Industrial Dealings Dominated Attention Today.

Barely More Than Steady Throughout Session.

RAILWAYS WERE INACTIVE

AMAL COPPER LEADER OF DAY

Local Tractions Continued to Show Firmness-Steel Preferred Sold at a New High Record Price.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

NEW YORK, January 15.-Dealings In the industrial stocks were the dominant feature of today's stock market. The standard railroad shares, which exercised an influential leadership in the last few weeks, were in many cases barely more than steady throughout the bulk of the session. This was noticeably so in Union Pacific, St. Paul, Pennsylvania and Southern Pacific. On the other hand, Missouri Pacific and the Gould stocks generally showed rather aggressive tendencies. Some of the lower priced rathroads, s ch as Southern railway and Mexican central, were firm features of the trading-a fact which many good judges of speculative conditions chose to ascribe to the growth of the pub-lic's participation in the speculation that is now going on, and the lower priced in-dustrials were active and strong in a way that permitted much the same kind of

As a whole, the leadership of the day was furnished by Amalgamated Copper, American Smelting, the United States Steel is-sues and the minor iron and steel stocks and railroad equipment shares. The local tractions continued the demonstration of firmness which they made at the close of the market last week.

The New Merger Plan.

No information was obtainable that would indicate the reason for their sudden animation, but it is presumed that before long the formal announcement of the terms, times and places for the deposit of stock under the new merger plan will be made. Steel preferred sold at a new high record price, and the common stock crossed 45

There was no news or gossip that tended to throw much light on the transactions in particular or grouped securities, but there was a plentiful supply of the tips that this or that stock was to be put up, which accompany aggressive man pulation for the benefit of the outside interest.

Long Island stock had a move all its of the Pennsylvania group, and its strength was regarded by some as in a measure re-lated to the course of the tractions. The shares of the northwestern railroads were active and strong in the forenoon, but they were not so conspicuous later. Amer-ican Sugar Refining broke below 150, owever, some good buying was encountered that caused a rapid rally.

The London Market.

The reception accorded by the London market to the returns of the general election that is now in process seemed to signify that the prospects of an overwhelming liberal majority in parliament were regarded favorably in financial and commercial

Foreign markets were not particularly disturbed over the beginning of the Algedras conference tomorrow, and, so far as money conditions go, the appearance of the mar-kets and the tone of sentiment indicated further improvement such as is going on

Call money ruled around 41/2 per cent and money was obtainable on slightly terms than those which prevailed last week. The rapidity with which cash is accumulating is indicated by the gain shown by the banks in their transactions

New York Stock Market.

Furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., bankers and brokers, 1419 F street, members New York stock exchange, Washington stock exchange and Chicago board of trade. Open, High, Low, Close

Cherapeage & Onio...... ilimois Centrai..... Green Copper 20%
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Kansas City So., pfd 64%
Louisville & Nashville 154 Mannattan Elevated Metropolitan Secs. Co... tropolitan st. Ky..... Mexican Central ... Me., Kan & Fex., com...
Me., Kan & Tex., pfd...
Missouri Pacific......
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THE COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK, January 15 .- The cotton market opened firm at an advance of 9a13 points and worked up to a net advance of 14a16 points during the early session on Wall street bull support, covering and buying through commission houses in response to the higher cables and further reports of holding by spot owners in the south. Trading was fairly active and demand continued liberal, but there was considerable realizing at the advance.

Futures opened firm. January, 11.45; February, 11.50 bid; March, 11.60; April, 11.70: May, 11.72; July, 11.78; August, 11.57; September offered 11.00; October, 10.85.

tember offered 11.00; October, 10.85.

Toward midday the market eased off about 7 to 8 points under realizing and selling by local bears, but there was a good demand on a scale down, and the tone seemed fairly steady.

Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands, 11.95; middling gulf, 12.20.

Estimated receipts at the ports today, 20,000 bales, against 33,572 last week and 20,965 last year. For the week, 130,000 bales, against 161,874 last week and 125,917 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 7,352 bales, against 9,959 last year, and at Houston, 4,067 bales, against 4,244 last year. last year.

Spot closed quiet, ten points higher; middling uplands, 12.05; middling gulf, 12.30.

Sales, 812 bales. Today's Cotton Summary.

Quotations furnished by Atwood Violet & Co., members New York and New Orleans Cotton Ex-changes. Washington office, No. 713 14th st. n.w. NEW YORK COTTON EXCHANGE. 2:15 January Open. High. Low. p.m. chges.

January 11.45 11.46 11.41 11.46 +14

March. 11.60 11.67 11.60 11.63 +12

May 11.74 11.75 11.68 11.73 +13

July 11.78 11.81 11.73 11.78 +13

New York spots 10 np 19 08

NEW ORLEANS COTTON EXCHANGE, 1:15 Net January ... 11.57 11.57 11.57 11.57 + 6
March ... 11.84 11.88 11.80 11.83 + 9
May ... 11.91 11.98 11.90 11.93 † 9
July ... 12.00 11.99 12.03 12.01 + 9
New Orleans spots, unchanged, 11 9-16.

NEW YORK COTTON, 3 P.M. NEW ORLEANS COTTON, 2 P.M.

Liverpool Prices.

LIVERPOOL, January 15.-Cotton, spot in fair demand; prices 12 points higher; American middling fair 6.72; good middling, 6.38; middling, 6.20; low middling, 6.04; good ordinary, 5.86; ordinary, 5.70. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 6,900 American. Receipts, 6,100 bales, all American. Futures opened firm baies, all American. Futures opened firm and closed quiet; American middling, g.o.c., January, 6.06; January and February, 6.06; February and March, 6.08; March and April, 6.11; April and May, 6.14; May and June, 6.17; June and July, 6.18; July and Aug-ust, 6.19; August and September, 6.11; September and October, 5.87; October and November, 5.80; November and December, 5.77

THE GRAIN MARKETS.

CHICAGO, January 15 .- Active demand by commission houses and shorts advanced May wheat to 88%

On firm cables and good demand May orn sold up to 45%a45%. Firmness of wheat and corn steadied May

May provisions opened steady, pork at 14.20, lard at 7.72½, ribs at 7.65 to 7.67½. Close: Wheat—May, 88¾; July, 85¾a85¾. Corn—May, 45¼; July, 45%. Oats—May, 32; July, 2007. July, 30%.
On moderate profit taking the price of May wheat declined to 88%, but on renewed buying advanced to 89. The close was firm

with May up %a½, at 88%. The corn market became weak on predictions of a cold wave in Missouri and south-ern Illinois. May fell to 45% a45%. The

close was easy, with May off 1/8a1/4, at 451/4. Grain and Provision Summary.

CHICAGO, January 15 .- Grain 5.—Grain:
Open, High, Low,
883, 89 885,
854, 857, 854,
455, 455, 455,
46, 465, 455,
324, 324, 317,
309, 305, 309, Ohle Age of the Age of

Liverpool Prices. LIVERPOOL, January 15 .- Wheat-Spot

steady; No. 2 red western winter, 6s. 7d.; futures steady; March, 7s. %d.; May, 6s. 10% d. Corn-Spot quiet. American mixed, new, 4s. 4d.; American mixed, old, 4s. 81/2d.; futures quiet; January, 4s. 3%d.; March, 4s.

THE BALTIMORE MARKET.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

BALTIMORE, Md., January 15.—WHEAT—Steady spot, contract, 86%a87; spot. No. 2 red western, 88%a88½; January, 86%a87; February, 87%a87%; March, 88½; May, 89%a89%; steamer No. 2 red, 80%a80%; receipts, 13,275 bushels; southern on grade, 81a86%.

CORN—Steady; spot, 49%a50; January, 49%a50; February, 49%a50%; March, 50%a50%; May, 50%; steamer mixed, 48%a484%; receipts, 166,107 bushels; exports, 220,000 bushels; southern white corn, 42%a50%; southern yellow corn, 42%a50%.

OATS—Firm; No. 2 white, 38%; No. 3 white, 37a38; No. 2 mixed, 36%a37; receipts, 7,544 bushels.

bushels.

RYE—Firm; No. 2 western, 73 export, 76a77 domestic; receipts, 9,482 bushels.

HAY—Steady, unchanged.

GRAIN FREIGHTS—Steady, unchanged.

Ladies' Auxiliary Installation. At a recent meeting of Ladles' Auxiliary, No. 50, Knights of St. John, the following officers were installed: President, Mrs. M. Van Zant, re-elected, second term; first vice president, Mrs. Katie Gill; second vice president, Miss E. Nally; recording secretary, Miss Rose Moore (eighth term); financial secretary, Miss M. Morris (sixth term); mesenger, Mrs. Annie Mitchell; sergeant-atterm), Mrs. E. Bury; trustees, Mrs. C. A. Moore, Mrs. E. Warfield, Mrs. M. A. Oler, Miss A. Jones, Miss Mary Shea; delegates to District Auxiliary, Mrs. E. Bury and Mrs.

At the close of the meeting the members were invited to the supper room, where the good of the order committee had prepared a fine menu, which was greatly en-foyed by all. A handsome bouquet of pink rosebuds was presented to the president, Mrs. Van Zant.

Annual Meeting of Audubon Society. The Audubon Society of the District of Columbia has arranged to hold its annual meeting tomorrow evening in the lecture hall of the George Washington University, corner of 15th and H streets, at 7:45 o'clock. Mr. Frank M. Chapman of the American Museum of National History has been engaged to deliver a lecture on "Impressions of English Bird Life." The meeting will be open to the public.

Barges Lost at Sea.

PHILADELPHIA, January 15.—The tug Cuba, towing the barge Dunio, from Portsmouth, which passed in the Delaware breakwater today, reports that she lost the barges Remus and Braddock at sea on Saturday night during a severe storm. The barges were bound from eastern ports for Philadelphia, The hawser parted and the Cuba was unable to pick up the barges. Until the tug arrives at Philadelphia nothing can be learned as to the safety of the crews of the barges.

Found Dead on Railway Trestle.

pecial Dispatch to The Star. NORFOLK, Va., January 15 .- The body of Daniel S. Hall, aged fifty, was found Sunday beneath a Norfolk and Atlantic Terminal railroad trestle at Lambert's Point, across which Hall, while alleged to have been intoxicated, was trying to crawl on his hands and knees to his home when

LOCAL FINANCIAL NEWS.

Gas 4's were again the principal seller of the day's session of the stock exchange, just as was the case on Saturday. The trading was, however, more general and better prices were secured. It was found there was a fair market at 102%, and the there was a fair market at 102%, and the greater part of the entire sales, which reached \$38,000, were on that level.

After a while the seller concluded the market was good enough to stand a rise, and, accordingly, he advanced in the asking price an eighth of a point, which he got. There were also some transactions at 102%. The bid, which had advanced an eighth, remained there at the close, and there were still bonds for sale at a slight advance.

is not known whether the broker who It is not known whether the broker who had the bonds for sale has as yet gotten down to the bottom of his pile or not, but it is looked upon as a pretty good indication of the substantial character of the market that securities of this class are in demand and can be absorbed with as little shrinkage in the prices as has taken place.

There is no similar willingness to sell shone either in case of the certificates of the company or of the stock. The usual figures were put in the only change necessary being in the case of the stock, which was quoted ex the dividend of 50 cents per share.

There was nothing of interest developed in any of the street railroad securities, and there was no desire manifested to sell or to buy. The consequence was the changes buy. The consequence was the changes made in the quotations were without sig-

In fact, there was a good deal of differ-ence manifested throughout the call, just as if some of the influence of the dull sky had come into the room. It was dull enough in the trading, and it is probable that if any influence was reflected it was that of the New York market, which for some rea-son that is not entirely obvious is supposed to have some sort of power to determine the character of the trading on the ex-

hange. The stock of the Mitchell Mining Company proved to be an exception to the general rule, and the record of the transac-tions in this stock not only beat anything of the sort that has been done in its case during its short career on the board, but t placed itself second on the list in the volume of trading for the day.

The advance in the prices was nearly

three points as compared with the bid price on Saturday. The range of the sales was from 13½ to 14, and altogether some 2,800 shares were dealt in. The higher prices in New York for this stock as well is the ready placing of the bonds to build the railroad connecting the mines with the seacoast are some of the reasons assigned for this rather sudden rise in the appreciation of the value of this stock. Satur day the bid was 111/4.

Two trust companies, the American Se curity and the National Safe, held annual elections today for members of the board of directors. But few changes were made in the list, and the reports of the business for the year submitted to the stockholders were regarded as extremely favorable and as showing a good condition.

The net earnings of the four trust com-

panies in this city for the past year range from a little over 13 per cent to nearly 7 It is stated now that as soon as the en

gine is put in place in the new power house of the Old Dominion railroad that it is the intention to begin the operation of cars from the Georgetown end of the Aqueduct bridge to the northern end of the line on the Virginia side of the Potomac, which at present is about a mile and a half from the Great Falls.

Today's Government Receipts.

National bank notes received today for redemption, \$1,590,830; government receipts from internal revenue, \$1,186,828; customs \$847,505: miscellaneous, \$105,423; expenditures, \$1,880,000.

Washington Stock Exchange. Sales.—Regiar call, 12 o'clock noon—Columbia t. R. 6s, \$1,000 at 116. 102½, \$1,000 at 102½, \$5,000 at 102½, \$5,000 at 102½, \$5,000 at 102½, \$5,000 at 102½, \$3,000 at 102½, \$5,000 at 13½, \$100 at 13½, \$1000 at 13½, \$1000

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Washington Gas eert. 118
U. S. Elec. Lt. deb. Imp. 6s. 101½
U. S. Elec. Lt. cert. ind. 6s. 101½
Chesapeake and Potomac Tel. 5s. 104½
Washington Market 6s. 106
Potomac Elec. Lt. 5s. 103½
Nor. and Wash. Steamboat 5s. 109
Bristol Gas and Elec. 5s. 92 105

| SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST STOCKS. | National Safe Deposit and Trust | 189 | Washington Loan and Trust | 220 | 222½ | American Security and Trust | 288 | 300 | Union Trust | 150 | 153 | Washington Savings Bank | 106½ | Home Savings Bank | 230 | 230 | Union Savings Bank | 230 | 240 | 242 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 244 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 245 |

Capital Traction.

Washington Rwy. and Elec. pfd...

Washington Rwy. and Elec. com...

Bristol Gas and Elec. Riggs.....
National City Bank.......
INSURANCE STOCKS.

Real Estate Title ... 88 90
Columbia Title ... 384 44
Washington Title ... 444
Washington Title ... 444
TELEPHONE AND GRAPHOPHONE STOCKS.
Chesapeake and Potomac ... 60½ 65
American Graphophone com 5 5 54
American Graphophone pfd ... 574 94

GAS STOCKS. Washington Gas...... *591/4 Georgetown Gas...... 65

FOREIGN BANK BUSINESS.

LONDON, January 15.—Bar gold, 77s. 0%d. American eagles, 76s. 5%d.

PARIS, January 15.-Three per cent entes, 98 francs 95 centimes for the account. Exchange on London, 25 francs 12% centimes for checks.

BERLIN, January 15—Exchange on London, 20 marks 45 prennigs for checks.

Discount rates—Short bills, 4½ per cent; three months' bills, 4½ per cent.

Cleveland Broker to Retire. CLEVELAND, Ohlo, January 15 .- P. R. Fahey & Co., stock and grain brokers, anmeunced today that the firm will go into liquidation and retire from business, owing to the peculations of a trusted employe and the continued ill health of the senior member, P. R. Fahey.

NEW YORK, January 15 .- Wall street brokers are of the opinion that the validity of every issue of bonds by this city will Clef a temporary injunction last Saturday in the supreme court, Brooklyn, restraining Controller Metz from issuing city bonds amounting to \$915,000; or restraining him from paying interest on them in case they have been already issued. The bond issue directly attacked was authorized on October i, 1905, to be used for the erection of buildings for the proposed tuberculosis sani-tarium on Staten Island. The complaint was that the board of aldermen had adopted the proposals for the issue placed before it by the board of estimate without giving a day for a public hearing, in accordance with law. The injunction was served on Mr. Metz and Charity Commissioner R. W. Hebbard in the evening. At is said that at least \$12,000,000 of bonds were issued without the formality of a public hearing recently. There are now \$430,000,000 of outstanding New York city bonds.

Walker's weekly copper letter says with reference to the recent advance in Amalgamated Copper:

"It cannot be questioned that the com pany is in a very strong position. All the good things that have been said about Ana. conda, United Copper and North Butte apply with equal or greater force to Amaigamated. There is the best reason for believing that Boston and Montana will develop a duplicate of North Butte's riches in its Badger State, Auraria and Moose claims, as they are in a position to carry the continuation of the North Butte vein, and indeed the latter company has already

and indeed the latter company has already carried its development work almost up to the Badger State boundary.

"The deep workings in the Boston and Montana's mines and in the Butte and Boston and Gagnon claims have all developed splendid values during the past two or three years, and with its new and remodeled smelters and other up-to-date equipment and systems for handling ore, Amalgamated should earn as much money for its stockholders this years as in any previous years since its organization. ous years since its organization

The Lake Superior corporation's plan to liquidate the \$2,000,000 loan made by it to the Ontario government provides for the sale of the collateral deposited as security. The loan falls due May 1, 1906. Negotiations are under way for the sale of the collateral to syndicate, and if this can be accomplished satisfactorily the position of the Lake Superior corporation first mortgage bonds will be improved.

The net earnings of the corporation for the five months ended November 30, 1905, were \$400,000 and it is estimated for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1906, they will exceed \$1,000,000. Leading interests in the company say that its outlook is much brighter than ever before. It is now fully expected that the October coupons of the \$3,000,000 income bonds outstanding will be

The First Trust and Savings Bank of Chicago, as trustee for the Waish Chicago National Bank, has offered for sale the entire capital stock of the Chicago Safe Deposit Company, which carries with it the ownership of the Chicago National Bank build-ing. Bids will be received at the office of the trust company up to January 22.

The New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company has awarded a contrac to the General Railways Signal Company of Rochester for interlocking and block signals involving \$2,000,000, the equipments intended for the zone of the electric motive power extending twenty-five miles from the Grand Central station.

Bertron, Storis & Griscom of this city today denied emphatically the assertion of the Baltimore Sun to the effect that unless the unforeseen happened control of the United Railways and Electric Company would be sold to a syndicate of New York capitalists headed by Bertron, Storis & Griscom. Rumor had it that the syndicate stock, a majority of which, it was said, was pooled with Alexander Brown, George Jenkins and Douglas H. Thomas. At the office of Bertron, Storis & Griscom today Mr. Griscom said:

"There is not a word of truth in the re-port. It was made out of whole cloth, and I have so wired the president of the Bal-timore stock exchange." timore stock exchange."

Funeral of James Shillinglaw.

The remains of James Shillinglaw, first sergeant, retired, United States artillery, whose death took place suddenly Saturday morning at his home in Randle Park, Congress Heights, were laid to rest this afternoon in Arlington National cemetery with military honors. The interment was under the supervision of the garrison of the deceased, William F. Barry Garrison, No. 30, Regular Army and Navy Union. Commander M. J. Hackett of Barry Garrison conducted the funeral rites of the order at the grave. Rev. William L. Orem, the paster of the Congress Heights Methodist Episcopal Church, officiated at 1 o'clock at a brief funeral service at the home of the deceased. The pallbearers were Messrs. M. J. Hackett, William Green, Louis Le May and W. F. Cassell, representing the Barry Gar-rison, and Messrs. Louis I. Wrenn and W. B. Snyder. Sergt. Shillinglaw was a native of Scotland and was fifty-eight years of age. He had been a citizen of the United States for over forty years, thirty of which had been spent in the artillery service.

Regarded as Dangerous Obstruction. The officers of the United States army tug Lieut. Alonzo Cushing, running between this city and the forts on the Potomac, report having passed this morning, on their trip up from the forts a large bunch of timber bolted together that looked like the bow of some old vessel that had floated from its resting place ashore on the high tides. The obstruction was drifting with the winds and tides and when seen was in mid channel, almost abreast of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad pier at Shepherds, Md. The obstruction is a dangerous one and would be apt to damage the vessel that struck it.

Alleged Booze Grafters. "These three men are Bowery booze graft-

ers," stated Policeman Newkirk in the Police Court today. The case under consideration was that of John De Shields, James Moxley and Edward Foley, all of whom were charged with vagrancy. of whom were charged with vagrancy. The officer continued by stating that they were frequenters of the Bowery, along Pennsylvania avenue between 3d and 4½ streets northwest, wearing out the pavement between saloons in that locality. For the next sixty days the men will be registered guests on the farm, with Keeper Zinkhan.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

NEW YORK, January 15 .- Steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II, from Bremen, was reported as having been in communication by wireless telegraph with the Marconi station at Cape Race, N. F., at 7:20 a.m. today when the vessel was 185 miles east of that station. The vessel will probably dock about 4 p.m. Wednesday.

Funeral of Edmund Brockenborough.

the veteran colored night watchman, took place at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the Walker Memorial Baptist Church. The MISSIONS IN CRINA.

BULLS AND BEARS Special Report From American Board at Peking.

The American board of commissioners for foreign missions, at Boston, has received a special report from Rev. William S. Ament, D.D., missionary of the board be doubtful unless Justice Kelley's granting in Peking, China, concerning the situation of the Van Clef injunction is finally over-ruled. Justice Kelley granted W. S. Van the native leaders in Peking have announced their desire for a newspaper devoted to the interests of women in China, and that women of Shanghai have joined in the boycot on American goods there. Dr. Ament adds:

Ament adds:

"Just now a sign not of comfortable portent is the enlarged military activity out of proportion to the financial strength of the empire. Uniformed men abound far more than the real needs of the empire require. Munitions of war are purchased which will soon be old and worthless.

"One man in China seems to be working with an intelligent idea of his country's interests. The man is former minister to the United States, Wu Ting Fang. Notwithstanding much obloquy and opposition, he has secured the abolition of torture in civil cases (except the most aggravated) and secured legislation on such matters as commerce patents, trademark, and made the relations between people and officials far more cordial than formerly. The whole legal proceedings of Chinese courts are to be reconstructed, which means the beginning of a new era in China."

As firemen were sent to rescue him, John A. Hart, an insurance agent living on the top floor of an apartment house in New York city which was destroyed by fire early yesterday, was overwhelmed by the early yesterday, was overwhelmed flames and burned to death.

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IRA H. JOHANNES. Trustee.

GEO. A. REDHEAD, Trustee.

Ira H. Johannes, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the president of the Ira H. Johannes company and that the above statement is true.

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