PEACEFUL KENTUCKY.

Party Leaders Bring the Civil War to an End.

SOLDIERS TO BE WITHDRAWN

And the Sessions of the Legislature to be Resumed at the State House in Frankfort—Funeral of the Murdered Democratic Governor.

Louisville, Feb. 6.—A conference between accredited representatives of the two state governments was held at the Galt House in this city last night as a step toward bringing about a peaceful settlement of the disturbed political conditions now existing. The Democrats at first were inclined to press their demands to the limit, requiring the withdrawal of troops from the state buildings at Frankfort, the recognition of Beckham as governor without any further action by the legislature, on the reports of the contest boards by which Goebel and Beckham were declared to have been elected, after which the main points in controversy were to be adjudicated by due process of law.

The Republicans showed no disposition to make such extreme concessions. They had elected to stand on the legality of Taylor's proclamation, though the sentement to some extent of the belligerency of the authorities at Frankfort was reflected in their arguments. This had been expected since the release of Alonzo Walker after Taylor's military officers had refused to recognize a writ of habeas corpus in his case.

Shortly after midnight the conferees came to an agreement. A stenographer was summoned and a docu-

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ment was drawn up for the signatures of the participants in the conference. It is said the agreement is decidedly favorable to the Democrats. Taylor is to withdraw the state troops from the state buildings at Frankfort and send them home. The order convening the legislature at London, Ky., is to be revoked and the regular sessions of the general assembly are to be resumed at the state capitol without molestation. It is believed the understanding arrived at will result in an amicable settlement of the dispute between the two parties in this state and do away with the dual governments now asserting themselves.

Taylor's representatives at the conference were Lieutenant Governor John Marshall, Attorney David Faileigh, General Dan Lindsey, T. H. Edelin, Judge Robert Barr and Postmaster T. H. Baker, of this city.

For the Democrats there were present Senator-elect Blackburn, ex-Governor J. B. McCreary, Judge Robert J. Breckinridge and Colonel Phil Thompson.

A large number of telegrams and letters of congratulation have poured in upon Democratic Governor Beckham, all addressed to the governor of Kentucky. One of these, from Colonel C. E. Smith, of Culpepper, Va., offers the services of 900 men "to see justice meted out." J. B. Gosborn, of the Kansas Democratic state committee, telegraphed: "The Democrats of the nation are at your back. Stick."

In his office in the state house at Frankfort last night Republican Governor Taylor made a distinct and pos-

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itive offer to submit the merits of his claim to the gubernatorial chair of Kentucky to any three fair minded men in the world, these three men to be selected by the United States supreme court. He will allow them to arbitrate the case and will abide by their decision.

Since the shooting of Gobel by an assassin hidden in a state building, on Tuesday of last week, each day has brought some radical action on the part of both Republicans and Democrats, each side claiming to support the only legal governor. Two men are in jail at Louisville on suspicion, but there seems to be no evidence against either. One of these is Harland Whittaker, a farmer of "Governor" Taylor's home county, and the other is James Sutton, sheriff of Whiteley county, a bitter opponent of "Governor" Goebel. The swearing in of Goebel as governor after the majority of the legislature had declared him legally elected, took place last Wednesday night. At the same time J. C. W. Beckham was sworn in as lieutenant governor. The situation was further complicated last Saturday night by the death of Goebel and the swearing in of Beckham as governor. The troops who were called to Frankfort by Taylor's order were ordered to disperse by Goebel as soon as the latter took the oath of office, but the Goebel order has been ignored. Two of Taylor's official acts were ignored on Thursday. President Redman of the Farmers' bank, a state depository, refused to cash checks signed by the governor for the pay of the militia, and Warden Hiller, of the Frankfort penitentiary, refused to release a prisoner pardoned by Taylor. Meantime, the legislature, having been declared adjourned by Taylor, the Democratic majority has been prevented by the military from entering the state house.

Today the body of William E. Goebel is lying in state in Covington, and tomorrow it will lie in state in Frankfort. The interment will take place in Frankfort in the cemetery where Vice President Richard Johnson and several Kentucky governors are buried. The Democratic legislature will make an appropriation for a monument, and this will be added to by private subscriptions.

Schooner Capsized; Five Drowned.

Norfolk, Feb. 6.—Collector of Customs Hahn at Newbern, N. C., has been notified by R. S. Cox, captain of the schooner Mary C. Ward, that his vessel was capsized last week, and Henry Credle, white, and Ed Mackey, Squire Howard, Tom Collins and Frank Morris, all colored, drowned. Captain Cox and the two remaining members of the crew were completely exhausted when rescued.

GENERAL SOUTHERN NEWS.

Danville, Va., Feb. 4.—Postmaster Keesee and a Mr. Morris were struck by northbound train No. 36 at Sycamore station, Pittsylvania county, and instantly killed yesterday afternoon.

Petersburg, Va., Feb. 3.—The dwelling of Mr. Sydney Traylor, near Sutherlands, in Dinwiddie county, was destroyed by fire yesterday, with its contents. The fire originated from chimney sparks igniting the roof.

Suffolk, Va., Feb. 7.—The burning of four houses in Jericho, a negro suburb, today rendered five families homeless. The blaze started from a bad flue. The flames were fanned by wind, and there was no department to check them.

Bristol, Va., Feb. 3.—By a decree of court the Marion and Rye Valley railway, reaching the iron deposits in Smyth county, Virginia, was sold today to A. J. Perry for $7,000. Mr. Perry probably represented the Virginia Iron, Coal and Coke company.

Elkins, W. Va., Feb. 4.—The mandate of the supreme court of West Virginia to remove all county records from Beverly to Elkins was received by the county court at Beverly Saturday. This ends the county seat row, which has been pending several years.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 3.—Desertions of sailors from sailing ships, an extraordinarily large fleet of which are now in this port, have become of late very numerous. The big five masted schooner Palmer reports to her owners that she is unable to proceed on account of desertions.

Macon, Ga., Feb. 5.—Mayor Smith has received from Admiral Dewey an acceptance of an invitation extended to him and Mrs. Dewey to visit Macon during their southern trip in March. The admiral says he will reach Savannah on March 20, will remain there for two days and will then come to Macon. Elaborate preparations will be made to entertain him.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 31.—After several caucuses and after three nights of warm debate the state senate last night decided to abolish the present state board of control having charge of the dispensary system and to elect three directors, one being chosen by the senate and two by the lower house. In joint assembly a commissioner is to be elected for a term of two years. The senate plan will probably be accepted by the house, but a hot fight is expected, the Prohibitionists and local option advocates being strong in that body.

Roanoke, Va., Feb. 4.—A charter has been granted by Judge John W. Woods, of the hustings court, to the Niagara Hydraulic Engine company, which is capitalized at $25,000, divided into shares of $100 each. The officers of the company are: President, Dr. Joseph S. Tipton; secretary and treasurer, H. E. Pugh. E. B. Jacobs, S. H. Groves and W. J. Johnson, with the two officials named, constitute the board of directors. The object of the company is to manufacture, lease or sell hydraulic machines and engines. The principal office of the concern will be in Roanoke.

Newport News, Va., Feb. 4.—Frank Kimbal, a Swede, was brought here yesterday by United States Marshal West and lodged in jail to await trial at the May term of the federal court on the charge of assault on the high seas on his captain, O. M. Parsons, of the schooner Charles H. Trickey, now in Hampton Roads. Kimbal claims that the captain tried to assault him with a marlinspike because he was slow in obeying orders during a gale, and that when he threw up his arm to protect himself the captain slipped on the sleet covered deck, receiving painful injuries about the head. The charge is that he knocked the captain down.

Columbia, S. C., Feb. 3.—Mrs. Missouri Brown, of Woodward, S. C., has asked Governor McSweeney to relieve her daughters from matrimonial entanglements. These daughters, within ten years married the same man, who in that interval also wedded a North Carolina girl. In 1889 Charles Furtick married her eldest daughter, Illinois, and deserted her in a year. He then went to Bristow, N. C., and married a Miss Huskind. Last year, under the name of W. W. Furtick, and much changed in appearance, her son-in-law returned to Woodford. She did not know him, and he paid court to her youngest daughter, Francis, and married her. The mother-in-law got the three wives together, and then swore out a warrant, but Furtick escaped.

Sibley to His Constituents.

Oil City, Pa., Feb. 6.—The Derrick publishes a letter from Congressman Joseph C. Sibley, addressed to voters of the Twenty-seventh district, responding to a request that he again become a candidate for congress. He says: "When I candidate for your suffrages I pledged myself to support measures of policy from congress, regardless of sectional bias, and to give to their consideration the best qualities of head and heart in my possession. I have supported the administration because I am in sympathy with its actions of the past, the present, and its aims for the future, so far as they are outlined. I accept your call, renewing my pledges of the past."

Washington's Ancestors' Gravestones

Washington, Feb. 6.—Representative Kahn, of San Francisco, has received a letter from Dr. Robert Davies, of that city, telling of the successful efforts he has made to secure from England the gravestones of Lawrence and Elizabeth Washington, ancestors of George Washington, which he desires to have deposited in the Washington monument or the Smithsonian Institution. Dr. Davies located the stone in the churchyard at Wiltsmire, and has finally overcome all obstacles to bringing the relics to America. Mr. Kahn will lay the matter before the authorities here.

The Cost of War.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Responding to a senate resolution the secretary of war reported yesterday the expenditures by the war department of the $50,000,000 defense fund. The war department expended $16,525,564, divided among the different bureaus, the principal amounts being: Ordnance, $6,819,459; engineering, $5,576,983; quartermaster's bureau, $1,987,427; pay department, $1,477,872.

United States Senator Bard.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 6.—A secret meeting of the Burns forces decided to throw the entire Republican support for the senatorship to Thomas R. Bard, who received the caucus nomination. This action of the Burns forces assures Bard's election to the United States senate to succeed Stephen M. White.

Reported Serious Wreck in Ohio.

Findlay, O., Feb. 6.—Word has just been received that a freight and passenger train on the Hocking Valley railroad collided at Carry, resulting in the death of a fireman, engineer, express messenger and two others. No further particulars are obtainable now.

Riotous Convict Guards Killed.

Little Rock, Feb. 6.—Two convict guards, W. W. Harlan and A. J. Raiford, attempted Sunday night to terrorize the town of Portland, in Arthur county. They resisted the local officers and both guards were shot and killed.

Labor Candidate Counted In.

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 6.—The recount of ballots cast in the recent Winnipeg bye-election was concluded yesterday and the result is that Mr. E. D. Martin, independent, is counted out and Mr. Puttee, the labor candidate, is counted in by eight majority.

BULLER'S SLOW MARCH.

A Military Authority Thinks He Is Making a Wide Detour.

ROBERTS REBUKES PRESIDENTS.

Kruger and Steyn Had Complained of British Destruction of Property. But the British Commander Denies the Charge.

London, Feb. 6.—Military critics in London continues to ridicule, from very slender materials, that General Buller is wasting his army against the Boer works. A retired general, Sir William Fanshawe Green, whose distinguished career gives weight to his opinion, thinks that General Buller, with 25,000 men, is making a wide detour to the east and north in order to avoid the roughest parts of the country. As General Buller must have some thousands of wagons, Sir William Green points out that the advance would necessarily be slow.

No authentic word is at hand, save that the war office reaffirmed orally to newspaper inquirers at a late hour that it could not confirm the reported advance. There the Natal situation rests.

It is from the western field that more definite statements come. Large operations are apparently about to begin. General French, who has now returned to Rensburg from his conference with Lord Roberts, has sent what is described as an overwhelming force of infantry to seize Norval's Point. This is where the railway, before it was destroyed, crossed the Orange river and connected with the Free State Trunk line with Bloemfontein. Norval's Point is 19 miles north of Colesburg and 25 miles from General French's headquarters at Rensburg. The Boers at Colesberg have been in danger of being surrounded by the largely reinforced and extending lines of the British. An occupation of Norval's Point in force would presumably render Colesberg untenable.

The Boers are showing great activity in the Naauwpoort and Colesberg districts. Many of the guns hitherto facing Lord Methuen are believed to have gone to Norval's Point. The British, therefore, may find formidable bodies of Boers there.

The war office announces that 15 transports will be dispatched between today and Monday with 13,000 troops, including the Fourth cavalry brigade, militia battalions and 3,000 yeomanry, with 258 horses and six guns. These 13,000 are not included in the 180,000 due to be in South Africa on Feb. 15.

The censorship seems to have completely shut down the correspondents at Sherman's Camp. No dispatch from that point appears in this morning's papers and nothing has been allowed to issue since Sunday evening.

According to a dispatch from Cape Town President Steyn and President Kruger have communicated with Field Marshal Lord Roberts, the British commander-in-chief, protesting against the destruction of farm houses and the devastation of property. Lord Roberts, in replying, declared the charges were not sustained, adding that wanton destruction of property was contrary to British practices. Lord Roberts says further: "I regret to say that it is the Republican forces which are in some cases guilty of carrying on the war in a manner not in accordance with civilized usage. I refer especially to the expulsion of loyal subjects of her majesty from their homes in the invaded districts of this colony because they have refused to be commandeered by the invaders. It is barbarous to attempt to force men to take sides against their own sovereign and country by threats of spoliation and expulsion."

CONGRESSMAN SIBLEY EXCITED.

Declares His Seat Constructively on the Republican Side.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The Democrats of the house continued their assault upon the Philippine policy of the administration during the general debate upon the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill yesterday. Two speeches were made by Democratic members of the foreign affairs committee, Mr. Dinsmore of Arkansas and Mr. Champ Clark of Missouri, opposing the retention of the islands. The speech of Mr. Clark, which lasted almost two hours, was a notable effort, replete with unique epigrams, and attracted much attention.

Mr. Sibley, of Pennsylvania, who was elected as a Democrat, but who made a speech last week defending expansion, was goaded yesterday into the announcement that the Democrats could consider his seat constructively on the Republican side.

NICARAGUA CANAL TREATY.

England Agrees That Our Government Shall Have Absolute Control.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The United States and Great Britain have reached an amicable agreement respecting the operations of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty as affecting the right of construction and control by the United States of the proposed Nicaragua canal. The result marks the termination of conferences between the officials of the state department and Lord Pauncefote of fully a year's duration, during which a number of meetings were held and the subject fully discussed by the representatives of the governments interested. Great Britain agrees to a modification of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, by which she practically relinquishes any claims respecting a dual control of the Nicaragua canal after it shall have been constructed. The result, therefore, is to eliminate that feature of the treaty bearing on the subject of dual control and to leave the United States free to construct and therefore control this great interoceanic waterway. The substitute treaty was formally signed today by Secretary Hay for the United States and Ambassador Pauncefote for Great Britain.

Chicago's Big Building Strike Begins

Chicago, Feb. 6.—At a meeting of the Building Trades council here yesterday labor difficulties reached what is likely to be a crisis. The business agents of the 44 trades and building laborers were ordered to call off the men at work on every building in Chicago. Now the news that the building contractors' council were posted. Already work on 25 of building contracts in Chicago is tied up by the action of the contractors' council, this means that 6,000 men will be ordered to quit. In addition to this number 8,000 carpenters, who are signed, will quit next Saturday. Already 2,000 plumbers are out.

Bullington Not Dangerous in England

Buffalo, Feb. 5.—Bishop Bullington, commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army of America, said at a public meeting yesterday: "I do not believe the sun in Heaven ever shone on a more just war than that of the United States against Spain. But could it be said that the sun ever shone on a more unjust war than the one between Great Britain and the Transvaal? I'm an Englishman by birth and education and with all her faults I have some love for England still. But my respect for her would be deeper and truer had she not entered into this uncalled and unjust war."

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED

Wednesday, Jan. 31.

The Independent Order of Foresters has been placed in the hands of a receiver.

Influenza is rampant in Italy. The queen is suffering slightly from the prevailing disease.

Charles Franklin Dunbar, professor of political economy at Harvard college, died in Cambridge.

The population of Porto Rico is placed in the preliminary enumeration as 957,678. The last census, taken in 1887, showed a population of 806,708.

The electric plant and laboratories of the Bellaire (O.) Steel works were destroyed by fire, and 2,000 men are thrown out of employment temporarily.

During a tornado an express train on the New Foundland railroad was lifted off the track and deposited in a bog some distance away. Fire destroyed the colonial mail for Canada and the United States. Nobody was hurt.

Thursday, Feb. 1.

Porto Rico is to have a delegate in Congress.

Roberts, Mormonite, rejected by congress, talks of suing for salary and mileage.

The Naval Register discloses the fact that Schley precedes Sampson two numbers.

The Republican national committee decides that state conventions should nominate all presidential electors.

House elections committee No. 3, decided in favor of seating Wiss, the contestant, for the Second Virginia congressional district.

Senator Penrose yesterday introduced a bill to make the proceedings of the Grand Army of the Republic a part of the public records of the United States.

Friday, Feb. 2.

David O. Watkins has been appointed United States district attorney, for New Jersey.

Rev. Madison C. Peters, of New York, is to join the Baptist church, as he opposes infant baptism.

Fire in a parochial school in St. Louis resulted in the death of Sister Stanislaus and little Mary Foley.

In Cinmorganshire, Wales, a young woman has married her fifth husband in 18 months, the first four having died.

Julius Schroeter is under arrest in New York, charged with securing loans aggregating $68,000 on forged Virginia bonds.

The Virginia Democratic legislative caucus decided to order a vote on the question of calling a convention to frame a new constitution for the state.

Saturday, Feb. 3.

The vote of trainmen on the Great Northern Pacific railway has averted the anticipated strike on that system.

Mr. Adelbert S. Hay, the United States consul at Pretoria, left Lorenzo Marques yesterday on his way to his post.

George N. Wiswell, of Milwaukee, has been selected as sergeant-at-arms of the Philadelphia Republican convention.

The conference of miners and employers at Indianapolis agreed on a wage scale, thus averting a threatened monster strike.

A partial strike of coal miners has broken out in the Wurm district of Germany, and it is thought this may become general in that locality.

Walter L. Farnsworth, the bigamist, was sentenced at Chicago to five years imprisonment and $1,000 fine, the extreme penalty. He complains that the papers charged him with having 16 wives, while he had "only eight."

Monday, Feb. 5.

William Stanley Ringoltime, the marine artist, died in New York aged 64.

Governor Poynter, of Nebraska, will fight the rich cattlemen's proposal to rent government land to the highest bidders.

Hon. E. J. Phelps, ex-minister to England, ill with pneumonia at New Haven, is recovering.

Mrs. White, wife of the United States ambassador at Berlin, is confined to her bed with influenza.

Rev. Booker Fox, one of the most noted negro evangelists in the west, died yesterday at Ottumwa, Ia., aged 104 years.

Fire in St. Louis destroyed nearly four blocks causing $1,000,000 to $2,000,000 loss. Fireman Charles Mappes was killed.

Arthur Powell, who was candidate for vice president with Bryan, predicts the Nebraskan's renomination and defeat.

In Buenos Ayres Saturday 102 sunstrokes were officially reported, 26 being fatal. The temperature was 120 in the shade.

Tuesday, Feb. 5.

It is reported in Peru that a cabinet crisis is imminent.

South Carolina now ranks second in the cotton mill industry.

The total number of men available for military duty in the United States, but unorganized, is 10,343,150; aggregate.

Rumors of trouble in the Venezuelan cabinet give rise to the fear that another revolution in that much disturbed country is impending.

A wreck on the Western New York and Pennsylvania railroad 15 miles from Buffalo resulted in the death of Engineer A. Cuthbert and serious injuries to Fireman John Conley.

RESCUE FROM FIERY DEATH.

Thrilling Escape of a Family of Nine in Baltimore.

Baltimore, Feb. 6.—A thrilling rescue from certain death of a family of nine persons occurred early in the morning when Mr. Hamburger, his wife and seven children were thrown or jumped from the second story window of their home, 418 North Carroline street. Officer Klinesenberg discovered the house ablaze and when he succeeded in awakening the family escape by the stairway was cut off by the flames. The children, and he and Officer Gill, by helping hands, caught each member of the family as they fell or jumped from the windows. Mr. Hamburger, who was a sound sleeper, says that when he heard the alarm smoke and flames were pouring into the room in which he was sleeping. He rescued his wife, and together they carried seven children from adjoining rooms to the front of the house and dropped them one by one to the officers below. It is almost a miracle that none of the family was killed. The fire was only extinguished by the firemen after the interior of the house and its contents had been practically destroyed.

William E. Cotter Pardoned.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The president has granted a pardon to William E. Cotter, who pleaded guilty in 1898 to the charge of defrauding the National Bank of Delaware at Dover, and was sentenced to 18 months in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of $5,000. The prisoner is afflicted with an incurable disease of the heart, and his life would be endangered by further confinement.

Sunk in a Gale and Two Drowned.

New York, Feb. 6.—The barges Wilson and Mary Tyron were wrecked and sunk in Huntington bay, near Huntington, L. I., yesterday in a heavy northwest gale. The captain of the Wilson, John Finley, and his wife were drowned. Captain J. A. Cromwell, his wife and two small children, of the Mary Tyron, were rescued with difficulty.

The One Day Cold Cure.

For cold in the head and sore throat use Kermott's Chocolates Laxative Quinine, the "One Day Cold Cure."

AN EX-CONSUL'S SECRET

Mr. Macrum Will Keep It For a Few Days Longer.

HAS GONE TO HIS OHIO HOME.

Failed to Meet Secretary Hay and Did Not Feel Inclined to Submit His Message to Assistant Secretary Hill.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Mr. Macrum has come and gone, and the reason for his leaving Pretoria when duty seemed to demand his presence at that capital remains as deep a mystery as ever, and must so remain probably for another week. The ex-consul's appearance was awaited at the state department with interest. Just before noon yesterday Representative Taylor, of whose congressional district Mr. Macrum is a resident, called at the department and spent some time in conference with Assistant Secretary Hill, and was followed late in the afternoon by Mr. Macrum, who came alone. Secretary Hay, who had an exhausting day, had gone, so the ex-consul was obliged to pay his respects to Dr. Hill. His stay was short, about 20 minutes perhaps, and he left Dr. Hill as much in the dark as he had been before as to Mr. Macrum's motive for leaving Pretoria. Nor did it develop whether or not Mr. Macrum was the bearer of any message from Kruger. He did not mention the subject to Dr. Hill.

Mr. Macrum said nothing as to his reasons for appearing in Washington, but asked that he be permitted to go to his home in East Liverpool, O., for a few days to attend to some matters of business which were pressing, and to rest. Dr. Hill had no objection, and Macrum left for Ohio last night. He promised to be back here soon, perhaps before the end of the present week, and said he then would make a formal report to the state department.

As he left the state department Mr. Macrum assured the newspaper men, who stepped him, if he had any statement at all to make to the press (and he was not sure that he would) he probably would make it public upon his return to Washington. Some of the persons here who are familiar with his appearance when he first went out to the Transvaal said that he looked very much broken and lacked the vim that formerly characterized him.

A GIRL'S AWFUL SUICIDE

Only Fifteen Years Old. Her Father Opposed Her Choice.

Albany, Feb. 6.—Kate Farone, an Italian girl, 15 years old, committed suicide in a horrible manner at Mechanicsville Sunday because her father forbade her to marry Michael Ricceo. She had two lovers, Ricceo and Francesco Cervera. The two were at the house Sunday, and a heated argument ensued. Suddenly the girl broke away and ran upstairs. A few moments after a shot was heard, and on running to the girl's room she was found dead. She had killed herself with a shotgun owned by Cervera. She had seated herself on the floor, raised the hammer of one of the barrels and placed the muzzle of the weapon against her abdomen. Then she had hooked the ringed end of a poker over the trigger and exploded the gun, sending a charge of bird shot through her body. The internal injuries were frightful. The casing enclosing the heart was ruptured, and pieces of corset steel were driven nearly through the body.

Porto Rico Policeman Shot American

Ponce, Porto Rico, Feb. 6.—During a band concert on the plaza Sunday evening native policemen arrested Joseph S. Bigelow, Jr., of Boston, on account of leading a dog. At the jail, it is alleged, the native police made an attack on Bigelow, who was entirely unarmed. Finally Policeman Angel Arismendi shot Bigelow in the cheek, and then fled. The guards permitted him to escape, but stopped Felix A. McCarthy, an American, who was hotly pursuing Arismendi. Resident Americans are excited over the affair, and claim that there have been other cases of reckless and needless shooting on the part of the policemen. Arismendi and Chief of Police Simonpetri were arrested yesterday.

To Prevent Railroad Wars.

New York, Feb. 6.—The Herald says: It is the plan of Pennsylvania railroad and their allies, as represented by President A. J. Cassatt, to obtain a voice in the management of the Norfolk and Western railway. This is a part of the general Vanderbilt-Pennsylvania's scheme which has for its object an alliance of all the railroads of the east having seaboard terminals, whereby the eastern rate situation will be so securely held in the hands of the dominant interests that railroad wars will be impossible.

Mrs. Blake's Ambition.

New York, Dec. 6.—Mrs. Lillie Devereaux Blake last night announced her candidacy for the presidency of the National Woman Suffrage association at the national convention of the association, which meets on Thursday at Washington. There have been only two elections in the association since it was founded in 1869, the election of Elizabeth Cady Stanton as the first president, and the endorsement of Miss Anthony, who had been acting as president for a long time and was chosen without any opposition.

Congressman Boutelle Nearly Well.

Bangor, Me., Feb. 6.—A letter received yesterday by the friends of Congressman Boutelle convey the information that the physicians say his improvement has been so marked that he will be able to leave the sanitarium in a few weeks, entirely recovered.

Two Treaties Ratified.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The senate in executive session ratified The Hague peace treaty, also the extradition treaty with Argentine Republic. Both were adopted without objection or division.

THE PRODUCE MARKETS.

Philadelphia, Feb. 5.—Flour in light demand; winter superfine, $2.20@2.50; Pennsylvania roller, clear, $3.10@3.20; city mills, extra, $2.50@2.70. Rye flour quiet and steady at $3.15@3.20 per barrel. Wheat steady; No. 2 red, spot, in elevator, 71@72c. Corn steady; No. 2 mixed, spot, in elevator, 38@38½c; No. 2 yellow, spot, in elevator, 40@40½c. Oats sold fairly; No. 2 white, clipped, 31½@32c.; lower grades, 28@30c. Hay firm; choice timothy $16.50 for large bales. Beef firm; beef hams, $20@22.50. Pork firm; family, $19@19.50. Lard firm; western steamed, $8.25. Butter firmer; western creamery, 21@26c.; do. factory, 19@20c.; June creamery, 19@23c.; imitation creamery, 18@22c.; New York dairy, 19@22c.; do. creamery, 24@26c.; fancy Pennsylvania prints jobbing at 27@30c., do. in wholesale lots, 28c. Cheese steady; fall made, large, 12@12½c.; small, 12¾@13c.; late made, large, 11@12c.; do. do., small, 12@12½c. Eggs steady; New York and Pennsylvania, 17c.; western, ungraded, at mark, 16@16½c.; western, fresh, 17c. Potatoes steady; Jersey, $1.25@1.62½; New York, $1.50@1.75; Long Island, $1.50@2; Jersey sweets, $2.25@2.50; Yellow Nansemond, $2.50@2.75; city, 50@60c.; country, 50@60c. Cottonseed oil steady.

Mr. H. E. Swift, the well known representative of J. N. Murdoch, Wholesale Druggist, of Parkersburg, W. Va., says:

"I was completely laid up with Cholera Morbus. Bought a bottle of Kermott's Est. Black Berry and was completely cured with one dose. Would not be without it if it cost me $5 on a long trip and hard to get. Kermott's Est. Blackberry is the best medicine on the market for Summer Complaint, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, etc."

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and the hundred and one similar ills caused by impure blood or inactive liver, quickly yield to the purifying and cleansing properties contained in

Johnston's Sarsaparilla

QUART BOTTLE.

It cures permanently by acting naturally on all organs of the body. As a blood-cleanser, flesh-builder, and health-restorer, it has no equal. Put us in Quart Bottles, and sold at $1 each.

"THE MICHIGAN DRUG COMPANY," Detroit, Mich.

Take Liverettes for Liver Ills. 25c.

VIRGINIA:—In the circuit court for the county of Accomack, in the Vacation of the said court, the 15th day of January, A. D., 1900.

Samuel K. Dennis,...Plaintiff,
against
Edward D. Pitts, H. Spencer Pitts, Barton Pitts, Maria R. Pitts, Mary Grannan, Lucie Bowen, Lit. P. Dennis, Charlotte Dennis, J. Upshur Dennis, Mrs. Arlington Moore, M. Louise Dennis, George R. Dennis, Ellen D. Jones, Rose D. Ache, James U. Dennis (of Geo. R.), Esther H. Briscoe, Virginia D. Page, James U. Dennis, Emmerson Dennis, Arthur C. Dennis, Alfred P. Dennis; Jane D. McMaster, Ethelinde C. Dennis, Mary H. Dennis, Henry P. Dennis and Philip C. Dennis,—the last three named being infants under the age of twenty-one years,.....Defendants.
In Chancery.

The object of this suit is to sell for purposes of partition a lot of land at Franklin city, Accomack county, Virginia, belonging to the heirs of Edwin E. Dennis deceased.

Affidavit having been made before the clerk of the said court, that H. Spencer Pitts, Barton Pitts, Maria R. Pitts, Mary Grannan, Lucie Bowen, Lit. P. Dennis, Charlotte Dennis, J. Upshur Dennis, Mrs. Arlington Moore, M. Louise Dennis, George R. Dennis, Ellen D. Jones, Rose D. Ache, James U. Dennis (of Geo. R.), Esther H. Briscoe, Virginia D. Page, James U. Dennis, Arthur C. Dennis, Alfred P. Dennis, Jane D. McMaster, Ethelinde C. Dennis, Mary H. Dennis, Henry P. Dennis and Philip C. Dennis, defendants in the above entitled cause, are non-residents of the State of Virginia, on motion of the plaintiff, by his attorney, it is ordered that they, the said non-resident defendants, do appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests; and that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the "Peninsula Enterprise", a newspaper published at Accomack C. H., Virginia, and also posted at the front door of the courthouse of the said county on the first day of the next term of the county court of the said county.

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James H. Fletcher, Jr., p. q.

VIRGINIA:—In the circuit court for the county of Accomack, in the Vacation of the said court, the 15th day of January, A. D., 1900.

Leonard C. Mears, survivor of himself and B. W. Mears, late partners trading under the style and firm name of B. W. Mears & Son,.....Plaintiff,
against
Alfred Trower,.....Defendant
In Chancery

and upon an Attachment returned 'Levied' and 'Executed.'

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree against the defendant for the recovery of thirty-six dollars and thirty-six cents ($36.36), (due by open account), with interest thereon from the 1st day of January, A. D., 1892, till paid, and the costs of this suit, and to subject, for the payment thereof, the undivided one-fifth interest of the defendant, in a certain tract or parcel of land, situated near Keller, Accomack county, Virginia, containing twenty-eight and one-half acres (28½ A.), more or less, and bounded on the North by the Keller-Fair Oaks county road, on the East by the lands of Appie Mapp and Harvey Marston, on the South by the lands of the heirs of John R. Downing, deceased, and the heirs of Katy Phillips, deceased, and on the West, by the lands of Wm. T. Killmon.

Affidavit having been made before the clerk of the said court, that the defendant in the above entitled cause, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, on the motion of the plaintiff, by his attorneys, it is ordered that he, the said non-resident defendant, do appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interests; and that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the "Peninsula Enterprise," a newspaper published at Accomack C. H., Virginia, and also posted at the front door of the courthouse of the said county on the first day of the next term of the county court of the said county.

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King's Creek	6 40	12 10	1 25
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Eden	12 06		
Loretto	†12 11		
Princess Anne	12 20	3 37	2 23
King's Creek	12 30	3 40	2 34
Costen	12 55	3 43	2 44
Pocomoke	1 00	3 53	2 47
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