EYESIGHT WAS IN DANGER

From Terrible Eczema-Baby's Head a Mass of Itching Rash and Sores

—Disease Cured by Cuticura. "Our little girl was two months old when she got a rash on her face and within five days her face and head were all one sore. We used different remedies but it got worse instead of better and we thought she would turn blind and that her ears would fall off. She suffered terribly, and would scratch until the blood came. This went on until she was five months old, then I had her under our family doctor's care, but she continued to grow worse. He said it was eczema. When she was seven months old I started to use the Cuticura Remedies and in two months our baby was a different girl. You could not see a sign of a sore and she was as fair as a new-born babs. The has not had a sign of the eczema since. Mrs. H. F. Budke, LeSueur, Minn., Apr. 15 and May 2, 1907.

Soldiers of the Russian army are to be provided with pocket compasses with lum-

Something New Under the Sun.

A lady in Illinois sent us 12c a year ago for our remarkable collection of vegetable and flower seeds and sold \$37.76 worth therefrom, or made 314 per cent. That's Just send this notice with 12c and re-

ceive the most original seed and plant catalog published and 1 pkg. "Quick Quick" Carrot. \$.10 1 pkg. Earliest Ripe Cabbage. . .10 1 pkg. Earliest Emerald Cucumber. . .15 1 pkg. La Crosse Market Lettuce. . .15 pkg. La Crosse Market Lettuce...
pkg. Early Dinner Onion.
pkg. Strawberry Muskmelon...
pkg. Thirteen Day Radish.....
000 kernels gloriously beautiful

postpand for Post Pale to you postpand for if you send loc, we will add a package of Berliner Earliest Cauliflower. John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis. A. C. L.

As a rule, the hair of a man turns gray five years earlier than a woman's.

Do Your Feet Ache and Burn? Shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes tight or new shoes feel easy. Cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Hot, Smarting and Sweating Feet and Ingrowing Nails. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores, 25 cts. Sample sent Free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

There are no newsboys in Spain; women sell newspapers in the streets.

Garfield Tea-a simple and satisfactory axative! Composed of Herbs, it regulates liver and kidneys, overcomes constipation and brings Good Health.

The shores of the Persian Gulf are said

Only One "Bromo Quinine" That is Laxative Bromo Quinine. Look for the signature of E. W. Grove. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

Chair Made From Gallows.

Warden Burns E. Norton, of the Maine State Prison, has just received from the manufactory a table-chair made from the drop of the old prison gallows which was used before capital punishment was abolished.

The gallows drop was made of solid rock maple, with a pine top, the whole being thoroughly put 'ogether E. H. Harriman. with bolts.

The old drop for many years had been lying about the prison and moved from place to place. Warden Norton finally ordered it to be cut for firewood and it was thrown into the

The idea then came to him to have a chair made from it, and the work M. Taylor Pyne, has just been finished. The chair is a combination seat and table, after C S. Fairchild, the old-fashioned chairs so well known 100 years ago. The five men who stood upon this

drop when executed were: Lewis H. F. Wagner and John True Gordon, 1875, and Raffale Capone and Carmen Santore, and Daniel Williamson, in 1885.—Boston Herald.

Origin of Pugilism.

Man being instinctively a pugnacious animal, and the fist being the simplest and most natural weapon, it may safely be assumed that pugilism, as a mode of settling difficulties, is coeval with man himself. So far as we know, boxing for men was introduced in the Olympic games in the 23d Olympiad, 769 B. C., and for boys in the 37th Olympiad, 699 B. C.

MUSIC STUDENTS Should Have Steady Nerves.

The nervous system of the musidan is often very sensitive, and any habit like coffee drinking may so upset the perves as to make regular and necessary daily practice next to impossible

"I practice from seven to eight "Last September I was so pervous I could only practice a few minutes at a time and mother said I would have to drop my music for a year.

"This was terribly discouraging, as I couldn't bear the thought of losing a whole year of study. Becoming convinced that my nervousness was caused largely by coffee, and seeing Postum so highly spoken of, I decided I would test it for a while.

"Mother tollowed the directions. carefully and I thought I had never tasted such a delicious drink. We drank Postum every morning instead of coffee, and by November I felt more like myself than for years, and was ready to resume my music.

"I now practice as usual, do my studying and when my day's work is finished I am not any more nervous than when I began.

"I cannot too highly recommend Postum to musicians who practice half a day. My father is a physician and recommends Postum to his pa-Words cannot express my appreciation for this most valuable health beverage, and experience has proven its superiority over all oth-Irs." "There's a Reason."

Name given by Pastum Co., Battle freek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

100 MEN RULE NATION,

Wisconsin Senator Declares Recent Panic Was Planned.

AMENDMENTS TO ALDRICH BILL

Railroad Bonds Dropped - Senate ure-Synopsis of Speech.

Washington, D. C .- Congress was electrified by the sudden elimination of the railroad bond feature from the Aldrich Currency bill, and later by a bitter attack on the measure by Sennor Robert M. La Foilette, of Wisconsin, in which he charged that it was the legislation most desired by the comparatively small clique which has succeeded in dominating the finances of the country. The business of the Nation, he declared, has gradually been centralized until it is directed by the men who control the New York banks, and these men number less

than 100. Aldrich's renunciation of the clause of his measure admitting railroad bonds as a basis for the issuance of emergency currency occasioned astonishment. This renunciation was made in committee just before the Senate met. Other minor concessions were made, but the railroad bond feature overshadowed everything else. At first it was believed that the action was taken to embarrass La Follette, whose address was understood to be leveled principally at this phase of the measurc.

La Follette was late in rising to address the Senate. He declared that the recent panic originated through the centralization of business in the hands of a few men. These men, he charged later, had plotted to bring about the panic to satisfy business, legislative and political grudges, and to advance their own selfish interests.

"I have here a list of about 100 men," he said, waving a paper at the Senate, "who control the industrial, financial and commercial life of the American people. In the grasp of these 100 men is the destiny of the Republic. The country does not seem to realize how closely allied are the great banking houses of the money centres to this centralization."

Senator La Follette here read a list of the names of the men who control the industrial and transportation enterprises and the banks of the country. Continuing, he said:
"No student of the economic

changes in recent years can escape the conclusion that the ownership and control of railroads, telegraph. shipping, cable, telephone, traction, express, mining, iron, steel, coal, oil, gas, electric light, cotton, copper, sugar, tobacco, agricultural implements and the feed products are completely controlled and mainly owned by these men.'

Less Than 100 Men Who Control Nation's Wealth.

Washington, D. C .- The list of less than 100 men (including those who have died since the data was com-piled) who control all the financial, industrial and commercial business of the country, and whose names appear in from 1600 to 1800 directorates, prominently mentioned by Senator La Follette in his speech, follows: P. D. Cravath, P. Marten, E. S. Marsten, Jas. Stillman, Samuel Sloan. John J. Astor, A. N. Brady, August Belmont, C. M. Depew, Moses Taylor, C. H. Dodge, H. M. Flagler, J. H. Post, H. A. C. Taylor. Jas. C. Fargo, Wm. Rockefeller, Jas. J. Hill, Henry C. Frick, Edwin Hawley, P. A. Valentine, J. R. Hegeman, J. H. Hyde, C. H. McCormick. G. W Perkins, W. H. Moore. D. O. Mills, Wm. D Sloan, C. H. Mackay,

S. S. Palmer,

A. Iselin, Jr.,

C. W. Morse, W Sterling A. E. Orr. Oliver H. Payne, H. O. Havemeyer, C. A. Peabody, D. G. Reid. S. H. Hubbard J. D. Rockefeller, H. H. Rogers, James Speyer. Charles Steele, C. M. Schwab. H. McK. Twombley, F. W. Vanderbilt, W. K. Vanderbilt.

Brayton Ives, W. G. Oakman, T. F Ryan. G. W. Young, G. F. Baker, C T Barney Henry Walters, E. J. Berwind. J. I. Waterbury, W. S. Webb, L. Blair. J. F. Dryden, E. F. C. Young, J. G. Armour, G J. Gould, Charles Dawes, D. Guggenheim, Jas. B. Forgan, V. P. Snyder, J. J. Mitchell, H. H. Vreeland, N. B. Ream, John Claffin, L. F Swift. Chas. Lanier. Oliver Ames, W. Langdon. T. J. Coolidge. J. P. Morgan H. L. Higginson A. D. Juilliard, Nat'l Thayer, G. G. Haven, Thos. Dolan James H. Jarvis, P. A. B. Widener, Fred. Creswell. E H. Gary, H. P. Whitney. Samuel Rea. C A. Peabody, J. H. Converse.

S. R. Shipley, C. H Allen, E. B. Morris. A. W. Brach. Railway Fines Upheld.

Morawetz,

The United States Supreme Court, hours a day and study Harmony two at Washington, D. C., upheld the hours," writes a Mich. music student. validity of the fines imposed on the City meat packers and the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad for accepting and giving re- and Rio Grande Railway's shops went

Actor Hitchcock Acquitted.

Raymond Hitchcock, the actor, was acquitted by order of court, in New York City, on the declaration of Flora Whiston that she had sworn falsely before the Grand Jury as to the alleged assaults committed by him. She ras locked up, charged with perjury.

Industrial Plants Resume. Reports from various parts of the country showed many industrial ning March 30 of Chester Gillette, plants resuming operation, due to increasing business activity.

The Field of Labor.

The coal mines of the world employ 1,250,000 men.

A federation of the northern, southern and western coal miners' unions in New South Wales is now Ampleied.

The three mills of the Stark Rolling Mill Company, at Canton, Ohio, for the Atlantic coast in the absence shut down for three months, have resumed.

The plate, slab and structural mills of the Illinois Steel Company, in are over-schooled, not over-educated, South Chicago, resumed with work and that \$36 per capita is too much for 2000, and 5000 more men will be called in.

RESTORES MOTTO TO COINS

SAYS LA FOLLETTE House Passes Bill Putting Back "In God We Trust."

> Change Made by Vote of 255 to 5-Debate on Subject Excited Lively Interest.

Washington, D. C .- Under suspension of the rules the House of Repre-Committee Votes to Eliminate sentatives passed the bill providing This Feature of Currency Meas- for the restoration of the motto "In God We Trust" on the gold and silver coins of the United States.

The bill was passed by a vote of 255 to 5. The debate on the subject excited the liveliest interest.

Mr. Carlin, of Virginia, said that in the issuance of the order abolishing the motto President Roosevelt had acted unwisely and in violation of the spirit of the law.

Ollie James, of Kentucky, declared that in the judgment of the Christian people of the United States, the President had made a great mistake. In opposing the bill, Mr. Kuster-

mann, Wisconsin, said that the motto smacked of irreverence which went dangerously close to sacrilege. "It's a piece of farcical hypocrisy," ejaculated Mr. Gordon, of Georgia.

RUBBER TRUST CUTS PAY.

Slackening Business Causes Sales men to Suffer Reduction.

New York City.-That the financial panic has not failed to affect what are known as the big business interests is shown by the fact that the rubber goods industry of this country is facing a falling off in trade. The Rubber Trust is feeling the stress to such an extent that a reduction of

wages has been planned. Recently orders were sent forth to the hundred or more of the Trust's retail and wholesale companies that expenses must be cut.

Owing to the union rules and agreements, wages to mechanics could not be cut, and the higher priced men alone will have their salaries reduced. On April 1 the salesmen and clerks of the rubber business in the East and the majority of those employed by firms in the West affiliated with the Trust will be forced to stand a reduction in salaries. The reduction will not be less than ten per cent., and in some cases will amount to twenty-five per cent.

The men affected by the economical regime are indignant.

SPERRY TO HEAD FLEET.

Evans Requests Appointment of Successor For World Encircling Voyage.

Washington, D. C .- Rear-Admiral Charles S. Sperry will be commander-in-chief of the Atlantic battleship fleet when it leaves San Francisco in July to encircle the globe. This was decided by President Roosevelt and

his Cabinet. Rear-Admiral Evans, on his personal request, will be relieved of the command at the conclusion of the naval review at San Francisco on May The Admiral considers this the completion of the work he was assigned to do, that of taking the Atlantic fleet to the Pacific Coast. He

will retire in August. the honor of commanding the fleet on its visit to Puget Sound and fleet on its visit to Puget Sound and until the homeward journey begins. He has been second in command during the voyage, and will retire in Oc-

SENATOR W. P. WHYTE DEAD.

Maryland's Representative in Upper House Was Eighty-three Years Old.

Baltimore, Md. - Senator William Pinkney Whyte, for man years the idol of the Democrats of this city and State, died suddenly of heart failure following an attack of erysipelas. Senator Whyte filled with distinc- en. said: tion almost all the important offices brated his eighty-third birthday in

Russian Prisons Too Small. The Duma has been asked for \$1. 000,000 to enlarge Russian prisons,

which are overcrowded. The number of prisoners has increased 111 per cent. since 1906. In January, 1908, the total number was 159,537, and in February 165,588, of whom 13,000 were political prisoners. A large number of death sentences were pronounced in various parts of Russia. The doomed men include ten robbers at Krementchug, four robbers at Kieff, three men who attacked the postoffice at Proskuroff and three brigands at Lodz.

Women Make Mayor Eat Crow.

Mayor Leopold Markbreit, of Cincinnati. Ohio, extricated himself from an embarrassing predicament by surrendering under a shower of protests from women. He instructed the Chief of Police to keep women from acting as chauffeurs. This incensed the Susan B. Anthony Club, and they started up an agitation, as a result of which every woman who owns an automobile, and a great many who do not, personally and by mail protested against the Mayor's attitude. "I eat crow," he said. "I was all wrong."

Strike on Gould Roads Begun.

At Denver, Col., 1500 machinists boilermakers and members of kindred trades working in the Denver on a strike.

Kill Foxes by Gun Only.

Mr. Clinton G. Gilmore and other members of the Berkshire Hunt, at Pittsfield, Mass., have petitioned the Legislature for the passage of a bill to prohibit the killing of foxes in any other way than by shooting.

No Clemency For Gillette.

Governor Hughes will not interfere with the execution in the week begin convicted of the murder of Grace Brown.

Newsy Condensations.

New York's uniformed fire force comprises 4086 men. The American torpedo flotilla ar-

rived at Panama two days ahead of schedule. Eastern interests have urged Con gress to provide adequate protection

of the battleships. Rear-Admiral Chadwick, retired said children in the Northern States for Newport to spend annually on its school children.

DANGER AHEAD FOR THE FLEET



CALIFORNIA GIRLS ARE FORMING LEAP-YEAR PROPOSAL CLUBS. -Cartoon by G. C. Williams, in the Chicago News.

Sing Ho! For Our Gallant Fleet Now in Magdalena Bay mer military commander of Port-au-Prince, now an exile in Cuba, and A. Gallette, a man named Roche and one

How "Fighting Bob" and the Men Behind the Guns Brought the "Big Sixteen" Safely to Anchor in That Beautiful Harbor.

WHAT THE CREWS EAT ON THE LONG PRACTICE VOYAGE

Magdalena Bay, Lower California, crews were rationed with dehydrated or dried vegetables, which were that the fleet will leave here between found to be most satisfactory. At April 5 and April 10. Stops will be made at San Diego, the ports of Los Angeles, Santa Barbara and Santa At Los Angeles the fleet will be divided into divisions of four ships will last ten days, until the Culgoa each, to be anchored off Long Beach, Pedro, Redondo, Venice and Santa Monica. It is not unlikely that to take on stores and return here. the fleet first will steam in single line formation up the coast along the line of the various ports and then divide. This would make a splendid naval pageant which might be witnessed by the people of those cities. Again, on departure, the fleet will probably form in single column and sail north, regarded the present cruise in the repeating the parade. A simultaneous salute, such as was given in some of the South American ports, may be fired.

Target Practice. Target practice will occupy probably about three weeks. There will be no battle practice, that being held in the fall of the year. Preliminary practice is limited to two ships, the throughout the fleet over the failure Kansas and the Vermont, which have of the expedition to rescue the Amernot yet fired all their guns in practice. ships firing at a time. The rafts for the der Yankton was sent in to make the targets were finished and towed out search. The landing party from the to the grounds, to the southeast of tender searched all habitable parts of where the squadron was anchored, the island for two days. Remains of and Vermont, were on the range lay-ing out the lines and anchoring buoys found with Jeffs' initials on it. It is

by a tug. Coal Problem Met.

Captain R. R. Ingersoll, chief of cealed himself before perishing, but staff to Rear-Admiral Evans, upon it was without result. whom much of the detail work in connection with the voyage has fall-

"The plans which were formuin the State-Governor, Mayor, Atlated last August for the coaling on torney-General. Senator Whyte celethe present cruise provided for the use of eighty tons per steaming mile. Then there was added eight tons daily for various necessary allow-We have found that we were ances. able to keep well within this estimate and maintain the ten-kuct speed. The arrangements for coaling at all our various stopping places have been carried out, and the prearranged plans have proved entirely

adequate. 'At Rio we took on 24,000 tons, at Punta Arenas 21,000, at Callao 21,000, and at Magdalena, when we have finished with the colliers, we shall have taken on 35,000 tons additional. This supply will be adequate to last until we arrive at San Francisco. This provides also for the coal to be used in our target practice. All this amount of coal was provided, with the exception of the amounts taken on at Rio and Trinidad, from chartered colliers.

The Provisions.

"The supply ship loads and the provisions for the fleet were computed at the same time as the coal estimate, and submitted to the department. These have worked out to We had 1,000,000 pounds of fresh meat when we started. The bakeries on our ships have supplied us with from 900 to 1000 loaves of residence. bread daily. We started with half a million pounds of potatoes, which supply was exhausted at Punta Arena. We issued the last 4000 pounds there. From there to Callao the vendors.

Soldiers Who Deserted Sus-

pected of Killing Lugger's Crew. Havana, Cuba .-- Corporal Cooper and privates Grinelly and Farley, of United States Army, were lodged in jail at Pinar del Rio on the charge of murdering two men who were manning a lugger which they had chartered to get away from the island ert Emmet." after deserting on March 3.

A gunboat picked up the lugger while it was drifting off the coast. The bodies of the missing boatmen cheering. have not been found. The soldiers were turned over to Colonel Parker.

Halls of Congress.

Mr. Simmons, of North Carolina spoke in support of the ship subsidy

Mr. Bacon, of Georgia, spoke on alleged executive encroachments on the legislative power. A. J. Joyner has been engaged as Representative Lilley testified be-

investigating his charges. The House Committee on Appro priations reported a pension bill which abolishes all agencies in outside cities and consolidates payments on rowdy rooting. Unfair partisan-

fore the House committee which is

Callao we took on 238,000 pounds of potatoes, which lasted reached Magdalena. Here the Buffalo | ugees in the foreign consulates. met us with 200 tons more. This can get here from San Diego, where she was sent from Callao with orders She will give us enough fresh provisions to last until we arrive at our "The trip has demonstrated that

final destination at San Francisco. the Atlantic fleet can go to any part of the world if coal is provided. The men and officers of the fleet have not same remarkable sense that the public has. With them it has merely been a day's work-nothing more. However, they are all gratified at the successful conclusion of the cruise to date. It merely confirms our expectations.

Failure to Rescue Jeffs. Much disappointment is expressed throughout the fleet over the failure can sailor Jeffs from Indefatigable All will engage in record target prac- Island. The fleet passed within about lice. There will be four ranges, four forty miles of the island, and the ten-Three or four of the ships, including camp fires were found in several the Georgia, Rhode Island, Kansas places, but no trace of the sailor was for the attachment of the targets and the belief of the men on the Yankton for the guidance of the ships. The that the marooned sailor has been picked up by some passing vessel. Search was made in every possible place where the man could have con-

The Town of Magdalena.

The little town of Magdalena has not grown to any appreciable extent because of the fleet's visit. It is about the same size that it has been for years past. It consists of a row of one and two-story whitewashed houses located on the northern shore of what is known as Man of Wat Cove. The houses sit back from the beach some fifty feet and extend for perhaps 1000 yards along the shore. Mr. Heney, a cousin of Francis J. Heney, the assistant district attorney of San Francisco, is the only full white man in the place. He has re-sided here for the last eight years as local manager of a company controlling 4,120,000 acres of land which fronts along the bay. A young wom-an, a cousin of Mr. Heney, and her mother reside with him. The remainder of the population is entirely Mexican. There are normally about 115 people in the place. On the ranch horses and cattle are reared. The cattle are killed for local consumption. Water is the great problem. Ordinarily, it is brought from many miles inland, and frequently is furnished to Mr. Heney by warships in the harbor, which have distilling

The day before the arrival of the Atlantic fleet the steamship Curacao, from La Paz, landed thirty-eight Mexperfection. Our fresh meat lasted icans at Magdalena, and the question unfil we reached Magdalena, where of food and water for them was a sewe still had 200,000 pounds left rious problem. Mr. Hency solved it by sharing a supply from the ships Governor Sanginez and his official party are quartered at Mr. Heney's

Within the last two days two or three new buildings of a temporary nature have sprung up along the beach and are being used by Mexican

Hundred Persons Quit Theatre Seats to Shake Schmitz's Hand.

San Francisco.-As a demonstration of the feeling against the graft prosecution and its methods, the audience at the Lyceum Theatre cheered former Mayor Schmitz as he stalked up the aisle between the acts of "Rob-

"Three cheers for Mayor Schmitz." some one shouted. Nearly every per son in the audience joined in the

A hundred or more persons left their seats and shook hands with him

Jottings About Sports. The New York Yacht Club's racing

season will begin on Thursday, June

The Automobile Club of America has withdrawn from membership in the American Automobile Associa-

trainer for H. P. Whitney's race horses in the place of the late J. J. Rogers. The best move agitated in baseball in a long time is Ban Johnson's war

in a central distributing agency in ship in this regard reaches the disagraceful stage.

HAITI'S REIGN OF TERROR

Fears For Safety of White Residents of Island.

Iwelve Alleged Revolutionists Shot at Port-au-Prince-War Vessels Sent to Scene of Trouble.

Washington, D. C .- Twelve rebels against President Alexis Nord's Government in Haiti were taken from their beds by troops and summarily shot near the cemetery in Port-au-

So the State Department was informed by Henry W. Furniss, American Minister to Haiti. Minister Leger, of Haiti, has received information to the same effect.

The victims of this military execution are named as the three Coicou brothers, blacks; Horace Coicou, forty-five years old; Masillon Coicou, forty years, an author and playwright, and proprietor of the public library at Port-au-Prince; Pierre Louis Coicou, thirty years, a physician; Felix Salnave, a mulatto, fortyfive years, brother-in-law to General Fermin, leader of the revolt; General Alluption Casimir, a black, fifty years, who was chief of staff to former President Salamen; Merove, a labor leader, father-in-law of Augustus Manigat, Chief of Police of Port-au-Prince; Merove's young son; Robert Lamothe, thirty years, a clerk in a dry goods store; Paul St. Fort, black, wenty-eight years, nephew of the for-

named Benjamin.
Besides, Mme. Gallette, A. Gallette's wife, and Mme. Marchand were arrested. Mme. Gallette was detected distributing money to troops; she claims that she was only paying them to protect her property. Mme. Marchand, a mulatto, is the wife of a Frenchman who was expelled from Haiti two years ago.

Minister Leger, Ambassador Jusserand of France and Ambassador Von Sternberg of Germany visited Secratary of State Root. The State Depart. ment seems inclined to keep hands off of Haiti, more particularly as it was informed that the Haitian Government issued an order allowing the embarkation of all the remaining refmost all the refugees, including General Fimin and seventy others, were at the French Consulate at Gonaives. The refugees who had taken shelter in the American Consulate were allowed to leave the country a week

Nevertheless the gunboat Eagle was ordered from Guantanamo, Cuba, to Port-au-Prince.

Secretary of the Navy Metcalf said: "We have no fear of any agitation in Haiti endangering American interests, and for that reason it was not at first thought necessary to send a warship there. But on the theory that you never can tell what may happen it finally was decided to send over a gunboat. The senior officer with the flotilla in Southern waters was ordered to dispatch a boat. and I understand that the Eagle is on the way from Guantanamo to Port-

au-Prince. Five American vessels are within easy reach of the scene and can be sent there at an hour's notice, but no order to any one of them had been

Germany, France Acting Together. Berlin .- The German Navy Department has ordered the cruiser Bremen, the smallest relic of their presence. now in West Indian waters to Portau-Prince, Haiti, subjects or other foreigners.

The Foreign Ministry has been in

correspondence with the French Government with regard to recent political arrests in Haiti and the general situation on the island, and on March 14 the two Governments agreed upon a course of action. British and German Cruisers Sail.

Kingston, Jamaica. - The British

cruiser Indefatigable and the German cruiser Bremen hurriedly sailed for Haiti. A number of refugees from Haiti arrived here.

\$115,000,000 Investment Has Entered Receivers' Hands Since New Year's. Chicago.-Since the first of the year seven railroads with 6000 miles

WHAT IT MEANT TO RAILROADS.

of trackage, representing an invest-ment of \$415,000,000, have gone into the hands of receivers. The liabilities of the roads aggregate \$450,000, 000. During the year 1907 the list of receiverships included nine small roads, with a total of 349 miles, and an investment of \$8,882,460. Railroad men estimate that about 500,000 employes have been laid off since November 1. The mechanical

average of one-third. In normal times the railroads of the United States employ about 1,600,000 men. Department heads have orders to continue a gradual weeding out process wherever practicable. While there has been a slight increase in traffic of late, railroad men say that the improvement has not been sufficient to warrant the assumption that the end of the reduction of forces has been reached. A few of the Eastern lines have reduced wages but the Western roads will do this only as a last resort. Shop men and

accounting, engineering and clerical

departments have been reduced an

Cut of 10 Per Cent. in Wages.

others, however, have had their wages

cut by a shortening of their hours of

of freight rates have been current

here.

Rumors of a general advance

Notices of a ten per cent. reduction wages at the cotton mills of the Shetucket Company and the Falls Company were posted at Norwich, Conn.. the reduction to take effect next week. About 1200 hands are affected.

Wage Cut in Holyoke Cotton Mill. Notices of a ten per cent, reduction in the wages of the 1400 operatives were posted in the Lyman Mills, Holyoke's principal cotton factory, a' Holyoke, Mass.

Prominent People.

Governor Magoon arrived at Havana and was warmly greeted by the Cubans.

Richard Kearton, one of England's most famous naturalists, decided to visit the United States. Justice Harlan complains that so

ciety people in Washington desecrate Sunday with teas, club dinners and other social functions. Professor John B. Watson, psycho-

logist of the University of Chicago, has resigned to accept a similar position at Johns Hopkins University in



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Coming Down Anyway.

Some years ago there lived in Perth, Scotland, a man of convivial habits, well known by his Christian name, Jamie. One dark night an acquaintance found Jamie lying at the foot of an outside stair. "Is that you, Jamie?" asked the acquaintance in a voice of the greatest astonishment. "Aye, it's me," replied Jamie in a tone of complete resignation. "Have ye fa'en doon the stair?" was the next question. "Aye! I fell doon; but I was comin' doon, whether or

no."-Bellman. The coal consumption per head is greater in England than any other country.

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preparation known for coughs. Among the treasures of the British Museum is the first envelope ever made. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflamma-tion, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

Our dead are never dead to us un-

til we have forgotten them; they can

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be injured by us, they can be wounded; they know all our penitence, all our aching sense that their place is empty, all the kisses we bestow on One of the

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