

WASHINGTON, D. C., FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1909-TWENTY PAGES.

TWO CENTS.

Weather.

Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday: minimum tonight, 15 to 20 degrees above zero.

DISRESPECTFUL TO HOUSE; MESSAGE IS TO BE TABLED

Refusal to Receive Objectionable Passages, Is Committee Proposal.

MISCONSTRUCTION OF MOTIVE NOT POSSIBLE

Deliberate Slap Aimed at Members of Congress.

RESENTMENT IN SPEECHES

Tawney, Sherley, Smith and Fitzgerald Ready With Defense.

TO TALK BACK AT ROOSEVELT

Driscoll Proposes That Time Be Taken to Cool Down and Is Told by Mann He Alone Is Excited-Speakers Applauded.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Understanding this language to be a reflection on the integrity of its membership, and aware of its own constitutional duty as to its membership, the House in respectful terms called on the President for any information that would justify the language of the message or assist it in its constitutional duty to purge itself of corruption.

The President, in his message of January 4, denies that the paragraph of the annual message easts reflections on the integrity of the House; attributes to the House "an entire failure to understand my mesage;" declares that he has made no charge of corruption against any member of the House, and, by implication, states that he has no proof of corruption on the part of any member of this House.

Whether the House, in its resolution of December 17, 1908, correctly interpreted the meaning of the words used by the President in his annual message, or whether it misunderstood that language as the President implies, will be judged now and in the future according to the accepted interpre-tations of the English language. This House, charged only with its responsibility to the people of the United States and its obligation to transmit unimpaired to the future the representative institu-tions inherited from the past, and to preserve its own dignity, must insist on its own capacity to understand the import of the President's language. We consider the language of the President in his mesage of December 8., 1908, unjustified and without basis of fact and that it consti-

the House; therefore, be it Resolved. That the House in the exercise of its constitutional prerogatives declines to consider any communication from any source which is not in its own judgment respectful; and, be it further Resolved, That the special committee and the committee of the whole House on the state of the Union be dischaged fom any consideration of so much of the President's annual message as relates to the secret service and is above set forth, and that the said portion of the message be laid on

tutes a breach of the privileges of

Resolved, That the message of the President sent to the House on January 4, 1909, being unresponsive to the inquiry of the House and constituting an invasion of the privileges of this House by questioning the motives and intelligence of members in the exercise of their constitutional rights and functions, be laid on the table.

the table; and, be it further

Having given consideration to President's further views regarding the secret service, contained in his message to the House of Representatives last Monday, the special committee appointed to deal with the subject today brought in its

Accompanying it was a resolution declaring it to be the sense of the House that it shall decline to consider any communication from any source which is not respectful.

Recommending that the objectionable portion of the President's annual message be laid on the table.

That similar action be taken with respect to the message of last Monday, because of its being funresponsive to the inquiry of the House" as to what the

President meant when he said, referring to the limitation placed upon the field of operations of the secret service, that the "chief argument in favor of the provision was that the congressmen did not themselves wish to be investigated.

When Chairman Perkins of New York of the special committee arose to make his report he faced an almost full membership, while the galleries were packed with interested spectators.

Both the executive and diplomatic galleries, usually deserted, were filled, their occupants, some of whom were compelled to sit in the aisles, displaying the keennot observed that any member of the President's immediate family was pres-

The corridors were densely crowded the doorways were jammed, and long lines of people waited an opportunity to

get even a view into the chamber. Messrs. Tawney, Smith of Iowa, Sher-

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SENATE NOT SATISFIED

Authority for Action by the President Questioned.

COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER

Motion to Table Culberson's Resolution Defeated.

ONLY FOURTEEN VOTE FOR IT

Right of the Chief Executive to Permit Absorption of Tennessee Coal and Iron Company Disputed.

judiciary be, and it is hereby, directed to report to the Senate as early as may be practicable whether, in the opinion of the committee, the President was authorized to permit the absorption of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company by the United States Steel Corporation. as is shown by the message of the President in response to Senate reso-

An exceedingly important step in the war between Congress and the President was taken this afternoon when the Senate, by the first "yea and nay" vote of this session, refused to lay on the table the Culberson resolution, given above and introduced yesterday, directing the judiciary committee to report whether in its opinion the President was authorized to permit the absorption of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company by the United States Steel Corporation.

made by Senator Hopkins of Illinois. It was defeated by a vote of 14 to 47. All of the senators voting to lay the resolution on the table were republicans, and of the forty-seven votes against that motion twenty-one were cast by democrats and twenty-six by republicans. As soon as this test vote was announced, Mr. Nine Vessels, However, Detained at Culberson moved the adoption of his reso-

adopted, no division being called for.

lution and by a viva voce vote it was

Hopkins Moves to Table. The resolution, which came over from yesterday, at which time Senator Hopby unanimous consent. was reached on left for Tripoli. the calendar a few minutes before 1 the resolution.

"One moment," said Mr. Hopkins. fail to see the pertinancy of the adoption f this resolution by the Senate. The letter accompanying the message covers the point fully. Besides, the resolution the capital to rejoin their ships. is at variance with the message. The President does not say that he approved and the streets are filled with men in of the absorption. I therefore move to uniform. lay the resolution on the table. "On that question I demand the yeas

and nays," said Mr. Culberson. When the Vice President asked for a show of hands among those who signi- Bitter Warfare in Chinese Quarter fied their desire for a roll call were Senators Aldrich, Hale, Burrows and many other republicans, not to mention all the democrats in the chamber.

Senate Refuses to Table.

ardson and Warner.

.The following senators voted against Foraker Frazier, Frye, Fulton Gamble, factions be discussed. Gary, Gore, Hale, Johnston, Kittridge, Lodge, Long, McCreary, McEnery, Mc-Laurin. Money, Nelson, Newlands, Over- represented in the Chinese quarter fail to Stephenson, Sutherland, Taliaferro, Tay- of such society would be given to the Chilor, Teller, Warren and Wetmore.

tion. It went through without a roll call, as already stated. ing, is chairman, will report in accord-

DISTRICT COMMITTEE MEETS.

Resolution Adopted Permitting Inaugural Ball in Pension Building. The Senate District of Columbia committee held its first meeting of this ses-

kota, who is not in the city. The only action of the committee was completely submerged in the bay, the Lilley has resigned to himself. to order a favorable report on the Gal- mail car and the baggage car were linger joint resolution authorizing the smashed to bits and the smoker was degranting of permits to the inaugural committee, in which is included permission to use the pension office for the ball. The were injured. The fireman's body sank

four years ago for public protection, etc., is proposed in the resolution. After the committee meeting Senator piling and clung there until rescued by a Scott of West Virginia made the favorable report to the Senate. The resolution would have been passed at once after Mr. Scott had explained that it was practically identical with measures for the same purpose enacted since 1885 had it wreck to have been deliberately planned. If one was caused, for the sixty days innot been for an objection on the part of

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, who said he wanted time to look it over. Mr. Scott said he had no objection to letting the resolution go to the calendar. The resolution is the same as that which was reported favorably by the House District committee, and is now awaiting passage by the House. Chairman Stellwagen of the inaugural Lieut. Foertsch, the German aeronaut

mittee, including Maj. Sylvester, chief of police, appeared before the Senate Disthe inaugural resolution.

Soldier Kills Policeman.

SAN FRANCISCO. January 8 .- Sergt. J. F. Nolting, one of the oldest and most popular officers of the local police depart. Hergesell. The balloon was picked up veyed and purchased at auction for 26 ment, was shot and killed today by a sol- October 17 140 miles northwest of Helogo- cents an acre the 830 acres of land around ley and Fitzgerald were on the floor, pre- dier of the United States Army whom land, but there was no sign of the occu- the bay on which San Diego now stands. he was placing under arrest at the corner pant. All the other aeronauts were ac- Mr. Horton was the second oldest Elk in of Montgomery and Sacramento streets. | counted for.



The motion to lay on the table was made by Senator Hopkins of Illinois. It was defeated by a vote of 14 to 47. BATTLE FLEET IS SCATTERING TO FILL BOTH PLACES REVEALS CALIFORNIA FORGERY

SHIPS SAILING 'FOR VARIOUS MEDITERRANEAN PORTS.

Port Said by Poor Coaling Facilities.

PORT SAID, January 8 .- The battleship Missouri left here this morning for Decided That Special Election Was kins refused to allow it to be considered Athens. Later in the day the Kentucky Nine vessels of the American fleet un-

for coaling such a number of vessels at "I once and the scarcity of lighters. ed with officers and men returning from

Port Said presents a gay appearance

SIGN PEACE PACT.

of San Francisco Ends.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 8.-Twelve Chinese tongs, including the On Yicks and the Suey Dons, which have been en-The following senators voted in the af- gaged in bitter warfare for some weeks firmative: Burkett, Carter, Cummins, past, have affixed their seals and signa-Curtis, Depew, Dixon. Du Pont, Hopkins, tures to a peace pact which binds them Kean, McCumber, Penrose, Platt, Rich- to keep the peace in the Chinese quarter or suffer dire consequences.

The direct action of the truce is to call rich Bankhead, Borah, Bulkeley, Burn- to be represented, when all grievances body. ham. Burrows, Clapp, Clark of Wyom- will be presented and peaceful methods of ing. Clay. Culberson, Dick, Dillingham, settling all disputes between the warring

The agreement further declares that should any tong or company of all those nese authorities, both here and at Wash-As soon as the result was announced ington, with a request that action be on this motion the chair put the question taken to compel peace in the quarter. on the passage of the Culberson resolu-Although no hint of what this action wars among the Chinese.

ENGINE PLUNGES INTO BAY.

Work of Train Wreckers. BELLINGHAM, Wash., January 8 .-Wrecked by unknown persons, who threw gubernatorial - seat at in New Hampshire, Senator Dillingham of the lantern so the engineer could not see rum of that body. railed. The fireman was killed and two sum of \$3.000 more than was appropriated with the engine and has not been recovered. The engineer went under, but came to the surface, struck out for a The passengers, of whom there were seventy-five, were badly shaken up, but

> MISSING AERONAUT FOUND. Lieut. Foertsch Lost His Life at Sea pects to go to Washington within a few Last October.

No arrests have been made

HAMBURG. January 8 .- The body of and several other members of the com-, picked up in the North sea two days ago by the fishing steamer Orion. The corpse trict of Columbia committee in favor of was identified by papers in the pockets of ticipant in the international balloon con- habitant of San Diego, is dead, aged other hand, believe that the pair met with test that was started from Berlin Octo- eighty-five years, as a result of infirmi-

Gov. Lilley Will Not Resign From Congress.

COMING IN A FEW DAYS

Unnecessary.

of Representatives When Such a Situation Has Arisen.

One of the most prominent figures in the first session of the present Congress because of his demand for an investigation of submarine legislation, George L. Lilley. now Governor of Connecticut, promises to be a center of interest in the

present session. It arises over his failure to resign as representative-at-large from the state of Speaker of the House of Representatives signature, the total amount being \$860,000. to receive notice of that resignation. Mr. Lilley was inaugurated Governor of Connecticut Wednesday, and the House reclaying the resolution on the table: Ald- a general meeting at which every tong is ords still show him a member of that

Never a Similar Case.

In the entire history of the House there has not been a similar case. Years ago, when a member of the House presented man, Page, Paynter, Perkins, Piles, Ray- send a delegate to the peace conference himself to fill a vacancy, the House sent a ner, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Maryland. the names and descriptions of all members committee to his state. Ohio, to ascertain what had become of his reported predecessor; no notice of whose resignation had been received. The retiring representative had been elected secretary of would be is given in the pact, the recent state in his own state, and although his s already stated.

It is understood that the judiciary through the consul general here that relacommittee, of which Mr. Clark of Wyom- tives in China would be made to suffer forwarded to the Speaker. It is underfor misdeeds of local tong men conjures stood that the House will hesitate to seat notice of his resignation is on record in the House.

There is understood to be no provision of law to prevent his serving in the House while governor of his state and spector Christian. Fireman Killed and Two Injured. drawing salary for both positions. But it is pointed out that his retention of country of undelivered letters caused an membership in the House makes him liable at any time to be pulled out of the Hartford and brought to Washington to make a quo-

Vermont presided. There was a full at- the peril, Great Northern train No. 272. As the resignation of Representative tendance with the exception of Mr. Gal- northbound, left the track just south at all, to himself as Gov. Lilley, many linger and Mr. Hansbrough of North Da- of Bellingham yards at Commercial believe that the first news of what prom-Point last night. The engine was almost ises to be a quiet resignation will be the formal notice to the Speaker that Mr.

No Idea of Resigning.

to his inauguration as governor Representative Lilley, in an interview, stated: "I offered my resignation to Gov. Woodruff about the middle of December, but he declined to accept it. A conference was later held between Gov. Woodruff and Attorney General Holcomb and none was injured. The local police and it was decided that there was no need of railroad detectives unite in declaring the holding a special election to fill a vacancy, tervening between the inauguration and the term of my successor. I therefore Mystery Surrounds Deaths of St. am still a representative, and do not intend to resign. It is understood that Gov. Lilley ex-

FOUNDER OF SAN LIEGO DIES.

Oldest "Elk" in America. ties incident to old age. In 1867 "Father" He went aloft in the German balloon Horton, as he was generally called, sur-

OAKLAND BROKER HELD FOR A MILLION-DOLLAR FRAUD.

James H. Murray's Name to Fraudulent Papers.

OAKLAND, Cal., January 8 .- Details of o'clock. The Vice President announced that the question was upon the passage of Said, being delayed by the poor facilities TALKED WITH STATE OFFICERS Murray is a millionaire and banker, whose former home was at Lockport, N. Y. present residence is Monterey, Cal. Hel Every train coming from Cairo is crowd- First Time in History of the House two weeks ago to begin an investigation of on a Kansas City bank in Henshaw's fa-

vor and purporting to be signed by Murray, the notes totaling \$400,000. Murray at once pronounced these notes forgeries. He began an investigation. which, it is alleged, disclosed that Signor had given the notes to Henshaw in con- promoted to be superintendent of city nection with the financing of a deal in- delivery. volving a cement plant in southern Cali-

Henshaw turned the notes over to Murray, who also discovered a number of other papers bearing forgeries of his

Signor Confesses. Murray presented the matter to District Attorney Donahue and a warrant for the the position of special clerk. arrest of Signor was issued.

Signor surrendered and made a full con-

Besides the four \$100,000 notes mentioned, the forgeries include the following: Sight drafts for \$400,000, \$5.000 and \$10, Mr. Henshaw declared that Signor h

DENVER P. O. CLERK HELD.

Charged With Rifling Scores of Letters in Past Year.

not profited a dollar by the forgeries.

DENVER. January 8 .- Harold Snow partment of the Denver post office, is in ance with the resolution early next week: up visions of widespread result of future another man to succeed Mr. Lilley unless jail, charged with having rifled scores of leged to have confessed to Post Office In-Complaints from all sections of the

> PARIS GREEN IN THE CANDY. As the resignation of Representative Police Trying to Find Miscreant of Campbell. He left some days ago and delayed.

investigation.

Who Tried to Poison Women. DENVER, January 8 .- Paris green sufficandy sent through the mails to Mrs. Marie Smith and Mrs. Amelia Witwer, according to State Chemist Edward C. HARTFORD, Conn., January 8.-Prior Hill, who analyzed the contents of the differs from the man at the hospital. boxes received by the two women last Saturday

> Ocie and Violet Smith, children of Mrs. Smith, ate some of the candy and were made seriously ill. The police are trying description were found in his pockets. to locate a former suitor of Mrs. Smith he may have been attacked by an enemy in connection with their investigation.

COUPLE FOUND DEAD IN BED. Louis Salesman and Wife.

KANSAS CITY, January 8 .- Mystery surrounds the deaths of W. G. Brault, a St. Louis salesman, and his wife, who were found dead in bed in their room here Church, and was at one time chancellor late yesterday. There was a distinct odor of several seminaries in the western evidence that the drug had been used. The coroner asserts that Mrs. Brault SAN DIEGO, Cal., January 7 .- Alonzo killed her husband and then committed the clothing. Lieut. Foertsch was a par- Erastus Horton, founder and oldest in- suicide. Friends of the couple, on the

> Wilson Divorce Case Dismissed. suit brought by Dr. Pierce B. Wilson, jr., respondent, has been dismissed by Judge brokerage firm of McCraig Brothers & rison, the Peking correspondent of the Gorter in the Baltimore circuit court.

PROMOTED BY BARNES AMBASSADOR TONG Post Office Officials Rewarded

for Good Service. Special Envoy's Mission Here

Norman A. Merritt Appointed As- SENT BY YUAN SHI KAI

sistant Postmaster.

ALL MEN OF EFFICIENCY

DAVIS WILL GO TO STATION B

Robinson Made Cashier, Beall Goes to Station G and Change for McCurdy.

A radical reorganization of his official force is announced by Postmaster B. F Barnes of the city post office today. It embraces the transfer of present Assistant Postmaster Madison Davis to the position of superintendent of Station B. at 4th and East Capitol streets; the promotion to the position of assistant postmaster of Norman Allen Merritt, at present the cashier, and of Louis J. Robinson, now superintendent of Station G, on G west, to be cashier, vice Merritt. Howard Beall, assistant superintendent of the money order division, has been transferred to the position of superintendent of Station G, and Charles P. McCurdy has tendent of the money order division. James F. Harvey, the present superintendent of Station B, on East Capitol request been retired to a special clerk-

Advanced for Good Service.

The announcement states "the officers advanced are all men of superior efficiency, who have rendered excellent servce in the positions they now occupy, and the changes have been made solely with a view to strengthening the force of offieers in the interest of good service."

Madison Davis, who has been supplanted as assistant postmaster, served apointed thereto by former Postmaster that he expects to sail for Europe in a John A. Merritt when he was first made city postmaster. Prior to that time he F. B. Signor Arrested for Forging was chief clerk to the third assistant postmaster general, in which position he

served for a great many years. The Promoted Officials. Allen Norman Merritt, the new assistant postmaster, is a son of former Postthe forgery of James H. Murray's name to master, Merritt. He is a young man of notes and documents aggregating nearly marked ability and energy, and since ern educational institutions to receive an \$1,000,000, which led last night to the ar- the appointment of his father as third rest of F. B. Signor, promoter and mining assistant postmaster general years ago renew acquaintances of his boyhood. His broker of this city, have come to light. has been a resident of Washington. His

Louis J. Robinson, who has been proarrived here from Monterey more than moted to the position of cashier, was formerly postmaster at Appleton, Wis., and later in the military postal service the forgery and found that President Wil- in Cuba and Porto Rico until his trans- the existing conditions here, which would iiam G. Henshaw of the Union Savings fer to the postal service of the United Bank of this city, held four notes drawn States. He has for some years been superintendent at station G. Howard Beall, who has been made superintendent of station G. vice Robinson, has been in the service of the local post office for many years, and within a year was promoted to be superintendent of the money order di- which Ambassador Tong had leased until vision, vice H. L. Johnson, who was

> spring, resulting in the selection of W. H. It was stated that the ambassador had Haycock as superintendent of city deliv- fulfilled his mission to this government, ery, Mr. Johnson was restored to the pesi- having thanked the President for the retion of superintendent of the money order division and Mr. Beall was reduced to ranged for the education in this country that of assistant superintendent. Charles P. McCurdy, who has been

money order division, was promoted from

Salaries Raised.

Barnes also announces the following pro- nese government. motions in the city post office service: Franklin C. Burrows, assistant cashler, \$1,600 to \$1,800; John J. Murphey, superintendent of Station D, \$1,600 to \$1,700; Sidney G. Bursley, assistant superintendent of mails, \$1,500 to \$1,600, and Charles B. Matthews, assistant to superintendent of

VICTIM RAVES IN DELIRIUM. don, chief clerk of the special delivery de- Unknown Man Robbed and Beaten

Believed to Be "Scotty."

Station G, \$1,400 to \$1,500.

and hemorrhages of the brain, is an un- matter. identified man who was found robbed, "The result of this trial will convince beaten and unconscious in the zero cold foreigners that Yuan Shi Kai instigated of Wednesday night. It was believed the murder of the late emperor," Kang the man might be Walter Scott, the Death Yu Wei declared. "His dismissal will hotel recently with a man of the name party; the constitution will not longer be

The dving man wore a collar on which was the name "Campbell," and once in China to settle alone. cient to kill fifty people was found in the his semi-delirium. when questioned, he gave the name, "Scott." Inquiry among army- and is introducing reforms." the westerner's acquaintances disclosed that in build and general appearance he The police admit that all indications side the country. He is at present living in the case point to a brutal attempt in concealment in Penang and very few at murder. From the fact that all identifying marks were removed from the vic-

his whereabouts since are unknown.

who had reasons for wishing to kill and remove all possibility of identification. Pioneer Wesleyan Methodist Dies. NEW HAVEN, Conn., January 8 .- Rev. M. E. Phillips, pastor of the Whitneyhome last night. He was about sixtythree years old. He was for many years connected with the Wesleyan Methodist

Surrenders to Montreal Police. CINCINNATI. January 8 .- Frederick Corby Pole, thirty-four years of age. wanted in Montreal, Canada, on a charge has surrendered himself to the police here.

Mrs. H. McGean, in Cleveland, Ohio.

RECALLED TO CHINA

Is Cut Short.

Charge of Extravagance Against

LEGATIONS ABANDON PROTEST

Deposed Councilor.

American and British Ministers Decide on No Further Action in Chinese Capital.

PEKING, January 8 .- Tong Shoa Yi. who is at present in Washington on a special diplomatic mission from the Chinese government, has been recalled to Peking. He will come back via Europe, leaving Wash.

ington immediately. The American and British ministers here have abandoned their project to unite the various powers in a protest against the disturbing of the present policy of the Chinese government which is thought to have been initiated in the dismissal from office last week of Yuan Shi Kai, a membeen promoted to be assistant superin- ber of the grand council, and this phase of the question is now regarded as at an end.

The mission of Tong Shoa Yi has beet enormously expensive, and in some quarship, owing to continued ill health, which ters here his summary recall is regarded makes it desirable for him to be relieved as giving color to the reports that charges of some of the responsibility now resting of extravagance have been lodged against

Tong Shoa Yi started on his mission last fall under the auspices and with the approval of Yuan Shi Kal.

Confirmed at State Department.

That Ambassador Tong expects to leave Washington very seen is confirmed at the State Department. The ambassador has addressed a note to Secretary Root asking for an audience with him, in which in that position for many years, being to make his farewell, as he announces few days. The reasons for his departure

are not stated at the department. In Washington the announcement from Peking causes no great surprise, where the feeling has been general that since the dismissal of Yuan Shi-Kai as grand councilor, Tong's powerful friend in tain. Tong had made plans for a much more extended stay at the capital and was contemplating a visit to various easthonorary degree at one of them, and to ostensible mission to Washington, that of thanking the government for a remission of a portion of the Chinese boxer indemnity, has been concluded, but he desires to remain in the United States for a longer period to the end that he might become more intimately acquainted with be helpful to both China and himself in his future work. Tong originally expected to stay in Washington until after the inauguration of Mr. Taft in March.

Statement at Embassy. The effort was made at the special embassy, quartered in a handsome residence after the inauguration, to show that his recall was the result of his application When troubles in the service arose last to the home government for instructions. mission of the Boxer indemnity and ar-

of 100 Chinese students The ambassador will visit some of his made assistant superintendent of the friends in the north and will sail from New York about one month from today. It was declared at the embassy that his recall was no mark of hostility toward the ambassador, and did not indicate any In addition to the foregoing, Postmaster change of policy on the part of the Chi-

> CAUSED EMPEROR'S DEATH. Charge Made by Chinese Reformer

Against Yuan Shi Kai. PENANG, Straits Settlement, January 8.-In an interview here today Kang Yu Wei, the well known Chinese reformer who was expelled from Peking after the coup d'état of 1898, declared that Yuan Shi Kai had been dismissed from his high position as member of the grand council of the Chinese empire because he was in-CHICAGO. January, 8.-Strapped to a strumental in the death of the late emletters in the past year, obtaining hun- cot in a hospital, raving in delirium and peror, and that he probably would be dreds of dollars from them. He is al- dying from a double fracture of the skull placed on trial for his connection in this

Continuing, Kang Yu Wel said: "I oppose foreign intervention in favor of Yuan Shi Kai; the matter is one for

"The regent, Prince Chun, controls the Since his expulsion from Peking ten years ago Kang Yu Wei has been instrumental in directing the reform movement in the empire from various places outpeople are able to see him. It is necessary to be vouched for by friends before tim's clothing, and that no papers of any access to him can be obtained. While it is impossible to obtain confirmation of the expectation that Kang Yu Wei will now return to Peking, it was

intimated in certain quarters today that such a course was within the range of

OPINION IN JAPAN. ville Congregational Church, died at his Believed Yuan Shi-Kai Sought Alliance With the United States.

Special Cablegram to The Star. TOKIO, January 8 .- The opinion in well informed circles here is that the Americommittee, Aldis Brown, Hope Darneille who lost his life at sea last October, was Alonzo E. Horton Was the Second of chloroform in the room, but no other states, notably in Nebraska, Kansas and can-Japanese entente forestalled more search of the room, but no other states, notably in Nebraska, Kansas and can-Japanese entente forestalled more search of the room, but no other states, notably in Nebraska, Kansas and can-Japanese entente forestalled more search of the room, but no other states, notably in Nebraska, Kansas and can-Japanese entente forestalled more search of the room, but no other states, notably in Nebraska, Kansas and can-Japanese entente forestalled more search of the room, but no other states, notably in Nebraska, Kansas and can-Japanese entente forestalled more search of the room, but no other states, notably in Nebraska, Kansas and can-Japanese entente forestalled more search of the room, but no other states, notably in Nebraska, Kansas and can-Japanese entente forestalled more search of the room, but no other states are search of the room, but no other states are search of the room, but no other states are search of the room, but no other states are search of the room, but no other states are search of the room, but no other states are search of the room, but no other states are search of the room of Colorado. His son, Lee A. Phillips, lives rious developments in the orient. It is in Los Angeles, Cal., and his daughter, said that Yuan Shi-Kai was seeking to form an alliance with the United States and possibly with Germany, also, and so break up the concert on the far east and counteract Japan's predominance in Man-

BALTIMORE, January 8.—The divorce of grand larceny, in the sum of \$25,000, pers, overestimating the gravity of the Telegrams printed in London newspasituation, are attributed to Yuan Shiagainst his wife, naming former United the money, according to Pole, was taken Kai's close personal relations with some States Senator George L. Wellington co- by him while he was employed by the Europeans, especially George Ernest Mor-