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To-DAY the new giant Cunarder, Campania, sails from Liverpool for New York. This latest addition to the Atlantic fleet is one of the largest of her class, and great things are expected of the new vessel. The ship is capable of carrying several thousand passengers, and is thus a floating city like the New York. The Lucania, the other new Cunarder, will leave Liverpool, May 20th.

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## BLEACHING ON THE PLAIN

Bones Only Were Found by the Party Searching for Harry I. Thornton.

Murdered by Treacherous Mexicans With Whom He Started Out to Travel.

His Pockets Rifled and His Body Left to Be Devoured by Hungry Coyotes—The Discovery.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—Crittenden Thornton, who went down into Arizona some weeks to search for his brother, Harry I. Thornton, who was last seen alive on the 17th of November last, came home Wednesday morning. He found his brother—what the coyotes had left of his dead body—lying by the side of a mountain trail, with a bullet hole through the empty skull. The pockets of the dead man had been rifled of their contents of value, and the men who found the remains picked up the last letters that the dead man had received from his father and mother. The identification was perfect.

The point where the remains of young Thornton were found on the trail leading to Hooker Hot Springs is about six miles from the San Pedro river and fifty miles from Fort Grant, from which point Crittenden Thornton on Sunday evening telegraphed the melancholy news of the finding of the body of his murdered brother to his father, Ex-Judge J. I. Thornton, of the supreme court.

For weeks and weeks the family of the dead man have been in a state of agonizing suspense concerning the fate of the young lawyer and stockman. Ever since his disappearance first became generally known the reports that Judge Thornton had received from Arizona had been of the most conflicting character. It was along between the 10th and 15th that Judge Thornton first became suspicious that something had happened to his son. He had written several letters to his boy in Arizona, and in one he had inclosed a deed to some property in Alameda which young Thornton wanted to sign and return to his father.

No answer came, though Harry Thornton was a prompt man in all his business affairs. To all the other letters written by the father and mother no answer came from their boy after Nov. 7 of last year. This was the last direct message they ever received.

Judge Thornton, after waiting some time for an answer to the letters, wrote to two business men in Wilcox, A. T., with whom his son had business relations, and from them came totally different opinions as to the fate of the young stockman. One wrote that in his opinion Harry would come out all right. It was a cheerful letter, and the writer told why he thought that Thornton would be found alive and well.

The opinion expressed by the other man was confirmed by the short express dispatch that came over the wire Sunday night, telling of the finding of young Thornton's dead body.

Then some weeks ago when no definite things could be received, parties had been out over the country where Thornton had been last seen alive, a brother of the dead man, Crittenden Thornton, went to Arizona for the purpose of making a more thorough search than had yet been made.

It was on the 17th of last November that young Thornton, with some Mexicans, left the ranch of his friend Nick Meyer to go to Hooker Hot Springs. The distance was not great, but he started on foot and unarmed. Evidently it was his intention to return to Meyer's ranch in a short time, for when he started out on his walk to the springs he left his gun, some personal effects and a saddle there. He could have gone but a few miles from the ranch of his friend before he was shot to death.

The trail is a most lonely and untraveled one, and as far as known but a single human being has passed over it since the day that young Thornton was shot down until the little party searching for the missing stockman rode over it.

That one man was a Mexican. The frontiersmen all thought that he was crazy. He had not acted so for years that no one ever paid the slightest attention to him.

One day about two months ago this Mexican rode into a settlement not many miles from where the body of Thornton was found last Friday. He was more than usually excited, and when he told of how he had seen the dead body of a man lying by the side of the trail no one thought enough of his story to go out and recover the body. The name Mexican had told before of how he had seen dead men lying along the trail, and searching parties had ridden many miles and faced many dangers only to learn that the Mexicans' stories of dead men were but the strange fancies of an unsound mind. So they paid no attention to him, though this time he had seen a dead man by the trail side.

This was over two months ago, and it was not until Crittenden Thornton began to search for his brother that the story told by the crazy Mexican was recalled by some one who had first heard it.

Then the searching party rode over the lonely trail and found all that was left of the murdered stockman. They found a skull with a bullet hole under the ear, opposite to somewhat higher on the opposite side, the dry skin and a few hairs still clinging, and the neck bones and nothing else.

Coyotes, in the months intervening between the day he was shot to death and the finding of the remains, had carried the body away, leaving only the empty skull and evidences that a robbery and murder had been committed.

When Thornton started from the Meyer ranch he had about \$500 in his pockets. This the Mexicans with him knew, and the theory now is that when four or five miles from the ranch one of the Mexicans, who was walking behind Thornton, placed a six-shooter behind his right ear and fired a bullet through the young stockman's brain. The pockets of the dead man were then rifled, the body left by the side of the trail for the coyotes and the murderers made good their escape. Nothing has been seen of the Mexicans since.

## A MURDEROUS COUNTERFEITER.

Makes Confession of Both Crimes, Having Been Captured.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 7.—A young man named Martin has been arrested in Siskiyou county for the murder of Louis Toddhunter, a young man who was killed March 28, while attempting to arrest two counterfeiters. Martin, who is only 18 years old, made a complete confession. He belonged to a gang of counterfeiters who had headquarters on a small island in the Sacramento river. He and one of the gang, John Moore, were going down the river in a boat with a lot of counterfeit money, when young Toddhunter and his father tried to arrest them. Moore shot and killed young Toddhunter, and the counterfeiters escaped them. A man named Ackers is also under

arrest at Willows on suspicion of being one of the gang. Moore is in prison California and will be arrested there.

## THE MURKYS.

Officers Thought They Had Them Cooped, but Were Mistaken.

BARREN CITY, Ore., April 7.—Officers who have been watching the house of William McCarty, at Helina, under the impression that William and Tom McCarty, supposed bank robbers who eluded them a few days ago, were secreted therein, searched the house to-day and to their chagrin found no trace of the McCarty. It is believed now that the McCarty never returned to the house, but ascended themselves in the mountains in the vicinity, where they are now awaiting a favorable opportunity to get out of the country. The reported capture of Kid McCarty at Boise Idaho, proves untrue. R. E. K. McCarty, who is now under arrest for assisting Tom and William McCarty to escape, killed a man with a corse-saw in a variety theater in this city two years ago.

## A Disembodied Body Found.

CHICAGO, April 7.—This afternoon the disembodied body of a woman was found in the sand on the shore of Lake Michigan at Hollingwood avenue. Both legs were severed and the head and arms torn away. The body was nude and there is not the slightest clue to the woman's identity. The body evidently had been several months in the sand.

## BILLOWS OF FLAME.

Sweep Over Several Counties in Nebraska—The Fire Record.

OMAHA, Neb., April 7.—The gale which swept over Nebraska to-day bore before it great billows of flames which swept from thousands of fertile acres every vestige of vegetation. It is too soon to get at an idea how much exact damage is, for the places most affected have not yet been telegraphed lines, and in those that have means of communication the populace is busy fighting fire. It is known, though, that much grain and hay, together with many bridges, were locked up, what may have been lost is not reported. Banner, Keith, Dawson, Blaine and adjoining counties were completely devastated by the flames.

Word was brought to Harrisburg to-night by the driver of a stage that the town of Ashmore was directly in the path of the fire and the entire population of the village was engaged in a battle to save their homes. The stage driver reported having seen several dwellings in flames and settlers fleeing for their lives.

Menger details received here to-night from Ogallala, Harrisburg, Dunning, Iverton, Kearney, Grand Island, Lexington and Hastings give accounts of great losses to property. The Brinton place at Dunning and another at Hastings were destroyed. At Kearney the fire destroyed a brewery located at the edge of town. At Dunning an old lady named Bartlett was burned so badly she may die. The gas subside by nightfall, but the fires had scarcely abated, and in threatened sections the inhabitants spent long hours in combating fires.

LOANOK, Ohio, April 7.—The Yellow Poplar Lumber company's plant burned this afternoon. A trestle of the Norfolk & Western railroad was also destroyed and the passage of all trains stopped. Thirty dwellings were burned, catching from apart from the burning mill. Two families lost their household goods. Mrs. Brush, an invalid, who was confined to her bed, was burned to death, although efforts were made to save her. The Norfolk & Western road lost seventeen cars. The loss at the mill places the loss on property at \$400,000. Two hundred and fifty persons are thrown out of employment.

OWENSBORO, Ky., April 7.—Fire this afternoon destroyed the large warehouse of the Glencore Distilling company here. The building contained 18,987 barrels of whisky, of which there were but 400 barrels on which the tax was not yet paid. The loss is estimated at \$350,000. This does not include the loss of three cottages which were also destroyed. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

STOCK FALLS, S. D., April 7.—The city this afternoon narrowly escaped the most disastrous fire. While a gale was blowing the prairie caught fire and the blaze swept rapidly toward the outskirts of the town, burning several small buildings and a considerable amount of grain. The fire was subdued after burning one house in the city and scorching others.

YANKTON, S. D., April 7.—Sparks from a locomotive set fire to the grass a few miles north of Yankton yesterday. The fire wiped out Dill's and McGregor's farms, destroying property worth \$100,000. Other losses sustained aggregate \$25,000.

POMEROY, O., April 7.—Clifton, a village just below here on the West Virginia side, was almost completely wiped out by fire from the burning of a saw mill. The loss is estimated at \$30,000.

HOT SPRINGS, S. D., April 7.—Prairie fire to-day burned over an expanse of country miles in width. The damage will prove the greatest ever done by fire in this part of the Black Hills.

SPOKANE, April 7.—The business portion of the town of Pataha was entirely wiped out by fire this morning. Loss \$10,000, insurance one-half.

HORTON, April 7.—The wholesale grocery house of W. B. Clifton & Co. here tonight, lost \$185,000, insurance \$140,000.

## STOPPED IN THE 110TH.

Bowen and Burke Fought That Long Before Quitting.

NEW ORLEANS, April 7.—The Bowen-Burke fight was stopped in the 110th round by the referee, who decided it no fight. The purse will be divided. Bowen wanted to finish. Bowen in both of Burke's hands were broken. Very little fighting was done after the ninety-third round. Bowen from that time until the finish was the aggressor whenever there was any fighting to be done and landed now and then on Burke's body, but was unable to do any damage. Burke's hands were broken to keep him guessing, not with any idea of being able to knock him out. In the 108th round Bowen fell heavily from the momentum of his own weight, but did not hurt himself. In response to the vehement demands of the crowd, the referee in the 108th round announced that unless something was done in the next few rounds he would stop the contest and declare it no fight.

This only made both men cautious and Bowen did not force the fighting, and at the 110th round the referee declared the fight no contest. Bowen protested without avail. He was unmarked and fresh. Burke was badly punished about the body and some of the bones of both hands seemed broken and his wrists were much swollen, and he suffered considerable pain. He wants to fight Bowen again, but President Dickson says the club will not make a new match. The president says the men fought hard and are entitled to the money. Bowen people are sore at the decision.

## Insurance Company Goes Under.

CLEVELAND, O., April 6.—A receiver has been appointed for the Washington Insurance company, of this city, one of the oldest in the state, having been in business since 1851. It is said the assets and liabilities are small.

## TO ENTERTAIN GRANDEES.

The State Department Must Take Care of the Invited Visitors From Spain.

Willing to Do So, but a Little Concerned About the Expense.

Two Important Montana Positions Filled by President Cleveland—An "Ex" Gets a Place.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—State department officials are somewhat worried over the question of paying the expenses for entertaining the Spanish grandees and other foreigners who will visit the World's fair. The joint resolution of congress inviting Spanish royalty to participate in the opening ceremonies of the exposition carried no appropriation for the purpose named. It simply states that "under his direction the secretary of state shall make suitable arrangements for their reception and entertainment" and Secretary Gresham is endeavoring to determine where he can secure the money necessary to carry out the instructions of congress. It is almost certain that the necessary amount will be taken from the contingent fund of the state department, leaving to congress the appropriation of an amount sufficient to cover any deficiency that may occur.

Arrangements for the reception and entertainment of the distinguished guests have not been completed, but will be in a very short time. Two officers of the navy have been detailed to take charge of the distinguished Spanish guests and escort them to all the places they will visit. The Infanta Eulalia's party will be in charge of Commander Davis. It will consist of the infanta and her husband, Prince Antoine; the duke of Tamames, grand chamberlain, and two ladies in waiting, marquesa de Assouhermos and marquesa de Camillas. With the duke of Veragua, who will be under the direction of Commander E. W. Dickens, will be the marquis of Barbaia, his brother; the duchess of Veragua, the duke's son and a secretary. The duke's party left Madrid yesterday and they are due in New York April 15. The infanta and her suite are due in America on April 20. They will come from Havana on a Spanish mail-of-war. It is probable that neither party will attend the naval review at Hampton Roads, but will be in New York to witness the naval review.

## A SURPRISE.

The Montana Appointments Made Friday Were of That Nature.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—The appointments for Montana to-day were a surprise to politicians from that state now in this city. Mr. Lyman, who was nominated for collector of internal revenue for Montana, Utah and Idaho, was not an applicant for the office. The president chose him, however, to settle a long and sharp contest between fourteen different candidates from these three states by going outside of the list and naming Lyman, with whom he was acquainted. In that sense, it was a personal appointment of Mr. Cleveland's, as appointments in some other cases have been. Mr. Lyman has been in New York for several days, and it is not known whether or not he will accept the office.

The appointment of David G. Browne, for collector of customs at Fort Benton, was one which the Clark and Daly factions united in urging. Maginnis, Gibson and other democrats also recommended Browne, while Ex-Gov. Hauser strongly pressed the appointment of Patrick Gallagher. It is not probable that other Montana offices will be filled immediately.

## VACANT CHAIRS.

Growing More Numerous Daily in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—Each day's recurring session of the senate shows a diminishing attendance of senators. At the opening to-day vacant chairs were more numerous than occupied ones. A call of the senate, however, had the result of gathering into the senate forty-seven senators, four more than a quorum. The resolution for a trip of the committee on commerce to the Pacific coast for the purpose of deciding on the relative advantages of San Pedro and Santa Monica for a deep water harbor was taken up and agreed to.

Voices were introduced a resolution, which was referred to the interstate commerce committee, relating to the proposed constitutional amendment for a popular vote for senators. At the conclusion of his speech the senate went into executive session and soon adjourned.

## PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS.

Two Montana Positions Filled—An "Ex" Recognized in Utah.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—The president sent the following nominations to the senate: Caleb B. West, of Utah, to be governor of Utah; D. Murphy, of Washington, D. C., first deputy commissioner of pensions; A. W. Lyman, of Montana, collector of internal revenue for the district of Montana, Utah and Idaho; David G. Browne, of Montana, collector of customs for the district of Montana and Idaho.

The nomination of Caleb B. West is a case of the recognition of an "ex" for West was the former governor of the territory under Cleveland. He made a good official and since retirement from that office has spent the greater part of the time in Washington, where he has been an ardent worker about the congress, seeking to have a bill passed admitting the territory to statehood. He has been recognized as one of the leading democrats of the territory.

No Objection to Judd. WASHINGTON, April 7.—The president signed the commission of Max Judd, of St. Louis, as United States consul general at Vienna. It was said at the state department that no communications, verbal or written, were received by the secretary to indicate that the Austrian government has any objection to the new consul general. Judd will therefore go to Vienna and enter on the discharge of the duties of consul general, except in the unlooked-for refusal of the Austrian government to receive him.

## The Law Ambiguous.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—Secretary Carlisle to-day received from Edwin Walker, chairman of the committee on legislation for the

World's Columbian exposition, a letter raising certain questions in regard to the sundry civil act in which is included appropriations for the World's fair, asking especially for a construction of the congressional action authorizing the counting of the million souvenir half dollars for the benefit of the fair, and afterwards passing an act declaring that the exposition must furnish security for the payment of \$570,000 appropriated for awards, etc. The directors of the exposition are in doubt as to how to construe these acts. Secretary Carlisle referred the question to the attorney-general for decision.

## JAMES D. PORTER, LL.D.

Will Succeed Egan as United States Minister to Chili.

James D. Porter, who has been named by President Cleveland to succeed Patrick Egan as minister to Chili, has for more



JAMES D. PORTER

than twenty years been a conspicuous figure in the public life of Tennessee. He is a Tennessean by birth, having been born at Paris, Tenn., Dec. 7, 1829, was graduated at the university of Nashville, in 1849, was admitted to the bar in 1851, and in 1855 was elected to the state legislature. He served through the civil war on the staff of Gen. Cheatham, of the confederate army, in 1870 was elected circuit judge for the Twelfth judicial district of Tennessee, and from 1874 to 1879, was governor of his native state. He is president of the board of trustees of the university of Nashville, was assistant secretary of state from 1885 to 1887, and has held many other positions of trust and honor.

## WORKMEN DISCHARGED.

The Action Causes Considerable Comment in Labor Circles.

Special to the Independent.

GREAT FALLS, April 7.—Thirty-two men have been discharged without any obvious cause from the Great Northern shops on the west side. The only reason the master mechanic gave them for their summary dismissal was that he had received orders to do so from St. Paul. The men discharged were union men, while non-union men have been retained. There is said to be plenty of work in the shops and this sudden dismissal of union workmen has created no end of comment in labor circles. Some of the discharged men claim that ever since the strike of the boilermakers in the shops here a year ago, union men have been gradually eliminated from that department, and they look upon this last wholesale discharge as the beginning of an active crusade against organized labor in these shops.

## House Burglars Arrested.

Special to the Independent.

DILLON, April 7.—The house of Mrs. Earle, a lady living near Glen station, north of Dillon, was plundered last night. Under Sheriff Price went on this morning and brought three tough looking fellows in to-night, having arrested them at Glen, Mrs. Earle identifying them. They gave their names as John Anderson, Thomas Dillon and Charles Henry.

## Two More Arrests.

Special to the Independent.

GREAT FALLS, April 7.—Sheriff Hamilton has arrested two more of the alleged Kirby cattle thieves. He brought them in last night. Their names are Floyd Tinsley and Arthur Nebel. They were arraigned before Judge Rice and plead not guilty, and were bound over to the district court in the sum of \$500.

## Change of Candidates.

Special to the Independent.

GREAT FALLS, April 7.—John W. Stanton, candidate for city attorney on the democratic ticket, has withdrawn, and M. M. Lyter, nominee of the people's party, has been put in his place by the central committee.

## Mrs. Barnaby's Will.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 7.—The contest over the will of Mrs. Barnaby, for whose alleged murder Dr. Graves is awaiting his second trial at Denver, has been settled. It is believed Graves will not be retried.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The iron firm of Carrere & Hase, Brooklyn, has failed with nominal assets of \$140,000 and liabilities at \$300,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—Right Rev. Wm. Ingram Rip, bishop of California, died here shortly after midnight after a lingering illness, aged 80.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 7.—Gov. Croome today appointed twenty-five delegates to attend the transmission congress at Ogden, Utah, April 24.

NEW YORK, April 7.—Col. William Childer proposed to make another trip to the Arctic regions, this time for the purpose of locating the magnetic pole.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., April 7.—Jesus Fuen, the Spaniard who yesterday entangled his mistress and old man Goldkoben, was hanged by a mob.

GUADALAJARA, Mex., April 7.—Several light earthquakes have been felt here during the past few days, the cause of which is now apparent. Colima volcano is again in a state of eruption.

LONDON, April 7.—Debate on the second reading of the Irish home rule bill was resumed to-day in the house of commons, and proceeded tamely until adjournment. No notable speech was made and the house was half deserted.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 7.—The special legislative committee on the charges preferred against Land Commissioner McGeachy reported to-day, recommending his impeachment on several counts for violation of the constitution and statutes.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—Grand Chief Arthur, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, was served with another order by Judge Taft, of the United States court to-day, forbidding him from issuing any boycott order against the Ann Arbor road.

## THE NEW WEATHER MAN.

He Has Evidently Lost His Grip on the Elements of Late.

Morton Should Have Waited Until Longer After the Equinox Before Changing.

Blizzard at Miles City, Simoon at Chicago, Howling Winds and Snow Storms at Other Points.

Special to the Independent.

MILES CITY, April 7.—A heavy gale began to blow last night about 11 o'clock. A rain soon followed which changed to snow. The storm lasted all day, the velocity of the wind reaching forty-seven miles. It is one of the worst blizzards that has ever visited this section for years. Sheepmen had in many instances left their winter camps with their bands. These sheep will surely perish. Old cows will suffer and die and any early calves that have come will die. It is feared that the M. H. Murphy band of 3,000 steers that was being taken to the standing hook agency, have been turned loose, as it would be impossible to hold them in such a driving storm. Fortunately at six p.m. the storm ceased, and the wind died down, and the thermometer stands at twenty-four above.

## NINE ITALIANS KILLED.

Had Taken Refuge From a Storm and Were Crushed.

JOLIET, Ill., April 7.—An accident occurred on the drainage channel at Romeo about six o'clock this evening, by which nine men were killed and six severely wounded. A severe wind and hail storm about that time caused the men to take refuge in the engine house at one end of a huge cantilever. The machine was at the southeast end of the track and the engine house at the north end. The cantilever was carelessly left unfastened, and as the wind increased to a gale it started down the track toward the engine house in which the men had taken refuge. When the machine reached the end of the track the top part toppled over on the engine house. As a result nine men were killed and six severely injured. They were all Italians except the foreman, who was Samuel Koros of this city. The cantilever was so badly wrecked that it is a total loss, as is another which was blown over a mile north, but no damage was done in the latter case.

## HOT AND WINDY.

Chicago Practicing on Weather So as to Suit All Visitors.

CHICAGO, April 7.—This was the warmest day Chicago has experienced during the month of April in twenty years. The mercury stood at eighty-two degrees and a hot wind blew from the south at the rate of thirty miles an hour. The heated spell was broken this evening by a hail storm which passed over the southern portion of the city, breaking several thousand dollars worth of window glass. This morning the wind veiled the Indiana hotel, a new frame structure near the World's fair grounds. As the building came down it flattened a one-story building adjoining. Another building holding a panorama, which was not sufficiently braced, was also turned into a pile of kindling wood.

The river, not to be outdone by the atmosphere, showed up about three o'clock this morning with a tidal wave four feet high, which tore several vessels from their moorings and damaged them considerably. All trains are said to have been sudden squalls on the lake.

## Blowing Hard for Two Days.

DEADWOOD, S. D., April 7.—A terrible wind and snow storm has been prevailing here for the past forty-eight hours. Telegraph and telephone wires are prostrated, many buildings were blown down and others unroofed. Piedmont was partially destroyed. All trains are said to have been blown down and everywhere more or less damage done. No lives were lost.

## Widespread and Severe.

SALT LAKE, April 7.—Accounts of wind storm just over show it to be one of the most widespread and severe in this region. Trees were blown down in great numbers and fences, signs, etc., strewn to the wind. At Evans a railroad trestle was blown down and everywhere more or less damage done. No lives were lost.

## Deep Snow East.

NEW YORK, April 7.—Snow began falling here at 8:40 this morning and continued two hours. Advances from the Catskills state that eight inches of snow had fallen, while at Troy and Syracuse snow fell to a depth of three inches. Boston had four inches of snow yesterday.

## Storm in Michigan.

CHICAGO, April 7.—Dispatches from several points in western Michigan report a severe wind storm accompanied by heavy rain today. Much damage was done to farm property and some buildings in villages were wrecked. As far as reported no lives were lost.

## BANK CLEARINGS.

Business Done During the Past Week in the Money Centers.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet's, shows the bank clearings for the week ending April 6, with percentage of increase or decrease compared with the corresponding week of last year:

City	1892	1893	Per Cent
New York	\$ 669,751,000	Dec. 12.4	
Chicago	108,722,000	Inc. 14.5	
San Francisco	117,259,000	Inc. 14.5	
Philadelphia	66,408,000	Inc. 19.4	
St. Louis	21,749,000	Inc. 12.5	
San Francisco	11,304,000	Dec. 7.4	
Baltimore	12,971,000	Dec. 18.7	
Pittsburgh	15,406,000	Inc. 5.8	
San Francisco	15,109,000	Inc. 1.0	
San Francisco	11,258,000	Dec. 27.4	
Minneapolis	7,189,000	Inc. 7.2	
Duluth	6,506,000	Inc. 33.0	
Davenport	4,877,000	Inc. 5.3	
St. Paul	4,431,000	Dec. 4.1	
Portland, Ore.	2,225,000	No comp.	
St. Louis	1,610,000	Dec. 3.4	
Seattle	1,335,000	Inc. 26.1	
Tacoma	1,175,000	Inc. 61.9	
Los Angeles	953,000	Inc. 9.6	
San Francisco	812,000	Dec. 34.3	
Spokane	1,006,000	No comp.	
Holms	851,000	"	
Great Falls	300,000	"	

Total for the leading cities of the United States, April 7, was \$1,198,742,000, a decrease of 37 per cent compared with the same week last year.

## The Heika All Right.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The disabled and long-overdue steamer Heika, from Scandinavian ports, was heard from again yesterday. The steamer Veendam, which arrived last evening, sighted the Heika about 625 miles east of this city, coming slowly