the death was really sit of the shock to her nervous

FIRE THIS MORNING.

irst it Was Believed to be Chief Devine's House Ablaze,

tit deal of slarm was occasioned the fire and police stations at his morning, when a fire alarm rned in from Chief Devine's resi-No. 626 Fifth street. The rue chlef's house was burning wildfire. Hose cart No. 1 ng up Theater hill to obtain meantime the story had and it was said that a laddles reached the affagration, it was found

subbish heap, set aftre by hot rave fireman, at the risk of get-

wied the fire with a bucket

RAZOR JACK" HEARING.

of Robbing Squire's Barber Shop.

afternoon the examination of Richardson or "Razor Jack" is held before Judge Timmony. son is accused of burglarizing barber shop on the night of ice had been introduced by by Afterney Jos F. Smith.

JUDGE POWERS ON RAILWAY VETO

Corrects Wrong Impressions Regarding Proposed New Road.

ORE IS TO BE RESUMED ADVANTAGE TO THE CITY.

Will Cost Half a Million, Increase Trade and Establish Country Homes for City People.

Discussing the Salt Lake Valley rallway franchise veto today Judge Fowers

"Apparently there is considerable misapprehension concerning the Salt Lake Valley railway. It is said to be acting for some steam road. That is not true. The purpose is to build an urban electric line from Salt Lake to Ogden, which will carry passengers and inter-urban express matter in closed cars.

"People criticize the project because it proposes to use seventy-pound steel rails. Such rails are very expensive, but there are two reasons why they will be used. First on the ground of economy. With a smooth solid rail, the rolling stock will not be submitted to so much wear and tear. Second, the greater speed which can be attained and the increased safety and comfort to passengers is a factor.

"Now as to the proposed franchise. It provides for a right of way through the Warm Springs property the same to be laid out by the city engineer the proposed route is on the east side the property, on the side hill, where ere are no trees and the injury to the operty will be reduced to a minimum. property will be reduced to a minimum. The company is required to pay the city for the right of way, the amount to be determined by arbitration. On the street, the company is compelled to bring the same to grade and to maintain the grade. It has to put in crossings and water boxes, and to keep the street in tepair for ten feet each side of its track. It cannot run freight cars, except in building and repairing the road and it cannot load or unload express matter except at such points express matter except at such points as the City Council shall designate. It cannot put in side tracks or switches except with permission of the Council, and it is taxed \$25 per year on each motor car. It is required to begin work within ninety days and complete and equip the road within one year. It holds the city harmless from all damages, and its franchise if violated, may be forfeited by a majority vote of the Council. In every particular and on

Council. In every particular and en all points the city is protected.

"The proposition to run around the southwest corner of the Warm Springs property and to take a strip from the property to enable that to be done, will damage the property far more than it will be damaged, if a strip, say twenty feet wide is taken from the extreme east side, upon the side hill as proposed Besides, the inter-urban cars are nearly as targe as the coaches on steam roads and have double trucks, hence they cannot be used on short curves. The lives and limbs of the people will

be in more danger if a double curve is put in than if the cars skirt the hill.

"The advantages to the city which will accrue from the building of the road quip the road. The trade of the city I be increased and men can estab lish homes in the country and do busi-ness in town. The road will be a great factor in building up Salt Lake.

FEDERAL COURT.

The trial of Burgess before Judge Marshall was concluded at a late hour this afternoon and the case was submitted to the jury.

The trial of Henry Giles on a charge of forgery i. . in the federal court.

LATE LOCAL NEWS.

Joseph Coult, a native of England, and Andrew Johnson, late of Sweden. my in this city a few days ago, both now of Salt Lake, were admitted her injuries this morning. It to citizenship by Judge Rolapp today. C. A. TOWNE TALKS.

Views on His Being Nominated by

the Populists.

Duluth, Minn., May 11.-Charles A. Towne today made the following statement with reference to his nomination | question brought out the largest crowd for the vice presidency by the Sloux Falls convention:

"It was my judgment that the Sloux Falls convention should appoint a conference committee to meet with a similar committee of Democrats and Silver Republicans at Kansas City, July 4, for the purpose of jointly considering the vice presidential nomination. This opinion was freely communicated to prominent members of the convention before it assembled, and while in session. In the exercise of its discretion, however, it decided differently. When the conclusion was reached to nomithe conclusion was reached to homenate a candidate, the unanimity and enthusiasm with which the convention named me is of course exceedingly gratifying. It must be remembered that many of the strongest men in this country were members of the conven-tion, which was composed of a wise and conservative majority of the people's party, whose devotion to the great cause which all the reform forces are en-

listed, nobody can question endorsement of such a body is a high compliment, and I deeply a night compliment, and i deeply appreciate it. Moreover, it sets an example of unselfishness at this juncture that ought not to be without good influence. Neither Mr. Bryan nor myself belong to the People's party. To be sure, such a consideration may seem unimportant when men are engaged in a great contest against the same evil dencies in the government, but mernames are still somewhat powerful in influencing political conduct, and we must render all praise to the conven-

"Harmony and co-operation are essential this year among the Democratic, the People's and the Silver Republican parties. To preserve their combined strength of 1896 is the first desideratum. The next is to go into the camp of adjourned.

ASK FOR HILTON'S SUSPENSION.

Police Committee Recommends to the City Council That the Chief be Deposed Pending an Investigation.

noon there were present Messrs, Cottrell, Hartenstein, Thomas, Hewlett, and Fernstrom, and the committee passed a resolution asking the surpension of the chief of police.

Mr. Fernstrom had not received notice of last night's meeting and was consequently not present then Mr. Fernstrom, therefore, desired to ask Chief Hilton a few questions. That officer was called and Mr. Fernstrom asked:

"Have any such examinations as this one been had by the police be-

fore?" "Yes, sir," returned Chief Hilton, There have been two such examinations during my life in the department as a result of which two men are now serving terms in the penitentlary upon convictions of rape."

"Do you know whether or not similar examinations have been made before?" "Yes, Dr. Dalby has made such examinations. He says he hasn't, but he has. Dr. Root, Dr. Beatty and Dr.

Beer have done so." "Is there any law which gives you authority to capture little girls and subject them to a physical examina-

"No. There is no law that justifies it any more than there is to authorize the closeting of a prisoner suspected of crime and obtaining from him a con-The fact was brought out that when the girls were taken to the city jail Dr.

King had threatened one of them with incarceration in the Reform school if she refused to undergo the examina-Mr. Hartenstein here made a statement that was somewhat sensational in its nature. Said he: "Mr. Chairman, if this committee contemplates adopted,

At the police investigation this after- | waking a report to the city council up-The investigation or falsity of certain charges which have been made against the polic department of this city. Instead that, however, these little girls why were brought here as witnesses have been made the defending and the control of the city. been put upon the defensive and the

more than the charges against the department. I don't want to be a party such a proceeding." After some persuasion as to the rights of the committee, Mr. Hartenstein concluded to remain with the committee. After some argument as to the advisability of submitting a report to the Council, Mr. Hartenstein aug-

gested the following recommendation:
"The committee believes that the action of the police department, under the upervision of the chief of police, was not proper, and is not approved by this committee; and it is recommended that the council suspend the chief of pollo from office for such period of time a may be necessary for a proper and com-

This recommendation was argued at some length. Messrs. Thomas. Hurten-stein, Fernstrom and Hewlett favoring Mr. Hartenstein's suggestion. Chairman Cottrell arose and strend-

ously opposed the suggested action an fervently espoused the cause of the police department, accusing members of the committee with being prejudiced. Mr. Fernstrom said that while the ac-tion of the chief of police was withou tion of the chief of police was without evil intent, the question was "bow far will this thing eventually go? Why, if it keeps on we will soon come down to the darkest days of the Spanish inquisition. Another thing I don't like is the Statement that is repeatedly made here that this class of examination has been made before. I don't believe it. There never was a case with the same circumstances. I am a friend of Chief Hilton and have defended him, but I want this thing stopped."

Messrs. Thomas and Hewlett spoke in the same vein, and the report was

HAVE SMUGGLED IN WOOL

those who then opposed us and get re-cruits. If the nominations at Sloux Falls are placed before the country with all reform parties behind them, they will, in my opinion, be ratified by the secople of the Republic in November." Today.

Senator Butler Again Chairman. Sloux Falls, May 11.-After an animated discussion in the Populist national committee, in which every phase of the coming campaign was gone over, Senator Butler was re-elected chairman by a majority of seven in a total

The committee will meet again late this afternoon, when the other officers during the campaign. Senator Butler accepted the position again on condition that a vice chairman be chosen to as-

Havana Postal Fraud.

New York, May 11,-Postoffice Inspector John D. King, who is complainant against C. F. W. Neeley, the chief financial agent of the postal service in Cuba, charged with embezzling Cuban postal funds, said today:

"What the result of the government investigation in this case has been I do not know. Inspector Burton is expected to arrive in Washington today with requisition papers signed by Gov. Gen. Wood, and the papers will hardly reach the acting governor of New York before tomorrow. Neeley will, of course, have to answer at the hearing which takes place Thursday afternoon before United States Commissioner Shields. The two \$10,000 United States treasury notes furnished by Neeley as cash bail were put up by the Seventh National bank of this city.

When questioned as to what was found among Neeley's effects when arrested, Inspector King answered;
"A great many stories have been published in regard to that matte which were incorrect. The exact amount of cash found upon him was \$6,502. There was also found two gold watches, two lamond rings worth at least \$500 each, and \$800 worth of shares of various

POSTPONING SAVES TROUBLE. Woman Delegate Question Agitates

Methodist Conference.

Chicago, May 11 .- Anticipation of a spirited debate on the woman delegate today that has yet attended the Methodist general conference. In accordance with a resolution recently adopted, the conference hall was draped in the national colors today. After the official journal had been approved, a delegate from India called attention to the fact that some of the members were not American citizens, and asked to have the union jack displayed on the platform with the Stars and Stripes. The suggestion was greeted with shouts of disapproval, and Bishop Fowler prevented trouble by ruling it out of or-

After quiet was restored, consideration of the question of admitting women as delegates to the general conference was taken up as the special order of the day. Considerable feeling developed among

the contending speakers during the disthe contending speakers during the dis-cussion that followed, but before any action could be taken, a motion, offered by Delegate Charles W. Smith of Pitts-burg, to postpone consideration of the matter for several days was carried. Delegate A. B. Leonard, chairman of the joint committee of 15, appointed from the missions' society church exension society, and freedman's aid and sider plans for the consolidation of these three organizations, then present-ed the committee report. The report ed the committee report. The report considers consolidation neither advisa-ble nor practicable, but directs that the bishops appoint a committee to consist of three bishops, six ministers and six laymen, said commission to submit its plan of consolidation to the next general conference. After a brief dis-cussion the report committee was ad-Delegate Emmons of California had a resolution adopted to secure

Six Thousand Dollars' Worth Se'e d at Boston

Swindling Scheme Unearthed -850,000 Worth of Wool Smuggled Into flosion.

Boston, May 11.-Special treasury agents, under the direction of Agent Converse J. Smith of this city, have jus unearted an officed tradiling scheme and as a result 100 sacks of wool valued at \$6,000 have been seized in this city, Lawrence and Bristol, R. I. It is estimated \$50,000 worth of wool has been smuggled through the port of Boston during the past year.

Bank Manager Found Dead.

Edinburgh, Scotland, May 11,-H. H. Nore, manager of the Union Bank of Scotland, was found dead this morning at his residence. His head was half blown away by a gun. Apparently he committed suicide. His action is attributed to the fact that he had been suffering from influenza.

Arrested for Stealing.

Marion, Ind., May 11.-Charles E. Webster, chief clerk of the national military home, has been arrested by a United States marshal on a charge of embezzlement and grand targeny, growing out of the mysterious disappear-ance of \$1,700 from \$225,000 of pension money sent to the home for disburse-ment and placed in the safe to which only Webster and the treasurer had ac-

Tecumseh is Burned.

Wichita, Kan., May 11 .- A special to the Beacon from Tecumseh, Okla., says 12 buildings burned there this morning. Including two hardware and two general merchandise stores. Loss \$30,000.

Hibernians Elect Officers.

Boston, May 11.-The national convention of Hibernians elected officers today, as follows:

John E. Keating of Chicago, re-elected president; John E. Dolan, Syru-cuse, vice president; John P. Bree, New Haven, secretary; P. L. Moran,

Washington, treasurer, E. J. Siattery, State president of Massachusetts division, who was a candi-date for the office of national president withdrew before the selection.

UNFRIENDLY TO AMERICANS. Masbete Islanders Resist the Landing of Troops.

Manila, May 11.-The islanders of Masbete received Col. Hardin's expedition differently from those of Marinduque, where he left one company of the Twenty-ninth regiment. On approaching the principal town, Palanoc, the insurgent trenches appeared to be occupied and the gunboat Helena bombarded them vigorously, after which three companies were landed and took the renches with little resistance. One filipino was killed. Two or three jundred insurgents hold the neighboring towns and the natives appear un-

As previously cabled to the Associated Press, but few armed insurgents were found at Marinduque.

Commuted to Twenty Years. Washington, May 11.-In the case of private Frank Miller, Company I, Twenty-third infantry, who was tried by general court martial and convicted on a charge of rape, committed at or near San Nicolas, Island of Cebu, on the 20th day of October, 1899, and sentenced to be shot, the President has, upon the recommendation of the major general commanding the army, concurred in by the secretary of war, commuted th sentence to dishonorable discharge, for-felture of all pay and allowances, and confinement at hard labor in a penitentiary for the period of twenty years.

THREE BURGLARS ARE SENTENCED.

George Eagan Get One Year Each.

Men Who Burglarized the Residence of John Strong Will Pursue a Similar Courses.

Frank Biltz, Charles Le Roy and George Egan, three tough-looking citizens, were brought before Judge Norrell today on the charge of burglary to which they pleaded guilty and threw themselves upon the mercy of the court. Judge Norrell sentenced them

to one year each in the State prison. The men's offense was burglarizing the store of the Draper Mercantile and Manufacuring company on the 25th of last month. They bade Julior Thomas good-bye this afternoon and are now

the guests of Warden Dow, Henry Wright, arraigned Wednesday on two charges of grand larceny, plended not guilty today.

WILLING TO PLEAD GUILTY. Peter Cunningham and George Rodgers, the men, who entered the residence of John Strong, east of the State prison, on Monday, have made up their minds to plead guilty and County Attorney Putnam this afternoon notified the shoriff to have them brought intocourt in the morning. Cunningham was asked why he had so suddenly changed his mind, for it was only yesterday that he pleaded not guilty, and replied; "Oh, what the 'll's the use of saying you're not guilty; they'll cinch

Case Nearly Concluded.

you, anyhow."

The case of the Herriman Irrrigation ompany vs George W. Keel is still on before Judge Roiapp. It is thought the testimony will be all in by this evening, and the court will hear arguments to-This afternoon the plaintiff was put-ting in testimony in rebuttal.

Desertion Is Alleged.

James T, Arnold, a miner by occupa tion, was made defendant in the Thirddistrict court today by his wife, Chtine Arnold, who asks that she be given decree of divorce on the growads of The couplaint alleges that the marthing to his wife and three children. In addition to a divorce decree Mrs Arnold prays for the custody of the children, alimony, and the restoration of her malden name, Christina Clark,

BANQUET TO GEN. OTIS.

President McKinley Will Maintain

His Rule in Such Functions. Washington, May 11.-Representative O'Grady Introduced to the President today a number of prominent citizens of Rochester, N. Y., who came to invite him to attend the reception and banquet to be given to Gen. Otls on his return from the Philippines on June 15. The President spake of Gen, Oils in terms of high praise, and said he would exteem it a privilege to join in doing him honor. He questioned, however, the propriety of doing so. No one, in his judgment, should be present who, reason of his superior rank, would essarily share the honors which were intended for Gen. Otts alone. He would, however, talk the matter over with Secretary Root, and in any event the regular army would be represented

by such troops as were available. Colorado Republicaus.

Denver, Colo., May 11.-The First congressional district Republican convention today chose Charles C. Cavender and John B. Thompson as delegates to the national Republican convention, with W. K. Burchinell and Thomas H. Davie as alternates. The resolutions adopted endorse the admin-istration, and the delegates pledged themselves to vote for the renomina-tion of President McKinley.

Turk Has a New Scheme.

Constantinople, Thursday, May 10 .-The porte has presented a new note to the embassies, announcing its intention to introduce octroi in Gallopolis.

The object of this movement, it is believed, is to establish a precedent for the subsequent imposition of like duties in other towns. It is expected the em-bassies will again refuse to assent, as the measure is contrary to the treaty

AMERICAN INTERVENTION.

Boer Envoy Gives Reasons Why He Hopes for It.

London, May 11 1:35 p. m.-W. T. Stead, who was the last man in Europe to bid farewell to the Boer delegates obtained from Abraham Fischer, (a member of the Orange Free State exscutive council and one of the dele gates) a message to the American peo ple which is practically in the same words as the message previously sen through the Associated Press. Mr Fischer, however, added:

"The governments of the Old World appear paralyzed. We hope to find a lifferent state of things in the New

We know that at the very time when the Jameson raid threatened the independence of the Transvaal the American Republic succeeded in inducing Great Britain to submit to arbitration a question which involved not her existence but the frontier interests of the republic of Venezuela. As you obtained arbitration for Venezuela after England and declared it was impossible, so we venture to hope the free, enlightened public opinion of the American people will succeed in inducing the power attacking our very existence to stay her hand and submit the question of the future government of these regions to the free judgment of an impartial

DIRECT WARNING CIVEN CERMANY.

Frank Blitz, Charles Le Roy and Notice to Kaiser That He Cannot | Lord Roberts Only 22 Miles from

Have the Danish West Indies.

Germany May Test the Mouroe Doctrine-Remarkable Utterances of Senator Lodge in Congress.

[Afternoon Disnatches.] Washington, May 11 .- Gov. Roosevelt of New York was on the floor of the

Senate for a short time today, He entered with Senator Lodge and was warmly greeted by friends on both sides of the main aisle. An act enabling the Karluk Packing

company to purchase certain lands in Alaska, passed. At the conclusion of routine business the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the naval appropriation bill, the pending question being the amendment. of Mr. Tillman (S. C.), providing for a

straight price of \$200 per ton for armor and for an armor plate factory to be built by the government at a cost not to exceed \$4,000,000. Mr. Lodge (Mass.) speaking in opposition to the amendment said that for the past three years the senators from South Carolina and New Hampshire, (Mr. Tillman and Mr. Chanler), had been endeavoring to get armor at a low price. The net result of their work had

been to put a stop to the construction of a navy. The amendment of Mr. Tillman, he said, would absolutely stop the building of ships. He had no prejudice against a government armor plant. In-deed, he was not at all assured that it would not have been better in the be-glaning of the construction of our navy o erect an armor plate plant. To stop the building of all ships until

the armor plant could be erected would, he thought, be a fatal mistake.

"My reasons for desiring war ships," said he, "and desiring them quickly is my belief that the safety of the United States depends upon the strength of our navy. Our Atlantic coast is studded with cities from the Gulf to northern Maine. For the defense of this great coast line and these cities we have no adequate fleet. We are about to enter the construction of an isthmian. Whether it will be better to fortify the canal or not is yet an open question. But to control that canal, to defend it, to hold it open for our com-merce, and for the commerce of the enemy's fleet, we must be the naval enemy's flest, we must be the naval masters of the Carlbbean sea. We must have a far more powerful fleet than we have today. The safety of the canal depends upon our fleet. All admit that the canal ought to be built and the time is near when the work will be begun. If we are to protect the canal as well as our own coast we must have a navy

proportionately strong.
"I hope and believe," he conTnued,
"that we shall have no war, but a great fleet is the greatest insurance of peace, However, we would be foolish indeed. If we should close our eyes to the possibilities of the situation. We could never allow the Danish Islands to pass into any other hands than ours. The European nation which should under-take to take possession of those islands right on the road to the canal and ake them great naval stations would by that very act become an enemy of ours. We could submit to no such thing as that. The Monroe doctrine is a great protection to the United States. Men of all parties-Democrats, Repub

tion, adhere to that, 'I am by no means sure that some European nation, (perhaps one whose havy is now receiving such rapid inrease) may not test the Monroe doc-

We may be called upon to protect that doctrine in Brazil, or in some other South American country. I am not conjuring up fancies, but I believe the way to preserve peace is to have such a navy as no power in the world would

Mr. Lodge did not think there was anybody who did not believe in the con-struction of a navy powerful enough to defend our coast line and the Monroe doctrine. He urged that no further obstacle should be placed in the way of the navy's construction.

In a colloquy with Mr. Lodge, Mr. Tillman said it was well known that the navy of the United States was superior to that of Germany. Mr. Lodge, agreeing in part with Mr. Tillman's statement, pointed to the great increase that was now being made in the Care that was now being made in the German navy,
"If the senator thinks," said Mr.

Lodge, "there is no danger to be appre-bended, I fear he underrates the importance of the subject which I have given much thought and consideration."

REBELLION OF ASHANTIS. 50,000 Warriors in Arms Throw Off

British Yoke. Accra Gold Const, May M.-Serious reports are current that the Ashantis are determined to throw off the British yoke; that they have secured the co-operation of eight other tribes, and that they are now able to raise 50,000 warriors.

ONLY SMALL RIOTS. Two Police Injured by a Mob at Valencia, Spain.

Madrid, May 11,-Yesterday passed off peacefully, practically everywhere throughout Spain, despite the universal character of the anti-taxation agita-tion. The only noteworthy disturbance took place at Valencia, where rioting occurred and barricades were rected in the streets from behind which the mob stoned the gen d'armes, latter, in endeavoring to dislodge the

Clark Will Not Resign.

Washington, May 11.-Senator Clark of Montana, today emphatically denied a rumor that he contemplated resign-He said:

and two policemen were injured.
The gen d'armes replied with a fusil-

ade before which the mob fled.

"At the present time I have no thought of resigning, and while I can-not foresee what may happen in the future, I do not now anticipate anything that will change my present in-

DRAWING CLOSE TO KROONSTAD

the Boer Heedquarters.

THEY PLEADED GUILTY. U. S. WOULD FIGHT FIRST, TROOPS NEAR THABA N'CHU

Money to Kill Milner-Battle at Blet Spruit-Borrs Bonted Steyn Talks Encouragement.

[Afternoon Disputches.]

London, May 11 .- So quickly has Lord Roberts advanced that his cavalry is only 22 miles from Kroonstad, while the main army is only eleven miles behind them. Hence, in about a day, the British will be within striking distance of the Orange Free State headquarters. The critics differ widely in opinion as to whether any determined stand will

be made there by the Boers. The presence of 10,000 Boers in the neighborhood of Thaba N'Chu is confirmed. They are holding a line twenty miles north to southeast of Thaba N' Chu. A Boer patrol was sighted Thursday at Thaba Patchea, A detachment of Brabant's horse pursued the burghers, who retired after some fighting. The Brabants then took up a position on a hill, which they are now

holding. There were few casualties on the British side. The Boer headquarters are at Eden

MONEY TO KILL MILNER. The South African Review asserts that a member of the legislature of that a member of the legislature of Cape Colony offered money to a man to shoot Sir Aifred Milner, the British high commissioner. Affidavits on the subject are said to be in the hands of the altorney general. The Review demands the arrest of the legislator, who is described as a prominent bundsman from Piquetburg.

BOERS WERE ROUTED. A special dispatch from Riet Spruit dated May 10, describing more fully yesterday's successful operation, says:
"Gen. Hamilton's scout had on two previous days ascertained the Boers' position and strength. On Wednesday night the Cheshire regiment crossed the river, entrenched themselves and prepared to hold the passage for the regiments following.
"A daybreak on Thursday the main body crossed at two or three points. The mounted infantry was then in action, driving off the advance Boers pre-

tion, driving off the advance Boers prearatory to a general forward t. The Boer right first gave way, Tucker and Hamilton had a ther task on the left. The Boers rougher task on the left. The Boers had six guns and served them well, working with great determination, but the British worked up closer and closer, their guns meanwhile firing incessantly. "The east Lancashire and Sussex regiments by Il o'clock had worked well to the front. The order was given and like a flash the two regiments sprang

forward simultaneously, and in a few moments had secured two commanding ridges. The advance line was now within 1,200 yards of the Boers' main trench and the latter were already losing heart from the demonstration on their flank, out they kept up a rapid, though wild fire. "At this moment the final charge was ordered, and away went the Lancashires and the Sussex regiment again,

fairly bolted and the rout of the Boers along the whole line was then com-

at the Boers could not stand, and they

ON TO KROONSTAD. Lord Roberts telegraphs: "The drifts are extremely difficult and much baggage has still to come up.
"We shall, however, march at day-break and push on as far as possible in the Kroonstad direction."

Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, the Canadian high commissioner, bade farewell today to the contingent of horse, which landed yesterday at Livertoday on board the British transport Assays, from this city. The high com-missioner made a speech to the troopers and expressed the bellef that they

would emulate the excellent example of the other Canadians at the front. FREE STATERS CONCENTRAT-

ING. Maseru, Basutuland, Thursday, May 10 .- The Free Staters are concentrat-Koramaberg Hills, lying custward of the direct line of the Thuba N'Chu to Winburg. President Steyn was with them yesterday, but is believed to have gone northward after inspiring the burghers with predictions of approaching Boer success, through the assist-ance of thousands of foreigners who, he said, were pouring into Delagoa Bay.
Ger, Rundle's division camped last
evening on the banks of the Little
Liuw river, between Thaba N'Chu and Ladybrand.

Capetown, May H.-Lord Roberts wires that he is at Ventersburg, that he is continuously opposed, but that he is making progress,

MULES FOR THE WAR.

New Orleans, May 11 .- The steamer Monarch started today for Capetown, Africa, with 1.76 mules, and the stanner Corinthia cleared for the same port with 1.450 mules, all being consigned to

Japanese Royal Wedding Was a Simple Ceremony, Yokohama, May 11.- The wedding of Crown Prince Yoshihito and Princess Sada Ko, a daughter of the Kujem

family, at Tokio, on Thursday, was a

CROWN PRINCE MARRIED.

The contracting parties drank cups of wine before the shrine in the imperial The foreign residents present. ed an address. Dewey at Jackson's Home.

most simple ceremony.

Nashville, Tenn., May 11.-Admiral and Mrs. Dewey spent the morning at the Hermitage, the old home of President Andrew Jackson, twelve miles from the city, as the guests of the Ladies' Hermitage ussociation, and were entertained at luncheon. will be a public reception tonight and later a banquet.