

for 20s. HAROLD SOMERS, 140 DeKaib Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. last ditch, has joined Grand Duke It is the fashion to deride Russia

and all places where files are trouble-some Clean, neat and will not soll or

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Vladimir, uncle of the Emperor, in sion of peace. the con Another important convert made by the advocates of peace is Admiral Alexieff. With Grand Duke Alexander Michaelovitch, Grand Duke Vladimir and Admiral Alexieff on the side of peace the backbone of what has been demoninated as the war party seems to have been broken. Nevertheless, the final word rests with the Emperor himself. Washington, Special .-- Pending the decision of the Czar regarding war or peace in the Far East, the President and the European ambassadors with whom he is daily conferring have agreed that silence regarding their activities is necessary, and word to this effect has been passed along, lest Russia take offense and go contratry to what the neutral powers believe to be for her own advantage.

application of the State of Missouri to take possession of the Merchants' Bridge across the Mississippi river at

The weather conditions the past Secretary Morton wants the forma fortnight have continued unfavorable. reinterment of John Paul Jones to take and private advices with few exceptions report the crop to be very backplace at Annapolis September 23. ward, compared with last season, far-Secreatry of War Taft declined the better progress than in the central and better to purchase the folding skirt western belt, but as a rule over the entire region the crop is doing poorly, especially in Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana, where the plant is badly in the grass, and in Texas and Arkansas where the outlook in many section is very discouraging, farmers having been unable to finish planting, an some fields being abandoned on ac

mers being unable to work the fields down toward the tip to about nine on account of the protracted rains. In | inches, and should be about five or five the eastern belt, the plant is making and one-half feet in length. It is much

and the ruffles will not sag. For white skirts and for dresses a skirt board is a necessity; it should be about 15 inches wide at the bottom and narrow

His Cure by Cutleura For 75c. "When our baby boy was three months old he had the milk crust very badly on his head, so that all the hair came out, and it itched so had he would scratch until the blood ran. I got a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I applied the Cuticura and put a thin cap on his head, and before I had t box it was entirely cured, his hair comboards, being less expensive that havmenced to grow out nicely again, and he has ing a carpenter make one. Cover with had no return of the trouble. (Signed) Mrs. H. P. Holmes, Ashland, Or." plet fastened into place un-

and exhibit to the public every defect in her new penal system and social organization, and yet is is only fair to admit that under an autocracy, which is the abhorrence of all freeborg Americans, Russia has done what we could not do, decreed eman-cipation without a war and abolished capital punishment.

FITSpermanently cared. Nofits or nervous-nessatte, first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nervollestorer, \$2trialbottle and treatise free Dr. B. H. KLINE; Ltd., 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa. The latest Paris edict is that women must be thin.

Tadids Can Wear Sheet

One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It makes tight or new shoes easy. Oares swollen, hot, sweating, aching feet, ingrowing nails, corns and bunions. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package Fazz by mail. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N.Y.

Tokio is about fourteen hours ahead of New York.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, soften the gums, reduces inflammation, allayspain, cures wind colic, 25c. abottle. The Bayonet's importance is recognized all over the world to-day.

Ido not believe Piso's Cure for Consump-tionhas anequal for coughs and colds.--Jonx F.Borr, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1903. The microbe now flourishes mightily in the attention of the world.

THREE YEARS AFTER.

Eugene E. Lario, of 751 Twentieth avenue, ticket seller in the Union sattion, Denver, Col., says: "You are at liberty, to repeat what I first stated through our Denver, - papers about Doan's Kidney Pills in the summer of 1899, for I have had no reason in the interim to change my opinion of the remedy. I was subject to severe attacks of backache, always aggravated if I sat long at a desk. Doan's Kidney Pills absolutely stopped my backache. I have never had a pain or a twinge since? Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For salc

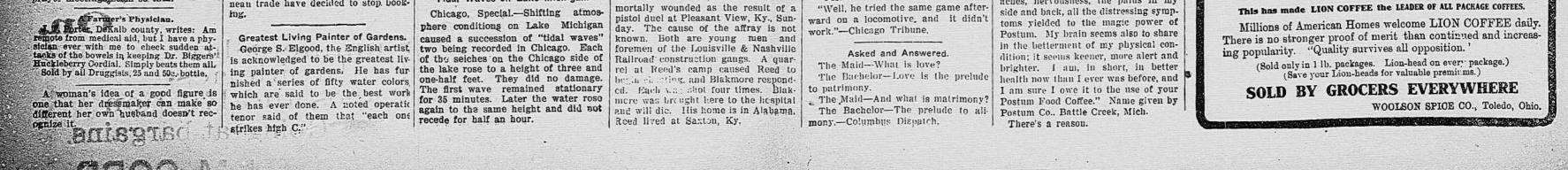
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to-da / and said: "Mr. Orr, they .y you say you don't want any negro to vote for you." To which Mr. Orr replied: "If you were running for mayor, would you say that?" The negro said he wouldn't. "Well, then." Mr. Orr continued, "don't you think] have as much sense as you have?"-Atchison Globe:

Cures Eczema, Itching Humors.

Especially for old, chronic cases take Botanic Blood Balm, It gives a healthy blood supply to the affected parts, heals all the sores, eruption scabs, scales; stops the awful itching and burning of eczema, swellfingt entrumeting, watery sores, etc. Drug-gists 31 per large bottle 3 bottles 32.50, 6 bottles 35.00, express prepaid. Sample free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and free medi-cel advice sent in sealed letter.

Some men who water their milk every day cannot understand why the prayer-meetings seem so this.



Texas Ship Channel Completed.

President's practical tender of good

offices. It can, however, be stated in

addition that Grand Duke Alexander

Michaelovitch, who was the most un-

compromising advocate of war to the

Galveston, Tex., Special .- The Texas City ship channel has been completed and turned over to the government. Beginning work on the channel in 1899, the contractors made fair

progress until the storm and tidal wave of September 8, 1900, when the work already accomplished was practically destroyed. Taking it up again the contractors have finally finished it. The channel from Texas City to Bolivar channel is 3,400 feet long, 25.

feet deep, with a width of 100 feet at the Dottom. . It has cost the governing.

NEWSY GLEANINGS.

tramways. There are more Grant townships in Kansas than any other kind. A heavy turning movement by the Japanese on the Russian flanks was

reported from Gunshu. lege.

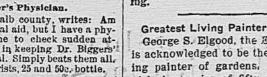
ment \$250,000.

than fifty. A large lump of butter has been

Truggists. Price 50 that it is at least 100 years old.

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him.



St. Louis. James K. Polk, a law partner of W. C. Crawford, who was indicted for connection with postal frauds, testified in favor of Crawford.

> President Roosevelt was presented with a statuette representing him as colonel of the Rough Riders.

> > Through the North.

James McConnell, 32 years old, a crank, tried to kill Vice-President Fairbanks, at Flint, Mich. Radical changes in the business man-

agement of the Equitable Life Assurance Society are provided by resolutions adopted by the directors.

The will of J. Montgomery Sears, Boston's heaviest taxpayer, is missing. John F. Gaynor and Benjamin J. Greene, convicted of defrauding the United States, together with Captain Oberlin M. Carter, are to be extradited from Canada after a long fight. Mayor Weaver has asked all the banks in Philadelphia where municipal deposits are made to state the amount of interest paid on these de-

Holders of debenture B Wabash Railroad bonds are to sue for an account-

en over his office

Assurance Company.

Foreign Affairs.

ized in the Palace Chapel at Berlin.

resigned and Premier Rouvier has tak-

It is understood that the Russian Em-

Pope Pius bestowed the apostolic ben-

Miscellaneous Matters.

Attempt to Use Poison.

Rome, By Cable .- Dr. Micucci, who

has been in the Italian service in the

timents unfavorable to the State, in-

cluding Micucci himself and Dr. Bac-

cari, who was sent to the Congo as

an Italian envoy to report on the pos-

sibility of sending Italian emigrants

peror will issue an imperial manifest,

creating a legislative assembly.

London, Eng., has only 115 miles of ly welcomed in England. terne the three war vessels now at Manilla.

An anonymous donor has given \$500,-000 to Columbia University to provide a building to succeed old Kings Col-

One of the oldest living Osages is Bare Legs, now about eighty years old, though he does not seem to be more

found buried in an Irish bog. No one knows how old it is. It is thought

ediction at the close of the Eucharistic The San Francisco Board of Educa-Congress at St. Peter's in Rome. tion, as a sanitary measure, has adopted a resolution prohibiting the use of King Alfonso received the diplomatic slates and pencils in the public schools. corps of Buckingham Palace and at-An English Judge recently altered a tended other functions. sentence of eighteen months' hard abor to five years' penal servitude, because the prisoner threw a bottle at Two more directors have resigned from the board of the Equitable Life

The New York Legislature has passed the bill making the term for Mayor, Controller and Borough Presidents of New York City four years instead of two.

Water freezes every night throughout the year at Alto Crucero, in Bo-Congo Free State; has presented the livia, it has been reported, while at foreign office here with a report which noonday the sun is het enough to describes attempts by Congo authorities cause actual suffering. to poison several persons holding sen-An attempt by the Opposition to

force a reply to a motion of the Liberal leader in the British House of Commons caused great disorder and forced the Speaker to suspend the session. The applications of Italian emigrants

to secure passage to this country have become songreat that the majority of the steamship lines in the Mediterranean trade have decided to stop book-

there.

count of wet weather. The crop is about two weeks later than usual, and considering the reduction in acreage, of about 15., as per our crop letter of the thirteenth ult. the weather conditions of the next thirty days are of greatest importance; as they will throw more light on the chances for a crop in keeping with consumption.

Weather conditions will continue to govern prices for some time to come

Riot in Aiken County.

Columbia, Special .- A race riot is in progress at Bush, in Aiken county, the scene of the old Ellenton riots of the reconstruction period. So far a white man named Burwell McClain is dead and his son mortally wounded and two negroes are dangerously wounded These were fired upon from the house of a negro named Gordon High. Mc-Clain had been deputized to go and bring a negro child to a magistrate, the child being in dispute in a case to be tried before the magistrate. High defied McClain, who was re-enforced by his son, and two negroes and High and his friends fired upon the approaching party, with the result that Burwell King Alfonso of Spain is being royalwas killed and the others wounded, High then made his escape into the Russia has practically decided to inforest. Other negroes have armed themselves with Winchesters and shot guns and declared that they will protect High, after whom a large and well-The marriage of Crown Prince Fredarmed posse has started. High will be erick William and the Duchess Cedilia, lynched when he is caught. A long disof Mecklenburg-Schwerin, was solemntance 'phone message from Aiken says further bloodshed is expected. Foreign Minister Delcasse, of France,

Battleships Go South.

Norfolk, Va., Special .- The first d vision of the battleship squadron, u der command of Rear Admiral R. I Evans, composed of the flagship Maine, Kearsarge, Kentucky and Mis souri, sailed from Hampton Roads fo the Southern drill grounds. After tw days' evolutions at sea the squadros will sail for New York, and the ships will then disperse for repairs at the northern navy yards.

Constable Shoots Negro.

Columbia, S. C., Special .- Dispensary Constable John R. Isom early Monday afternoon shot and killed a young ne gro named Jim Long who had broke away from Policeman Keith. Loni had been under arrest for snatching valise from a negro excursionist wh had just arrived over the Seaboand from Savannah. Isom elaims that his revolver fired accidently as he struck the negro with the weapon in an endeavor to stop him. Keith was running after he had just fired twice to attract attention, and was calling tr Isect to assist.

Fatal Pistol Duel.

Knoxville, Tenn., Special .-- Charles Reed is dead and Alla Blakmore is Tidal Waves on Lake Michigan. mortally wounded as the result of a

Odd Nicknames for Vessels. British sailors have odd nicknames for their vessels Some of them are: Majestic: Jew's Stick: Magnificent, Maggie; Prince George, P. G.; Sans Parel, Sampan; Amphitrite, Ham an' Tripe; Hermione, My Own; Prince of Wales, Itching Dean; Narcissus, Little Ciss: Jupiter, Jupes: Queen, Alex; Hermes, Wallflower: Bacchante, Back Shant: Sutlei, Subtle J: Niobe, Nobbler; Hogue, Hog; Warspite, Warbash; Royal Oak, Acorn; Undaunted, Unpainted; Empress of India, Heaven's Light; Pomone, Pom Cne; Nile, The Jew; Victorious, V. C.; Bellerophon, Billy Ruffian; Foudroyant, Food and Drink.

Tree's Strange Crop. There is a curious sight in the fork of an umbrella tree on Washington

street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. It is a fine growth of wheat almost ready to come out into head. The stocks are nearly two feet long and the blades broad and healthy looking. It was at first thought that this growth consisted of shoots from the tree, but on closer examination it was found to be wheat. It has no foundation of earth, or if there is any it is so hidden by the growth as to be invisible. The wheat grains in some way found lodgment in the crevices of the bark and have probably had no other earthy bed than that formed by dust which during the dust storms of the summer was blown there .- Ariona Republican.

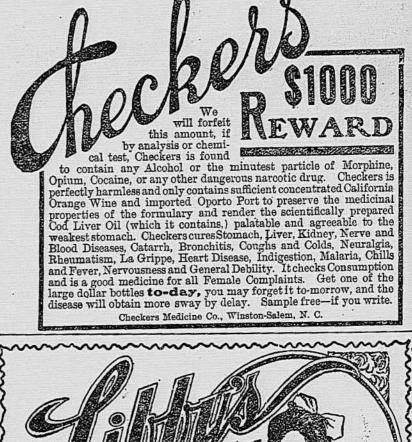
FEED YOUNG GIRLS. st Have Right Food While Growing Great care should be taken at the ritical period when the young girl is just merging into womanhood that the diet shall contain all that is upbuilding, and nothing harraful.

At that age the structure is being formed and if formed of a healthy sturdy character, bealth and bappiness ill follow; on the other hand unalthy cells may be built in and a sick ondition slowly supervene which, if lot checked, may ripen into a chronic disease and cause life-long suffering. A young lady says: "Coffee began to have such an effect n my stomach a few years ago, that I was compelled to quit using it. It rought on headaches, pains in my nuscles, and nervousness. "I tried to use tea in its stead, but ound its effects even worse than those suffered from coffee. Then for a long

me I drank milk alone at my meals, t it never helped me physically, and last it palled on me. A'friend came the rescue with the suggestion that I try Postum Coffee.

"I did so, only to find at first, that I didn't fancy it. But I had heard of so many persons who had been benefited by its use that I persevered, and when I had it brewed right found it grateful in flavor and soothing and strengthening to my stomach. I can find no words to express my feeling of what I owe to Postum Food Coffee!

"In every respect it has worked a wonderful improvement - the headaches, nervousness, the paius in my



Natural Flavor r and satisfying quality of LIBBY'S POTTED AND DEVILED MEATS is Libby's (Natural Food Products For Breakfast, Dinner and Supper. Boneless Chicken Corned Beef Hash Brisket, Beef Veal Loaf Vienna Sausage Soups They are ready tolserve-Your Grocer has them Libby, McNelli & Libby, Chicago hannen

Let Common Sense Decide Do you honestly believe, that coffee sold loose (in bulk), exposed to dust, germs and insects, passing through many hands (some of them not over-clean), "blended," you don't know how or by whom, is fit for your use? Of course you don't. But

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is another story. The green berries, selected by keen judges at the plantation, are skillfully roasted at our factories, where precautions you would not dream of are taken to secure perfect cleanliness, flavor.strength and uniformity.

From the time the coffee leaves the factory no hand touches it till it is opened in your kitchen.

This has made LION COFFEE the LEADER OF ALL PACKAGE COFFEES.



"Yes.

to satisfy his claim for damages?"