NEWS OF A WEEK IN CONDENSED FORM

RECORD OF MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS TOLD IN BRIEFEST MANNER POSSIBLE.

HOME AND ABROAD

Happenings That Are Making History Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Globe and Given in a Few Lines.

WASHINGTON NEWS. The senate voted to raise the house rate on print paper from two to four

dollars a ton William Lorimer, the new senator from Illinois, was sworn into office and cast his first vote on the tariff schedule on paper.

More than two hours and a half was taken up by the Taft cabinet discussing economy of administration in

the government departments. President Taft sent a message to congress urging a tax on the undis-

tributed earnings of corporations. Senator Borah announced in the senate that he will vote, when the opportunity comes, to give self government to the Philippines.

Henry George, Jr., is the guest of Count Leo Toistol at Yasnai-Pollana. The count welcomed his visitor most cordially on account of his father, whose economic ideas he admires greatly.

Rev. U. G. Pierce, D. D., pastor of All Soul's Unitarian church of Washington, was designated by a senate resolution to act as chaplain until otherwise ordered.

Former President Roosevelt in an article in the Outlook compared the rule of the corporations with that of a bloodthirsty mob.

Justice Mills in the New York supreme court postponed the hearing on Harry K. Thaw's application for release from the insane asylum at Matteawan until July 6.

Charles W. Morse, the convicted New York banker and former "ice king," was freed from jail on a \$125,-000 bond.

Raiph Shull, a wealthy lumberman of Minneapolis, is going to the workhouse for five days for exceeding the

automobile speed limit. Charles W. Fairbanks, former vice president of the United States, was entertained in elaborate fashion by the governor of Kyoto, Japan. He was driven to his hotel in the governor's carriage.

Former Judge Abner Smith of Chicago is now librarian at the Jollet penitentiary, where he was sent for bank wrecking.

Francis E. Leupp resigned as indian commissioner and President Taft appointed Robert G. Valentine to fill the place.

GENERAL NEWS.

Ten persons were killed and 40 injured in a head-on collision of two trolley cars on the Chicago, Lake Shore & South Bend railroad at Baileytown, Ind.

The jury in the case of Patrick Calhoun, the San Francisco millionaire, failed to agree and was discharged. the trial having lasted five months

The police of the whole world have been asked to aid in capturing Leon Ling, the Chinese slayer of Elsie Sigel, granddaughter of Gen. Franz Sigel of New York.

The race for big cars in the Crown Point (Ind.) events was won by Louis Chevrolet in a Bruick auto.

Emil Tilley, who killed his father near Benton Harbor, Mich., said he fired to save himself and wife who had been attacked by his parent with

Mrs. Bruce Moore, wife of a farmer near Platte City, Mo., saw her hus band shot down in cold blood by George Johnson, a farm hand.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Burnham, who were married in Pittsfield, Mass spent the first three hours of their honeymoon in a balloon.

The main factory building of the G. B. Lewis Company, manufacturers of beekeepers' supplies at Watertown, Wis., was destroyed by fire, causing

\$80,000 damage. The American branch of the International Banking Company was opened in Peking.

A man who gave the name of F W. Marvin and believed to be the fifth man wanted for alleged connec tion with the Union Pacific mail robbery near Omaha on May 22, has been arrested at Buhl, Idaho.

Celebration of the twentieth anniversary of statehood was held in Aberdeen, S. D.

Edward Arnold, two years old, was playing in front of the house from which deputy sheriffs were evicting his parents in Far Rockaway, N. Y., when he was killed by an ice wagon.

Mrs. Howard Gould covered her face with her hands and sobbed when witnesses at the trial of her separation suit told of her profanity and intoxication.

wrecked at Waverly N. Y., and sev eral passengers painfully injured. Wilbur and Orville Wright were

nonored at a big fete in their home The United Norwegian Lutheran church, in convention at Des Moines, la., voted to raise \$1,000,000 for a cele bration of their twenty-fifth anniver-

The North American Skat league at its meeting in Milwaukee elected J. Charles Eichhorn of Detroit president and selected Detroit as the next meet-

The Stanley G. Flagg Iron works at Stowe, Pa., announced a ten per cent. increase in wages.

A report was received in Tangier

that the government troops had been defeated in a battle with insurgents under the leadership of Roghi. Pettinio Galbo and Orazio Rumfola

alleged leaders of the "Black Hand" society, were arrested in Pittsburg.

Engineer Davis of Kingston was killed at Mount Pocono. Pa., on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad by his head striking the platform hood of a freight depot as he leaned from his cab.

The Russian military transport Ingul has been wrecked in Turpsay bay, in the Black sea.

The sixty-fifth annual meeting of the American Institute of Homeopathy opened in Detroit with a large attend-

The Michigan State Association of Letter Carriers met in yearly convention at Benton Harbor.

Joe Matson, driving the Chalmers Detroit machine in the small car race at Crown Proint, Ind., won the contest in which 16 autos competed.

Medals awarded by the nation, the state of Ohio and the city of Dayton were presented to the Wright brothers for their aerial achievements.

Testimony showing that Mrs. How ard Gould often was visited by Dustin Farnum, an actor, was given by witnesses.

The trial of Patrick Calhoun, the San Francisco millionaire charged with bribery, came to a close after six

Albert Munro and his bride of a week were found dead at Williamsport, Pa., and are believed to have been the victims of poisoned candy.

James D. Hallen was placed on trial in New York charged with defrauding the Nicaraguan government by shipping sawdust in boxes supposed to contain ammunition.

Council for Broughton Brandenburg admitted that the signature attached to the article purported to have been written by Grover Cleveland was not

Mrs. Emma Kaufmann, wife of a wealthy brewer of Flandreau, S. D., who was charged with killing her maid, was found guilty of battery and fined \$100, which was paid.

The Swedish consul in New York in a dispatch to the government emphasizes the unwisdom of Swedes emigrating to America, where, he declares, times are bad at present.

Bishop Bonacum and two priests angry mob when they went there to take charge of a church over which has no ration car attached. there has been a feud for several years.

Great Britain has asked America not to press her claim for participation in the Hankow-Szechuen railroad loan of \$27,500,000, which British, German and French bankers stand ready to take up.

The French budget for 1910 was introduced in the chamber of deputies by Finance Minister Caillaux and shows a deficit of \$21,000,000. Nine million dollars of this is charged to

the budget of 1911. While guarding the royal yacht on British steamer and wounded the en-

Charles F. Leininger was killed and wo other men shot by an actor who had been attacked by several persons at Fairfield, Ill., because of his at

tentions to one of the young women of the town. Hearing of testimony in the case of Private Klein, of a Chicago militis company, who killed Earl Nelson, a

Kankakee boy with a bayonet, began at Paxton, Ill. Thomas J. McCoy, former banker and politician of Laporte, Ind., was released from the state penitentiary where he served three years for em-

bezzlement.

Levi Yoder, of Massilon, O., killed himself rather than comply with the provisions of his mother's will, which required him to wear hooks and eyes instead of buttons on his clothes. Gov. Harmon and staff reviewed the

parade of the Ohio G. A. R. veterans on the closing day of their encamp ment at Newark. Ralph de Palma broke the automo

bile speed record for 25 miles, making the distance in 23 minutes and 3! seconds at Readville, Mass. George C. White, William Kilgan non, and the latter's wife, Elizabeth

Kilgannon, pleaded gullty in the United States circuit court in New York to indictments charging then with smuggling. In a fire in a five-story tenemen

house in Cincinnati, the 100 panic stricken occupants were saved by daring rescues by firemen. Fourteen hat manufacturing firms

Connecticut were sued for \$364,000 damages by the Amalgamated Hat Manufacturers of New York, as a result of the recent strike.

Servants and former employes of Mrs. Howard Gould told of seeing her frequently intoxicated.

The Illinois supreme court declared the state's primary election law un constitutional. "Mother" Jones, who seeks a par

don for a man who violated the neu trality laws, made an appeal to Pres ident Taft in the prisoner's behalf. A report by department of agricul ture experts says tuberculosis among hogs in the United States is increas-

Senator Elkins declared his daugh ter, Miss Katherine, is going to Europe because of an affection of the

SWAPPING WIVES; **AMONG RURALISTS**

A MOST REMARKABLE STATE OF AFFAIRS IN LANSING TOWNSHIP.

A NEW POPULAR PASTIME

Sheriff Probing a Horse Stealing Charge Finds a Condition of Home Life That is Startling.

Trading wives is a pastime said to have been indulged in by Lansing township citizens. Not entirely satisfied with his matrimonial ventures, and looking upon the wife of an ac quaintance with envious eyes, one young farmer is said to have made a proposal to "swap" wives. There was a difference of opinion regarding the comparative value of the women, but after considerable "dickering" the deal was completed, one man giving an ax handle "to boot," according to information gained by the sheriff's department during a recent investiga

While probing a charge of horse stealing recently, a miniature grand jury was conducted in Justice Crowley's court at East Lansing at the suggestion of Sheriff Cline. Several witnesses were sworn during the secret session and one of the women called to testify is said to have told of the wife trade.

Other unusual acts by Lansing township citizens are said to have een divulged, and when the sheriff's force completes its probe, some interesting developments are expected.

Doing Real Auditing. Padding expense accounts is a form of petty grafting with which the state board of auditors has been greatly bothered and some men well known all over the state are said to have received notice that their exvouchers contained items pense: which the board would not allow. It is even said that some circuit judges have, by mistake or otherwise, turned in accounts which have been disal-

One means taken by the board to ascertain whether the state is secur- Michigan laid the cornerstone of the have diners and parlor cars attached, ation of \$60,000. and what are the rates of hotels. This makes it rather embarrassing for a state employe who turns in a bill for \$3.50 a day for staying at a at the Soo, after being out 28 hotel which the board knows has no for a meal on a diner when the train

"We are not starting in to cause any trouble for any one," says one ember of the board, "but we are not going to allow padded expense accounts if we can help it, and this is a word of warning."

A Prisoner's Hope. If the efforts now making in behalf of Dan Jones, who has been serving 25 years in the house of correction at Detroit, are successful, he will be released from prison, where he was sentenced for the alleged murder of his cousin, Bill Jones, at Fort Smith, Ark. Representative Cravens, of Arwhich the czar and the German em | kansas, says: "At the time of the conissian torpedo boat fired upon a from the verdict of the United States court at Fort Smith, and Jones was sent to prison in spite of newly discovered evidence that he was inno-

Lunatic On a Rampage.

An unknown farmer, about 20 years old, who cannot speak a word of English, ran amuck with two revolvers in Bennington township Thursday evening and was run down in Bath by a deputy sheriff in an automobile, after a desperate chase, and taken to Lan-sing, where he is now in the lockup.

Sheriff Watson received a telephone message that an apparently crazy man was shooting stock on the Hubbard farm. He dispatched Deputy Brown there in an automobile, When in sight of the place the officer counted two dead calves and four dead sheep, the man's victims. He heard a wild whoop and in the distance spied his quarry. Then he began a mad chase after the man down the road in the car. The man proved to be a wonderful sprinter and several times fired his revolvers back at the auto. Finally the fugitive cut across the fields to Bath and the deputs had to abandon his auto and pursue on foot. There the man was cornered. but would not give in. He appears to be a Bohemian, but no one knows where he lives or can get a word out of him that they can understand

Man Cut In Two

Rutherford B. M. Matheson, aged to, of Blaine, was run over and cut in two by a Pere Marquette train Thursday afternoon. The body was Thursday afternoon. The body was brought to a Port Huron morgue. He was identified by letters in his pocket, one being from Miss Carrie Cooley. 142 Lyman place, Detroit. The writer said that she preferred Detroit to the country and hoped to be allowed to see Matheson in the near future. Matheson had no relatives in Blaine, but was well known and had many but was well known and had many friends.

to the police that two men with whom he had become acquainted at a Grand Rapids saloon, had robbed him of a sum of money, and then locked him in sum of money, and then locked him in a box car. He says that he cut his way out of the car with a jackknife. | which show the immediate effect clause missing, and Gov. Warner says it was not on the bill he signed. With way out of the car with a jackknife. Miss Fleda Hart, a teacher, received the greatest number of votes in the contest held in Bath, Mich., to choose a representative at the centennial cele bration to be held in July at Bath, England. The citizens of that city pay all the expenses of a young woman from every town named Bath in the world, to attend the celebration.

The M. A. C. Trouble.

There will be no strike on the part of the senior class at the Agricultural from Chesterton, Ind., 15 men were college because of the expulsion of killed and at least a dozen men and students for various offenses. There had been threats made that if the expulsions were not withdrawn and the students reinstated, the whole class would boycott the commencement exercises, thus bringing down on the college much unwelcome notoriety.

The principal development in the rouble was the arrest of two students charged with the theft of a large number of cartridges from the college armory. Some 20,000 cartridges disappeared from the armory, and though the college authorities were very much worked up over the matter, they refused to start any criminal rosecutions on account therof.

Saturday, however, warrants were ssued for Fay Dockery and J. E. Brand, charging them with larceny. The complaint on which the warrants were issued was signed by one of the deputy sheriffs who investigated When arraigned in justice court both boys pleaded guilty, giving the excuse that they had "done it for fun." They were fined \$15 and \$11.75 They were fined \$15 and \$11.75 costs each and discharged. Dockery is from Traverse City and Brand from Corunna.

In Pitiable Condition. Frank J. Shields, who had been missing from his home in Muskegon four days, was found wandering about the woods in the northern part of the county Monday night. His clothing was in rags and he was in a pitiable

condition from hunger and exhaustion. Sheriff Nelson and a posse and nany of Shields' relatives and friends have conducted a systematic search of the county since the man, being affected by a recent severe illness. wandered away from his home. His family, who had just about given up hope of ever seeing him alive again, have asked that he be kept under surveillance until his sanity can be de termined

MICHIGAN BREVITIES.

The horse show at the Michigan State fair will this year surpass all previous exhibits.

One day of the Rochester home-com ing will be set apart for the celebrawhich was organized 19 years ago. The grand lodge of Masons of

ing value received is through the new federal building in Niles Friday. work of a clerk whose business it is It was for this building that Congress to ascertain what passenger trains man Hamilton obtained an appropri-The jury in the case of Corpora John Glbson. charged with killing

Sergt. John McManus, at Fort Brady were driven from Ulysses, Neb., by an rate higher than \$1.50, or for \$1.25 agree, and there will be a new trial. Because Marshal Adams, of Read ing, locked him up without a warrant on suspicion of knowing something of the disappearance of Miss Carrie Hug

gett, Cleveland R. Slausen, a minor

has brought suit for \$2,000 damages against the officer. Mrs. Mae Butler Deaman, the wo man charged with attempting to polson her young son by sending him strychnine through the mail, was ac quitted by a jury in Hersey Friday The woman had been in jall since March 2. The jury was out just 15

Four persons who had been released on probation by Judge Mayne, of Traverse City, after being convicted of different offenses, presented such peror were holding a conference, a viction of Jones there was no appeal good reports that the judge announced that at least 25 per cent of the peo ple now in prison should be at liberty under that system.

A tombstone bearing a portrait of his prize-winning horse, Earl W., will be erected over the grave of Dr. A. E. McBeth, late president of the Battle Creek council and a prominent horse-man. McBeth died of brain trouble following an exciting experience at the Lansing circuit races a few days

The jury in the case of Mrs. Cora Hart, of Clinton county, against Ira Butterfield, a wealthy Shiawassee county farmer, returned a verdict of no cause of action. The woman sued for \$5,000 damages, claiming that the defendant attempted to assault her in her home in 1907. The case has been

in the courts ever since. The Cooper tragedy, in which Mrs. Emma Cooper was thought to have killed her husband and three children and then herself, was recalled in Cadiliac when Ira Cooper, administrator of the estate, petitioned the probate court for permission to sell the property. estate will probably be divided equally among the heirs.

Mrs. Hannah Tunnsmore, 60, who conducted a rooming house in Grand Rapids, killed herself while despondent because of a recent separation from her husband by turning on the gas in the bathroom. She had removed the top of the jet to insure a large flow of the gas. Mrs. Tunnsmore had her household goods packed and intended leaving for Libertyville, Ind., to live with her son.

Crooks and hoboes are becoming numerous in Big Rapids, and officers attribute the fact to Mecosta county being an oasis among the dry coun-ties. Sheriff Henderson has put a bunch of them to work on the courtuse grounds. They were sentenced to serve periods varying from 5 to 25 days in an effort to break up the gang, who are troublesome and are osed to have been implicated in an attempted hold-up.

Though Rep. Verdier quotes from the house and senate journals to show given immediate effect, Speaker Camp bell has enrolled copies of the bill which show the immediate effect this doubt in mind the attorney gen-eral says the bill will not take effect

until the 90-day limit has expired. Because competent workmen could not be secured, the pure food factory at Oxford is closed down for an in-definite period. However, it is hoped sufficient workmen will be secured

According to the latest information women injured in a head-on collision Saturday night between two heavy cars of the South Shore Electric railway, at Samuel's Crossing, Ind., a few miles from Chesterton. The accident occurred shortly after 9 o'clock. westbound car was coming at high speed down a long hill, which is formed by the elevated structure under which the Lake Shore railroad tracks pass. The car was well filled. At the foot of the hill it met an eastbound car, also going at a terrific

The cars were buried in each other and smashed and splintered, while their occupants were crushed in the The motorman of the westbound car was killed, while the motorman of the eastbound car put on his brakes and jumped.

The passengers were farmers and residents of Porter and Michigan City. It was hours before all the bodies could be extricated. The injured were taken to farmhouses, and rushed on special cars to South Bend and nearby

Reyes Abandons Office. Advices received from Cartagena, confirm previous reports that Gen. Rafael Reyes, president of Colombia, has abandoned office and sailed for Europe. He embarked on a small fruit steamer at Santa Marta fast Sunday, according to the information received at Cartagena Monday It is believed the steamer is one of the Elder-Dempster line, bound

direct for Southampton. The Cartagena advices state that the president's trip to Europe is known and approved by Gen. Jorge Holgula, the president-designate, and ministry, and that it is Gen. Reves's intention to return for the meeting of congress on July 20. If a majority of his countrymen so desire or in case of a disturbance of the peace, which is considered a remote possibility.

MICHIGAN ITEMS.

Roger Huntington and Fern Valkman, of Waterloo, Ia., were passengers on a Michigan Central train Wednesday. They stopped over one train in Kalamazoo and were married by Rev. D. C. Osborne. The young man had proposed while the train was running into the city and the couple decided to

Thirty men of Co. L. of Ann Arbor Thursday afternoon, ambushed Troop A, of Detroit, which was marching overland to the Kalamazoo encampment of the G. A. R., and according to the umpire of the sham battle almost wiped out the Detroiters. The cavalry camped in Ann Arbor Thurs day night.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit.—Cattle—Dryfed steers and heifers, \$6@6.25; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200, \$4.75@5.25; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000, \$4@4.75; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700, \$4@4.50; choice fat cows \$4.25; good fat cows, \$2.75@4; common cows, \$3@3.25; canners, \$2@2.25; choice heavy bulls, \$4.04.25; fair to good bolognas, bulls, \$2.75@4; stock bulls, \$3.50; choice feeding steers, \$00 to 1,000, \$4.25@4.75; fair feeding steers, \$00 to 1,000, \$4.25@4.75; fair stockers, 500 to 700, \$4.04.25; fair stockers, 500 to 700, \$3.50@3.75; stock heifers, \$2.50@4; milkers, \$2.50@3.75; stock heifers, \$2.50@4; calves—Market steady; best, \$7.60; others, \$4.26.50; milch cows and @7.50; others, \$4@6.50; milch cows

@7.50; others, \$4@6.50; milch cows and springers, steady.
Sheep and lambs—Market steady: best lambs, \$7; fair to good lambs, \$4@5.50; light to common lambs, \$4.9\$ \$4.50; spring lambs, \$7.50@8.50; fair to good sheep, \$4@4.50; culls and common, \$1.50 to \$3.25.

Hogs—Market 5c to 10c higher for good grades; grassers and pigs steady.
Range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$7.75@8; pigs, \$6.75; light yorkers, \$7.07.50; grassers, \$7.07.50; stags, 1-3 off.

East Buffalo—Cattle—The market was about steady on the best dry-fed kind and from 10c to 15c lower on all other kinds. Stockers and feeders steady. Fresh cows and springers \$1 to \$5 per head lower: best export steers. \$6.75@7; best 1.200 to 1.300-lb. shipping steers. \$6.75@6.50; best 1.000 to 1.100-lb. shipping steers. \$6.606.10; light butcher steers. \$5.50@5.75; best fat cows. \$4.75@5; fair to good \$4@4.25; trimmers. \$2.50@3; best fat helfers. \$5.75@6; light fat helfers. \$4.50@5; best fat helfers. \$5.75@6; light fat helfers. \$4.50@4.75; best feeding steers. \$4.50@4.75; best stockers. \$4.25@4.50; common stockers. \$3.50@4; best bulls. \$4.75@5; bologna bulls. \$4@4.50; best fresh cows and springers. \$40@50; medium. \$30@40; common. \$25.60.50; best fresh cows and springers. \$40.00; best fresh cows and springers. \$40.00; best porkers. \$7.60@7.55; light. \$7.50@7.60; pigs. \$7.67.10; roughs. \$6.75@6.55. Shost Market strong; heavy. \$8.67.10; roughs. \$6.75@6.55. Shost Market strong; heavy. \$8.60@4.75. Calves stendy; best \$7.50@7.75; fair to good. \$6.50@4.75. Calves stendy; best \$7.50@7.75; fair to good. \$6.50@7.75; fair to go

Grain. Etc. Detroit.—Wheat.—Cash No. 2 red. \$1.49: Jr by opened 4c higher at \$1.16\footnote{1.16}\footnote{1

Corn—Cash No. 3, 764c; No. 3 yellow 1 car at 774c. 1 at 77c, closing at 774c.

Onts—Cash No. 3 white, 51c asked; Sentember, 45c.
Rye—Cash No. 2, 92c.
Reans—Cash No. 25c.
Cloverseed—Frime October, \$2.05.
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March 100 bases at \$7.
Feed—In 100-1b sacks, jobbing lots; Bran, \$29; coarse middlings, \$30; fine middlings, \$31; cracked corn, \$32; coarse cornmen, \$31; corn and oat choe, \$30 per ton.
Flour—Best Michigan patent, \$7.10; ordinary patent, \$4.55; clear, \$6.76; pure rye, \$5 per bbl. in wood, jobbing lots.

Huron for complicity in a recent holdup case there, Monday was sentenced to spend from two to 15 years in the Ionia reformatory. Leonard Hults, of Vermontville pleaded guilty to deserting his wife and family, and was sentenced to from

Joseph McDonald, arrested in Port

one to three years, with the recon mendation of two, in Jackson prison.
This was Hults' second offense. He
was given the alternative of furnishing a bond of \$2,000 to guarantee that
he would support his family, but he
was unable to get a surety.

LOVED CONVERTED

MISS ELSIE SIGEL, VICTIM OF CHINAMAN WHOM SHE CONVERTED.

BODY FOUND IN A TRUNK

Young Lady Had Associated With the Mongolian and a Horror is the Re sult of It.

The body of Miss Elsie Sigel, the 20-year-old daughter of Paul Sigel, a clerk employed in the New York board of health, and a son of Gen. Franz Sigel, the late civil war veteran and former comptroller of the city of New York, was found Saturday evening crammed into a trunk in the room occupied by a young educated Chinaman of the Sunday school type at 782 Eighth avenue. It was so badly decomposed as to be unrecognizable but a locket and bracelet found upor it were identified by Mrs. Sigel as the property of her daughter. The Chinaman disappeared from his lodg ing place a week ago, and it was the coroner's opinion that the body had been in the trunk fully that length

William L. Leon, the young China man who occupied the room, was well known in missionary circles in the He was frequently seen with Miss Sigel. Miss Sigel disappeared

from her home, June 9. Around the neck of the young wo man was a spangle, apparently a college or high school pin, bearing the initials E. C. S. Mr. Sigel examined this spangle first and said that he could not recall that his daughter had ever had one like it. looked at the body and went away declaring that it was not that of his

daughter. The police, however, insisted on send ing the spangle and a bracelet to Mr. Sigel's home and having the mother of the girl examine it. She identified

both articles. According to the story which Mr. Sigel told the police his daughter gave warning when she left home on June 9. On the 12th, however, he received a telegram from Washington bearing his daughter's name. telegram, so the police say, read as follows:

"Will be bome Sunday evening. Don't worry.-Elsie." Both Mr. Sigel's wife and her daughter were interested in missionary work among the Chinese. It was through work of this sort that Miss Sigel met Leon. The police said that there was a picture of the missing Chinaman in the Sigel home. One or two persons informed the detectives that they had seen Miss Sigel with the Chinaman at the theater about a

week ago. Her letters to "Dearest Lim," to gether with affectionate or imploring notes from another white woman who signed herself "Nellie," and packets picture postcards from a dozen white women, were found in the room of the Chinaman.

Some of the letters were undated. Others went back to the spring of 1907. Still others had been written within a few weeks. All of them were signed simply Elsie, but they contain ed allusions that left no doubt as to identity of the girl who wrote them. A few of the longer ones reproached

that loved him, but many held no hint that she doubted the Chinaman's affection. On the contrary, they glowed warmly with assurances of her own devotion. There was not a word or a syllable in one of them which might point

the way to understanding how Elsie

Sigel came to her death in the low-

ceiled grimy room above the chop The police heads studied these let ters for hours, then, under straight orders from Commissioner Bingham, refused to allow them to be printed. Take it any way you like, said one in authority at headquarters, it was not a pleasant story and no reason ap peared why Elsie Sigel's letters to the queueless missioner should be spread in public. It was sufficient to say that she was in love with the yellow man and that their intimacy had been

Speedy solution of the mystery the revolting death of Elsie Sigel is looked for as a result of the arrest of two Chinamen believed to be Leon Ling, or William Leon, as he was also known, and Chung Sin, his associate, the first at Schenectady and the other

Ray Lamphere Dying.

near Amsterdam, N. Y., Monday.

thought of food grew distasteful, with In response to a letter from her brother, Ray Lamphere, Mrs. Finley hurried to the Michigan City, Ind. prison to see the prisoner notorious through his association with Mrs. Gunness, the arch-murdress, for burning of whose home Lamphere was

Lamphere in his letter said he re-cently had suffered four hemorrhages and believed death was imminent. This belief was confirmed in the mind of Mrs. Finley by the refusal of the prison authorities to allow her to visit her brother in the hospital ward.

Despite her pleadings the deputy warden was obdurate, replying: "Lamphere is extremely low and cannot

Buy German Guns.

While viewing with disfavor the ac

tion of the Cuban government in con tracting for arms and ammunition with a German firm, without oper competition, thus shutting out American bidders, it is said that no direct demand has been made by the state department to have the contract held up. General instructions have tive in Havana looking to calling the attention of Cuba to the matter, so that American merchants may enjoy equal privileges with foreigners in competing for public business

WOMEN SUFFER NEEDLESSLY

Many Mysterious Aches and Pains Are Easily Cured.

Backache, pain through the hips, dizzy spells, headaches, nervousness, bloating, etc., are troubles that commonly come from sick kidneys. Don't mistake the cause Doan's Kidney Pills have cured thousands of women afflicted in this way-

by curing the kidneys. Mrs. C. R. Foresman, 113 S. Eighth St., Canon City, Colo., says: Three years I suffered with rheumatism, dropsy and kidney complaint, and became utterly helpless. I found relief after using two or three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills and kept on until cured. Doan's Kidney Pills have

been a blessing to me." Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box, Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

WERE BOTH OF MIXED BLOOD

Points of Resemblance Between Englishman and Gowboy, as the Latter Understood It.

"The countess de Pourtales was a New York Lorillard," said a New York tobacconist. "So on both sides, of course, she has blue blood. Yet she is

without false pride. "At a recent tobacco men's convention a director told me of a remark the countess made in Biarritz to an

arrogant Englishman. "This fellow boasted of his ancestry. The countess sald that sort of talk wouldn't be understood in the wild west. She said an Englishman said

to a Texas cowboy once: "I have Tudor blood in my veins on the maternal side and through my father's family I am a Plantaganet."

"'Is that so?" said the cowboy, brightening with keen interest. 'My blood's a leetle mixed, too. My grandfather was a Jersey tenderfoot and my grandmother a Digger Indian squaw. We're both half-breeds, stranger. Come and liquor up!" - Cincinnata Enquirer.

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and lips like all crude scarlet, and eyes as absurdly big and round as a child's good-by kiss." How do you like it? Would a girl who answered that description be

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