AUSTRIA AND FRANCE WANTED EUROPEAN INTERVENTION.

Russia, With Great Britain, Insisted on a Hands-Off Policy During the War Between United States and Spain—Lord Pauncefote Was Particularly Active in His Efforts to Prevent Intervention.

DETAILS OF NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE FOREIGN POWERS.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Refusal of Russia, as well as Great Britain, to intervene during the war with Spain is responsible for the failure of the Austrian effort to bring about European intervention.

Officials acquainted with the details of the negotiations between the Powers in connection with the formation of a European coalition against the United States say that Great Britain had much to do with their failure and this fact will be brought out in a statement which will be made in the British House of Commons to-morrow by Viscount Crandorne, one of the undersecretaries for foreign affairs.

Diplomats who took part in the negotiations say that Lord Pauncefote, the British Ambassador, not only took an active part in the councils of the Ambassadors in Washington, but, not satisfied with the effect of the first representation to the President, he drafted another which was considered by the Diplomatic Corps and cabled to Europe for approval. This approval was not forthcoming, for the reason that neither Great Britain nor Russia was disposed to permit its representatives to go to the extent it recommended.

Austria and France Together.

Austria and France were the Powers which especially endeavored to obtain European intervention in behalf of Spain. Austria was moved to act by dynastic reasons, France because her people were heavily interested in Spanish finances.

M. Hanotaux, who was the French Minister for Foreign Affairs at the time, has stated that the Russian Government announced that it would take no part in the quarrel with the United States save that of absolute neutrality. No authorization was given to M. de Wollant, then Charge d'Affaires of Russia in this country, to take part in the preparation of a joint note to the United States. When M. de Wollant, who had been absent from Washington during the negotiations, returned and cabled the note which had been drafted by his colleagues, he was informed: "You may sign it if all the other representatives do so."

Mr. Balfour, who was in charge of British foreign affairs during the illness of Lord Salisbury, was quoted as stating that Great Britain stood ready to do all in its power to prevent war. M. Hanotaux asserts that in reply to the Austrian representation suggesting intervention Great Britain replied in the identical terms used by France: That if all the other Powers decided upon interference, she would not isolate herself.

Lord Pauncefote Was Active.

At the time Secretary Hay was Ambassador to Great Britain. The London Foreign Office was disturbed by the reports of Lord Pauncefote's activity, but the impression existed that the British Ambassador was endeavoring to forestall Continental intervention by drawing up a joint note which would be approved by the Powers and which would give the President an opportunity to make response. This purpose was known to Secretary Hay, who arranged for an audience of the Ambassadors with the President some little time before the note was presented. The note, which was "A pressing appeal to the feelings of humanity and moderation and of the American people in their existing differences with Spain," earnestly "hoped that further negotiations will lead to an agreement which, while securing the maintenance of peace, will afford all necessary guarantees for the reestablishment of order in Cuba."

President McKinley's response was emphatic. "The Government of the United States," he said, "appreciates the humanitarian and disinterested character of the communication now made on behalf of the Powers named, and for its part is confident that equal appreciation will be shown for its own earnest and unselfish endeavor to fulfill a duty to humanity by ending a situation the indefinite prolongation of which has become insufferable."

Wanted Even a Stronger Note.

Then followed Lord Pauncefote's efforts to draft another joint note even stronger than that already presented, but they failed because of Russia's refusal to interfere and of the disinclination of the London authorities to adopt the recommendation of its Ambassador.

After the battle of Manila Bay, Herr von Buelow, the German Secretary of State, informed Ambassador White that "Germany has been from the first determined to exercise the strictest neutrality." Germany, too, had come to recognize the futility of efforts to bring about European intervention in the war between Spain and the United States.

In view of the difference of opinion which prevails even in Washington in regard to the attitude of Great Britain during the Spanish War the statement which will be made by Viscount Cranborne in response to a question propounded by Henry Norman is awaited with interest.

MISS MARIE CARR WILL WED E. L. TAYLOR TO-DAY.

MISS MARIE CARR.
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Bent Carr, who will become the bride of Edgar Lackland Taylor to-day.

Miss Marie Carr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Bent Carr, will be married at 5 o'clock this afternoon to Edgar Lackland Taylor, at the home of Miss Carr's parents, No. 5358 Cabanne avenue. The Reverend Father McGlenn, pastor of St. Rose's Church, will perform the ceremony. Owing to mourning in the family, the marriage will be quiet, only the immediate families and intimate friends of the contracting parties being invited.

Misses Fannie and Hazel Carr, sisters of the bride-to-be, will attend as maids of honor. They will be gowned in simple white muslin dresses and carry bunches of roses. Miss Carr will wear a white embroidered mul gown, and tulle veil, with a wreathe of orange blossoms. William Taylor, brother of the prospective groom, will act as best man.

Miss Carr, who for several seasons has been one of the most popular girls in St. Louis society circles, is related by blood and marriage to nearly all the old French families of this city. On both sides of the house, her family is one of the most widely connected in St. Louis. Mr. Taylor is a grandson of Rufus Lackland, president of the Boatman's Bank, in which institution he holds an important position.

The marriage ceremony will be followed by an informal reception, after which the couple will depart for Florida, where they will spend the honeymoon.

BABY HANGED AND NURSE ASPHYXIATED.

Little One Hanging to Gas Pipe in Cellar and Servant Upstairs Unconscious.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 19.—While Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whittaker were out calling this evening, their babe was left with Annie Loge, a servant. When they returned Miss Liggie was found upstairs in an unconscious condition from asphyxiation. She had turned on the gas and inhaled it from the jet. Later Mr. and Mrs. Whittaker found their dead babe hanging to a gaspipe in the cellar. The physicians say the woman cannot survive the night. As she is not expected to recover consciousness, the story of the tragedy may never be known.

Mr. Whittaker is a prominent member of the Cincinnati bar.

PROMISE DETAILS OF GOEBEL MURDER PLOT

Jim Howard's Attorneys Declare They Will Clear the Mystery and Free Client.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 19.—Attorneys for the defense in the Jim Howard murder case say to-night that they will to-morrow put on the witness stand reliable persons who will give all the details of the alleged Goebel murder conspiracy. They say that this testimony will show that Howard had nothing to do with the crime.

LED MARCH AT RECEPTION GIVEN BY ST. PATRICK'S COUNCIL.

MISS MOLLIE KEIGHER.
Who led the grand march at the twenty-first annual reception of St. Patrick's Council, Knights of Father Mathew, at Pickwick Theater last Wednesday night. The selection of Miss Keigher for this place of honor proved very popular to the large number of persons in attendance, among whom were several supreme officers of the Catholic Knights of America.

GUERRILLA WARFARE ANNOYS CHAFFEE.

American General Complains of Method of Warfare Carried On by Filipinos.

Manila, Jan. 19.—General Chaffee, in his annual report, which has just been issued, sums up the situation from the military point of view by saying that the provinces of Batangas and Laguna, in Southern Luzon, and the islands of Samar, Mindoro and Cebu, constitute the disturbed area in which bodies of insurgents in force are to be found.

General Chaffee says the prolongation of guerrilla warfare is due to the physical character of the country and to the nature of warfare carried on by the insurgents, who in the same hour pose as friends and act as enemies; to the humanity displayed by the American troops, of which the insurgents take advantage, and to the fear of assassination on the part of those natives who are friendly disposed toward the Americans, should they give the latter information concerning the movements or whereabouts of the insurgents.

Municipal and provincial governments are being organized. These governments have not yet received a practical trial. They constitute the only certain and reliable method of ascertaining the progress of the Filipinos toward self-government.

According to the opinion of army officers, the disaster to Company C of the Ninth Infantry at Balangiga, Samar, when forty-eight men were killed, is attributed to the too great confidence of these men in territory which they assumed to be pacified.

In the same report Judge Advocate Groesbeck says the suppression of brigandage will probably be one of the most trying problems of the future. If the military arm be left free to deal with the marauders there is no doubt of their final suppression. But the presence of the civil government complicates the situation considerably. With the civil and military authorities working in harmony, says Judge Groesbeck, no evil results should be anticipated.

FOUR BIG BUSINESS BUILDINGS COLLAPSE.

Apparently Without Cause, the Structures Topple Over Into a Mass of Ruins.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 19.—Four buildings, each four stories high, located in the heart of the wholesale district of this city, collapsed at 8:20 o'clock to-night, without any apparent cause, and all that now remains is a smouldering heap of ruins.

The buildings were a part of the block bounded by Jefferson avenue and Shelby and Griswold streets, and were occupied by five concerns, and their stocks are a total loss, which is estimated at $12,000, exclusive of the loss on the buildings, which amounts to $50,000. The buildings adjoined each other at the corner of Jefferson avenue and Shelby street.

On Sunday night that district is practically deserted, and the few who were in the vicinity say that the buildings seemed to fall into a heap without apparent cause, making a noise like the rumbling of distant thunder. There are evidences of an explosion.

The walls of the rear part of the Maddocks Glove Company's building are still standing to the height of two stories, but the roof of this part of the building lies turned bottom side upward in the middle of Shelby street, and a large iron smokestack lies on the sidewalk on the opposite side of the street, smashed against the building there, as if driven by force.

KITCHENER WILL NOT RELENT.

Confirms Death Sentence of Boer Commandant Scheepers.

Graaf-Reinet, Cape Colony, Jan. 19.—Lord Kitchener has confirmed the death sentence passed upon the Boer commandant, Scheepers, who was captured last October. He will be shot next Saturday.

Westerners in New York.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Jan. 19.—Hotel arrivals to-day include the following:

St. Louis—Mrs. W. D. Orthwein, Miss Orthwein, Holland; A. H. Handian, E. Wells, Waldorf; Mrs. C. H. Smith, Hoffman; C. Wagner, Herald Square; L. Gentles, Normandie; R. D. Griffin and Mrs. Griffin, Grand Union.

Kansas City—W. W. Trigg and Mrs. Trigg, Astor; W. H. F. Dorn, Ashland; J. W. Wilson, Herald Square; Mrs. Mantell, Vendome.

St. Joseph—J. Motter, D. C. McIntrich, Manhattan; S. W. Hundley, W. H. Britton and Mrs. Britton, Imperial.

MORE EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS IN MEXICO.

Scientific Men Connect Colima Volcano's Activity With Seismic Phenomena.

Mexico City, Jan. 19.—A telegram to the Government Observatory announces that the volcano of Colima is again active, and scientific men connect this fact with the prevalence of seismic phenomena.

Renewed earthquake shocks were reported from various parts of the country this afternoon, and a slight tremble of the earth was felt here Saturday afternoon.

Governor Mora of Guerrero has personally taken charge of the ruined city of Chilpancingo.

The populace is camping out, guarded by troops, and perfect order obtains.

The city will have to be thoroughly rebuilt.

More bodies continue to be found as the debris is examined by soldiers.

FRANCIS GARVEY, PROMINENT IRISH-AMERICAN, IS DEAD.

Aged Barrister-at-Law Practiced in Courts of Great Britain and in United States.

Francis Garvey, 87 years old, barrister-at-law and graduate of Trinity College, Dublin, who has lived in this city for more than thirty years, and who came to the United States after a successful career in his native land, died yesterday afternoon at his home, No. 4064 West Belle place.

During his residence in St. Louis Counselor Garvey, as he was known because of his long practice in the courts of Great Britain, acquired a wide acquaintance. He practiced law in this city for twenty years, but has not been able to continue actively at work since 1890.

In 1895 he was stricken with Bright's disease and was given up for dead by four physicians. But his Irish constitution baffled the prophecies of the doctors, though he never fully recovered from the attack. His death was due to the original trouble, and to his advanced age.

He was born in Roselevin Castle, County Mayo, Ireland. Subsequently to his being graduated as an attorney and barrister-at-law he became a familiar figure both at the Temple Bar in London and Inns-of-Court, Dublin. He was a close friend of Daniel O'Connell, the Irish reformer, and was his ardent supporter until 1845, when O'Connell died. During the Irish famine, from 1845 to 1849, he was one of the leaders in relief work, and was chosen to distribute the funds supplied by the British Government.

He came to this country in 1865. He went first to New York, thence to Chicago, but settled in St. Louis in 1866. He was married in Ireland, and his wife died in this city in 1872. Five children survive him. One daughter, Miss Emily Garvey, lived with him on West Belle place. Three sons, Edward, Chris and Hallam, live in this city and a fourth son, George Garvey, lives in Memphis.

The funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 8:30 o'clock from St. Ann's Catholic Church, Page avenue and Whittier street.

DISPUTES CLAIM TO MILLIONS.

Penniless Youth Will Enter Contest Against Young Heiress.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 19.—Walter H. Rounds, a Boston youth of 20 years, disputes the claim of Millionairess Norma Leslie Munro to the great Hume estate of $300,000,000. Mr. Rounds claims that he and not Miss Munro is entitled to a goodly share of the hundreds of millions. But Miss Munro is already on the way to prove her title to the vast millions.

The estate lies in the county of Dumfries, Solway Firth, Scotland, and is awaiting claimants.

Miss Munro is possessor of millions left by her father, the late Norman L. Munro, publisher. Young Rounds is practically without means. Norman L. Munro claimed to be the grandnephew of the late Lord Hume, who died intestate.

Rounds is the son of Elias Rounds, who was a son of Miranda Hume, who was a daughter of the nephew of George Hume, who came to America after a quarrel with his family a century ago and settled in Virginia. Thirty years ago they began an action to recover the estate, but the action lapsed. It has been again brought into the courts.

TWO DEATHS FROM FARMERS' QUARREL.

Question of Passway Through a Farm Led to Shooting Near Taylorsville, Ky.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Taylorsville, Ky., Jan. 19.—In a fight near Walker's Store, six miles from Taylorsville, this evening, Thomas Jewell shot and killed Nathan Bruner and his son, John, and slightly wounded David Bruner, another son.

Jewell says the Bruners, with a man named Price, attacked him and he was forced to shoot in self-defense. Jewell came in and surrendered this evening and was released on $300 bond. He will be arrested, however, as the officers at the time he was released did not know the full extent of the trouble.

The men are all farmers and neighbors, and the fight grew out of a dispute over a passway through a farm. It is understood they have had trouble on previous occasions. Little is known of the difficulty aside from the statement made by Jewell when he gave himself up to-day. Officers have gone to his home to-night to arrest him.

MAY BE PEACE CONFERENCES.

Boers and British Representatives Display Unusual Activity.

Brussels, Jan. 19.—Doctor Leyds, the European representative of the Transvaal, and the Boer delegates met to-day at some mysterious rendezvous. Doctor Leyds now denies himself to everybody. It is asserted that Doctor Kuyper, the Dutch premier, on his return to The Hague from London had a conference with Mr. Wolmarans, one of the Boer delegates, who sent another delegate to consult with Mr. Kruger and that another meeting will be held next Monday.

In spite of the Boer denials, a strong feeling exists here that some peace movement is afoot between Great Britain and the Boer delegates, but there is difficulty in arriving at any acceptable basis of terms, Mr. Kruger and Doctor Leyds being reluctant to commit themselves.

It is declared in Boer circles here that a number of Englishmen, supposed to be officials of the British Government, arrived at The Hague under assumed names last Saturday and were later visited and entertained at dinner by the British Minister there.

HELD FOR INVESTIGATION.

Kansas City Police Working on Recent Poolroom Robbery.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 19.—William Rambo, a saloon man, arrested at Kansas City, Kas., to-day, is being held on suspicion of being one of two men who, last Monday evening, "held up" five men in a race-horse poolroom in Delaware street and got away with $1,500.

Jimmie Driscoll, the baseball player, a clerk in the poolroom, who was struck over the head with a revolver by one of the robbers, identified Rambo to-day as one of the two men. The police say they have other evidence that tends to prove Rambo's connection with the affair.

A detective left to-night for Denver to bring back Al Green, under arrest in that city, suspected of being one of the robbers. Green and Rambo are known to have been friends in this city.

FATHER AND HIS SON KILLED.

Caught on a Trestle and Run Down by a Passenger Train.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Brenham, Tex., Jan. 19.—Professor W. C. Grossman, teacher of German in the Brenham Public Schools, and his 15-year-old son, Willie, while out walking on the Santa Fe track one mile north of town this afternoon, were caught on a trestle and run down by the southbound Santa Fe passenger train and both killed. Professor Grossman's head was cut off and his son's skull was crushed. Mrs. Grossman is the only survivor of the family.

Sneed's Acceptance Announced.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 19.—The Reverend Frank W. Sneed of the Washington and Compton Avenue Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, has accepted the call of the East Liberty Presbyterian Church in this city, and the announcement was made to the congregation to-day. He may assume charge early in February. The East Liberty Church is one of the largest and most influential in the city.

GREAT-AUNT OF KING OF SPAIN IS DEAD.

Infanta Maria Cristina Isabella, Who Was in Her Sixty-Ninth Year, Spent Life in Madrid.

SPECIAL BY CABLE.

Madrid, Jan. 19.—(Copyright, 1902, by the New York Herald Company.)—The Infanta Maria Cristina Isabella died here to-day after a lingering illness.

She was in her sixty-ninth year.

The Infanta Maria Cristina Isabella was great-aunt of the young King of Spain. She was the fifth child of the Infante Francis, whose eldest son, her brother, married Quen Isabella. Both Queen Isabella and her consort, since the former's abdication in favor of her son, Alfonso XII, in 1870, have lived in exile, but the Infanta Cristina, who married a cousin, another Prince of the royal house, as his second wife, had her residence in Madrid.

VIOLINIST JOSEPH BURKE DEAD.

Achieved Prominence as the Accompanist to Jenny Lind.

New York, Jan. 19.—Joseph Burke, the violinist and actor, who achieved prominence as the accompanist to Jenny Lind on her tour in 1850-51, died here to-day in his eighty-sixth year. Congressman Charles H. Burke of South Dakota is his nephew.

MRS. ABRAM BROKAW IS DEAD.

Wife of Wealthiest Man in McLean County Passes Away.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 19.—Mrs. Abram Brokaw, wife of the richest man in McLean County, died to-night, aged 87 years. Her aged husband survives, but no children.

A. J. CALLAHAN.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Butler, Mo., Jan. 19.—A. J. Callahan, a pioneer citizen, died to-day.

SAMUEL W. HEGAN.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 19.—Samuel W. Hegan, head of the Hegan Manufacturing Company, manufacturers of mantels, dropped dead to-day from apoplexy. He was 58 years old.

THE REV. DR. H. K. HINES.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 19.—The Reverend Doctor H. H. Hines died early this morning, aged 74. Doctor Hines came to Oregon fifty years ago from Herkimer County, New York, and during that time he was connected with the affairs of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the Northwest.

CAPTAIN A. A. RICE.

Lafayette, Ind., Jan. 19.—Captain Alexander A. Rice, one of the best-known attorneys in Indiana, died suddenly to-day of neuralgia of the heart. He served with distinction in the Civil War.

MOTHER JOSEPH.

Vancouver, British Columbia, Jan. 19.—Mother Joseph, founder of the Sisters of Charity in the Northwest, died to-day at the convent in this city, aged 80 years. Mother Joseph entered the novitiate of the Sisters of Charity at Montreal, Canada, in 1843. She came West as a missionary in 1856.

DOCTOR E. J. BLAIR.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Charleston, Ill., Jan. 19.—Doctor E. J. Blair, a prominent druggist and prosperous business man of this city, dropped from his chair dead yesterday morning while sitting at the breakfast table. He had not been ill previously, and his death was a great shock to his family and friends. Heart failure was given as the cause.

Doctor Blair came here from Springfield, Ill., about eighteen years ago. At the time of his death he held the rank of Major of Third Battalion, Second Illinois Regiment, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias. He will be buried by this lodge, probably at Springfield, his former home. The deceased leaves a widow and son and daughter who were absent in the East attending school.

FIFE IS BACK IN SAVANNAH.

Tells His Friends That He Will Be Able to Prove an Alibi.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 19.—Stewart Fife, who was arrested at North Yakima, Wash., some days ago, on the charge of killing Frank Richardson of Savannah, Mo., December 24, 1900, was taken to Savannah this afternoon. Sheriff Holcomb arrived here this morning with the prisoner.

He was taken to police headquarters, where he remained several hours and where his parents, who are now residetns of St. Joseph, were permitted to see him.

Fife declined to talk about his case. To friends he expressed confidence in his ability to prove an alibi.

On reaching Savannah he was taken to jail at once. He will be kept until the February term of the Circuit Court unless habeas corpus proceedings are brought.

The case against Mrs. Richardson, widow of the murdered merchant, will be tried at Plattsburg, beginning to-morrow. She is held on the charge of murder in the first degree. Nothing will be done with Fife until her case has been disposed of.

REMEMBERED KINDNESS OF SIXTEEN YEARS AGO.

Left $5,000 in His Will to Farmer and His Wife Who Fed Him When He Was Hungry and Penniless.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Middletown, N. Y., Jan. 19.—Food and shelter given to a hungry, homeless wanderer, sixteen years ago, has just borne fruit in a substantial legacy to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Green of Mount Slocum.

One cold, cheerless night in the fall of 1885 a scantily clad, penniless young man stopped at the Green farmhouse and asked for food and shelter. He was supplied with a bountiful supper and a warm bed for the night and the next morning informed that he need be in no hurry in taking his departure.

The young man, who gave his name as Jared Rogers, remained at the farmhouse for several days. When he took leave of his benefactors he was fitted out with a suit of clothes and several days' rations. He remarked:

"I expect to have some money of my own before I die if industry, honesty and economy will produce it. Then I will endeavor to reward you."

During the sixteen years which have intervened Mr. and Mrs. Green had forgotten the incident entirely, when a letter reached them from an attorney in the Far West a week ago informing them that by the will of one Jared Rogers, who died recently, they had been remembered to the extent of $5,000.

While Rogers had been accumulating his property adversity had been the lot of Mr. and Mrs. Green, and the competency which they possessed sixteen years ago had nearly all been lost.

VICTIMS OF CAR ACCIDENTS.

Isaac Atterbury of Madison, Mo., Fatally Hurt—Other Accidents.

Isaac Atterbury of Madison, Mo., was struck by an eastbound Olive street car at the corner of Delmar and Euclid avenues last night and sustained painful injuries. He was thrown to the street and received a deep cut over the right eye and was bruised on the face and body. Mr. Atterbury had just alighted from a westbound Delmar avenue car and walked in front of the Olive street car. His injuries were dressed and he was taken to the home of his uncle, F. Holliday, No. 5137 Washington avenue, where he was visiting.

J. H. Graham of No. 809 Montgomery street was struck by an eastbound Market street car at Thirteenth street last night and sustained contusions and a scalp wound. He was removed to the City Hospital. He had alighted from a westbound car and in passing behind the car was struck.

Joseph King, in attempting to board an Easton avenue car at Jefferson and Franklin avenues yesterday afternoon, missed his footing and was thrown to the pavement. He was bruised on the head. He went to his home at No. 2623 Sheridan avenue.

Peter Centor of No. 19 South Fifteenth street fell from a Chouteau avenue car at Fourth street and Washington avenue yesterday afternoon and sustained a fracture of the right knee cap. He was taken to his home.

John Anderson of No. 222 North Compton avenue fell from an Olive street car at Compton avenue yesterday afternoon and sustained a cut over the right eye. He was taken to his home.

MRS. MILNER ASKS ALIMONY.

Former St. Louisan Involved in Domestic Trouble at Kansas City.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 19.—A strange story of marital woe was disclosed yesterday in Judge Gibson's court in the hearing of an application of Mary A. Milner for alimony. Her husband, Abram M. Milner, had sued her for divorce, and she applied for alimony pending the trial of the suit. Mr. Milner is a civil engineer, a graduate of West Point and was formerly Street Commissioner of St. Louis. He was once wealthy.

His wife told the Judge that another woman caused the separation, and Mr. Milner told the Judge that when he and his wife separated he divided his large estate in halves, giving his wife half and keeping the rest. Among the property deeded to her he said was 640 acres of mineral land in Arkansas which is now worth $10,000, but his wife let it slip through her fingers without getting anything much out of it.

The Judge ordered Milner to pay his wife $50 attorneys' fees and $100 alimony. The divorce case will be tried later. Mrs. Milner lives in St. Louis.

PAPERMAKERS WILL STRIKE.

Twenty-Five Mills May Close, Throwing Out 3,000 Men.

Kaukauna, Wis., Jan. 19.—A general strike was ordered to-day at a joint meeting of the Appleton, Kaukauna and Neenah lodges of the United Brotherhood of Papermakers, which will result, in less than three weeks, in closing the twenty-five mills in the State of Wisconsin, throwing out of employment 3,000 laborers and cutting off over 780 tons a day from the supply of the paper market, unless the demands of the union for shorter hours are granted. Further than this, the movement is soon to spread through every papermaking district in the Northwest.

The manufacturers will be given one or two weeks' time in which to make a reply, and nothing but an immediate and unconditional granting of the demands, it is authoritatively stated, can prevent the big walkout at the end of the period.

FELL INTO A CELLAR—Emil Reny of No. 111 St. Charles avenue, East St. Louis, while approaching the west end of the Eads bridge last night fell into an old cellar near Third street and Washington avenue. He was picked up unconscious by Bridge Officer Dowlin of the Fourth District. Reny was taken to the City Hospital suffering from concussion of the brain. His condition was pronounced serious.

WHITE EARTH, MINN.—The Agency Hospital and the Woman's Guild Hall, in connection with St. Columbus Hospital Mission, were destroyed by fire yesterday.

MARRIED AT THE SIDE OF HER MOTHER'S BIER.

Rabbi Turned From the Wedding Ceremony to Conduct the Rites for the Dead.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Jan. 19.—In the home of Samuel Friedner, at No. 442 East Eighth street, there was a wedding and funeral this morning. His daughter was married and his wife was buried. The daughter, Miss Ray Friedner, was married to Louis Wasserberg of Jersey City by Rabbi Kohn, standing just beside the coffin of the mother, and almost immediately Rabbi Sincella began the ceremonies over the dead.

The bride was still standing with her hand in her husband's, listening to the words of the minister as he stood at the head of the coffin, when she reeled and fell to the floor senseless.

Mr. and Mrs. Wasserberg will live in Jersey City. They had intended being married with much pomp and ceremony. None was more interested, none worked harder for the coming event, or planned ahead so many things as Mrs. Friedner, the mother. On Friday she dropped dead of heart disease.

The invitations were recalled, but the grief of the bride-to-be was so great over the loss of her mother that her father, almost inconsolable himself, suggested that as the mother had been taken from her it would do no harm to let her have a husband's love and comfortings without any postponement.

BOY DRAGGED BLOCK BY CAR AND ONLY SLIGHTLY HURT.

Morris Warsh Saved His Life by Clinging to Rear Fender, From Which He Had Been Thrown.

Morris Warsh, an 11-year-old newsboy, was dragged behind a Page avenue car from Seventh to Eighth street on Washington avenue Saturday afternoon and except for a sprained ankle and a few bruises, escaped none the worse for his perilous ride.

Warsh boarded car No. 1362 at the corner of Seventh street and Washington avenue about 6 o'clock to sell papers. He was standing on the step as the car began to move and wishing to ride to the next corner he jumped upon the rear fender.

His right foot, however, slipped through the slats and as the car increased its speed he was thrown backward and although he cried lustily to the conductor, the car was not stopped until Eighth street had been reached, the youth being dragged over the granite blocks the distance of the block. That he was not seriously injured is due his presence of mind in holding his head from the ground and clinging to the fender.

He was assisted to his home, No. 722 Morgan street, and attended by Doctor E. E. Grimm of No. 674 Compton avenue, who was a passenger on the car.

RIVER STEAMER WRECKED.

Floating Log Sinks the Frank S. Stone Near Mobile.

Mobile, Ala., Jan. 19.—The river steamer Frank S. Stone was wrecked by a floating log in the river to-night fifty miles above Mobile and lies in fifteen feet of water in middle channel. No lives were lost, though the steamer sank in fifteen minutes. The Stone carried twenty-five passengers, a crew of twenty-five and a large general cargo. Most of the passengers had retired, but the officers quickly gave the alarm, and passengers and crew were transferred to a barge the steamer was towing and which was then cast adrift. The steamer Mary came in sight soon afterward, took the barge in tow and brought the sunken boat's passengers and crew to Mobile this morning. The Stone was valued at $30,000, fully insured.

MATERIAL REWARD FOR VIRTUE.

Bachelor Who Never Has Been Kissed Appointed City Marshal.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 19.—Because he is a bachelor and has "never been kissed" is one of the strongest arguments advanced by Mayor Hurley of Salem in nominating Edward Herman Knight for City Marshal. Mayor Hurley thinks that the members of the Police Department have been paying too much attention to the fair sex, and has placed a reformer in nomination.

The Board of Aldermen has had a tie vote on the matter of his confirmation, and it is expected that he will have a majority at a meeting to be held January 29.

GENDARMES KILL RIOTERS.

Eleven Members of a Mob Are Shot Down.

Buda-Pesth, Jan. 19.—During an agrarian riot in the village of Alsoideos, in the county of Maros-Torda, Transylvania, a mob attacked the Government officials and the gendarmes were compelled to fire on them. Ten of the mob were killed and thirteen were severely wounded. One of the wounded has since died, and four of them are not expected to recover.

POULTNEY BIGELOW'S LECTURE

Well-Known Traveler Will Appear Before Contemporary Club.

Poultney Bigelow, the well-known author and traveler, will lecture this evening in the parlors of the Wednesday Club in the Young Men's Christian Association building to the Contemporary Club and the Louisiana Purchase States Committee of the Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mr. Bigelow arrived in the city yesterday morning and spent the afternoon and evening with friends.

WEALTHY JEWELER FOUND MURDERED IN STORE.

Dragged to Safe Containing Great Wealth, but Refused to Open It for Robbers.

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 19.—Belia A. Brown, aged 62 years, a prominent dealer in diamonds and manufacturer of jewelry, was found murdered in his store here to-night.

His legs were tied together, and he was gagged with a long red neck scarf. At the back of the head was a hole extending into the brain, and there were several gashes in the scalp.

The murdered man's head was covered with blood, and a pool of it formed on top of a small chest of drawers, over which the head lay. All about were evidences of a determined struggle, but a thorough search failed to discover any positive clew as to the identity of the murderer or murderers.

From the position of the body in front of a safe the conclusion was reached by the police that the murderers had placed Mr. Brown before the safe, which was locked and which contained thousands of dollars' worth of diamonds and jewelry, and tried to force him to work the combination for them.

The murderers secured nothing of value, except, perhaps, a diamond stud which Mr. Brown wore and which is missing.

STEAL TRUNKS AND GET $20,000 WORTH OF DIAMONDS

Robbers Break Into Baggage-Room and Carry Away a Fortune in Precious Stones.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 19.—A special from Glendive, Mont., says:

Robbers secured between $19,000 and $20,000 worth of unset and set diamonds to-day by stealing two trunks from the baggage-room of the Northern Pacific station and breaking them open. Nothing is missing from the trunks except a bag of unset diamonds and three or four hundred rings, mounted in gold settings. A tray containing twenty-four set diamonds was overlooked by the robbers.

The trunks were the property of C. B. Clausen, traveling representative of S. H. Clausen & Co., wholesale manufacturing jewelers of Minneapolis. Mr. Clausen arrived from the East last night and left his trunks in charge of the baggage agent.

The robbery was an unusually bold one, as four men were in the upper story of the station asleep and the express agent slept in a room adjoining the baggage-room. None of them heard the robbers at work.

The window of the baggage-room was forced open and through it the trunks, which weighed about 250 pounds each, were hoisted out.

They were taken only a few feet from the station, where they were broken open and the diamonds taken. They were found early this morning

Local officers have made one arrest upon suspicion.

PITTSBURG, PA.—The Pittsburg committee of the McKinley Memorial Association has raised $30,000 for the fund. The largest check received from any one person was $5,000.

LONDON—The Shanghai correspondent of the Standard says that, according to trustworthy reports received from Pekin, General Tung Fuh Siang, the notorious anti-foreigner, whose execution was recently ordered by the Dowager Empress, was executed January 15.

SPOT HIM.

Perhaps Coffee Is Getting Its Work In on You.

People who think they can digest coffee and yet are sick half the time might learn a valuable lesson in health and get some happiness out of life if they would make up their minds to quit coffee and take Postum Food Coffee.

You can trace the results so accurately as to leave no possible doubt of the cause of the sickness and the reasons for the return of health.

A lady from Blue Mount, Miss., gives her experience. She says, "I always used to drink milk, but in '98 I went down to the southern part of the State to teach school and boarded in a family of coffee drinkers. I began drinking one half of a cup at a meal. The habit grew on me and I increased the amount.

"Gradually I became nervous, my complexion grew sallow and yellow and finally my stomach would frequently throw off the food. I gradually ate less and less, depending upon the coffee to keep me up. Finally I concluded that the trouble was malaria, and the doctor advised me to leave that part of the country. So I went back up to the hills in the hope of getting better. Instead of that I got worse. Palpation of the heart set in and I got so weak I could scarcely work.

"I took a great many remedies, but found no relief. I went to the mountains in California for two months, without improvement. I was thoroughly discouraged about my condition, when one day a friend said, 'Why don't you give up coffee?' 'Quit coffee?' I said. 'Why that is about all I live on.' She begged me to try leaving it off and use Postum Food Coffee.

"I did not have much faith in the experiment. I had tried so many things without benefit, but I decided to yield to her entreaties. In less than two weeks after I quit coffee and began using Postum, the pall of ill health left me, and I began to sleep as sound as anyone. My complexion improved and my stomach began to regain its strength.

"Now, after three months' use of Postum, I feel as well as I ever did. I would not be without Postum Food Coffee, and will never drink another drop of coffee. It came near killing me."—Mrs. Vera Dentel, Blue Mountain, Miss.