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Contest Between Iwo Elements in South Not Con-KITCHENER TELLS OF fined to His State.

PAYS HIS RESPECTS TO CANDIDATE BRYAN

SAYS THE GREAT ANTI-IMPERI-ALIST HAS TALKED HIMSELF TO DEATH-NEED OF A STRONG GOVERNMENT.

New York, June 15 .- Senator Mc-Laurin who has been sojourning in New York for several days, left for home today. In an interview he says he has no doubt as to the outcome of the fight he is making. He declared the fight between the two elements in the south is by no means confined to South Carolina. It is not a fight for the personal advancement of Tillman or himself but struggle between principles. It is a struggle between the progressive element and the retrogressive element. He declared the fight was no more bit- partment today previous to starting on boat around so that she would lie Only One Fatality From Accident to ter now than in 1897. As for as resign- his return to Pekin. He expects to sail abreast of pier 10, and they were unations go he said he would rather give from San Francisco July 1. up his seat in the senate any day than keep silent when he thought he could do the people of his state good. He He is going back to Pekin to remain would sooner go on with the campaign of education than take a seat in the senate. He feels convinced he can carry on his present campaign and be

re-elected to the senate. McLaurin denied Tillman's assertion that if he was allowed to continue his campaign the state would be turned over to the republicans and said it would merely return to the teachings of the old democracy. He declared these teachings were bound to triumph. Old time democrats, McLaurin said, always favored expansion and ship subsidies. He said Bryan has talked himself to death. He characterized Bryan's speech made in New York, attacking the increase of the army and asserting the army was to be used in establishing a fort in every city and to shoot down the discontented, as the talk of a wild man. McLaurin declared the United States needed a strong government and said in a number of the Southern States besides South Carolina there had been a change in views with regard to the policy the democrats

ROLL CALL STOLEN FROM VAULTS

should pursue.

\$3,000 Paid by Colorado Corporations for the Theft.

Denver, June 15.—The News today says: The roll call in the senate on the third reading and final passage of senate bill No. 87, better known as the employers' liability bill, has been stolen from the legislative records in the vaults of the secretary of state's office. The stealing of the roll call was expected to invalidate the bill. The claim is made that the corporations of the state paid \$3,000 to abstract the roll call renders were published at the time they from the records. The Colorado Federation of Labor intends to sift the matter to the bottom and punish all concerned to the fullest extent of the law.

MEN IN SUB-MARINE **BOAT UNNERVED**

Cherbourg, June 15 .- The submarine boat Narval underwent a twelve hours submersion test today with the object of ascertaining the effects upon the crew. The test proved the strain was too much. The confinement and lack of fresh air produced nausea and exhaustion after a few hours. The tension was so intense that the men were

MORO CHILF READY TO ABOLISH SLAVERY

General Bates Thinks the Slaves Should be Paid For. Washington, June 15.—General Bates

recently returned from the Philippines

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in an interview today referred to the recent reports from Manila that Datto Mundi, the famous Moro chieftain of Zamiboanga, had decided to abolish slavery. He said he had not expected such favorable action. He thought something should be paid for the slaves. He said when he was in Zamboanga he agreed to pay the market, value of twenty dollars for slaves. He declared they could not be really regarded as slaves, they were more re-

He spoke highly of Mundi's fidelity to the Americans and said he not only raised the American flag but wanted to bring his people to fight alongside the 'American soldiers.

SEVERE FIGHTING

Boers Lose Heavily in Engagement with the British.

London, June 15 .- Kitchener sends the following to the war office dated Pretoria June 15: During merch from Wrede (Orange RiverColony) Elliot's column engaged the enemy under De-Wet June 6, and after severe fighting captured a convoy of 71 loaded wagone, 45 prisoners, 58 rifles, ten thousand rounds of ammuniton and 4000 cattle. The Boers left seventeen killed and three wounded on the field. Our casualties were three officers and seventeen men killed, one officer and 24 men

CONCER PREPARING TO RETURN TO PEKIN

Is Not An Active Candidate for the Iowa Governorship.

ger took official leave of the state de-

In an interview he said he was not an active candidate for governor of Iowa. indefinitely. If the republican convention nominates him for governor he will willingly serve the party and resign the ministership. He expressed the belief that matters between the powers and China are now in a fair way for satisfactory adjustment.

THE PHILIPPINE SITUATION

The Extent of the Disintegration of the Insurrection Up to April 17,

Washington, June 14 .- The War Department gave out statistics to-day showing the extent of the disintegra tion of the Philippine insurrection. The compilation of reports covers the period up to April 17, 1901. Up to January 1 1901, the total number of insurgents captured or surrendered was 21,491, together with 5048 rifles, 56 field pieces, something over 3000 shells and balls. 573,860 rounds of ammunition and 19 tons of powder. From January 1st to April 17th, the number of captures include 247 officers, 2459 men; the total number surrendered was 820 officers, 6492 men; making a total of 1067 officers and 8951 men; or a grand total up to that date of 31,415 insurgents captured and surrendered. To this is to be added 1998 rifles captured, 4300 surrendered, a total of 6298, and 450,000 rounds of ammunition, 408 bolos and 24

pieces of cannon. The compilation shows surrenders and captures on nearly every day from January 2d to the close of the report. The surrender of Lieutenant-General Trias in Southern Luzon was of more importance than almost any other save that of Aguinaldo, his surrender practically ending the insurrection in the section over which he had command. General Trias since has been made Governor of Cavite province. All of the more important captures and surtook place.

TWELVE PEOPLE BURNED TO DEATH.

St. Petersburg, June 14.-A fire at the Galleys Island shipyards yesterday consumed the slips, the cruiser Witjas and other vessels, the government and other buildings there, and a large stock of timber. The flames also leaped the Neva Fontanka canal, destroying several military warehouses filled with supplies. According to the Novoe Vremya, twelve persons lost their lives in the flames. The damage done amounts to 10,000,000 roubles.

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Reports of Great Loss of Life ALCEDO'S GREAT RECORD on the Northfield Were False,

All But Four of These Re-Alive.

CAPTAINS OF THE FERRY BOATS ARE ARRESTED

A BOY WHOSE BODY WAS FOUND FLOATING IN THE RIVER BE-LEEVED TO HAVE BEEN A VIC-TIM OF THE COLLISION.

New York, June 15 .- All but four of the persons included in the list of missing as a result of the Northfield-Mauch Chunk collision have turned up alive. The only body found up to a late hour tonight was that of Jerry V. Wright,

recovered from the submerged wreck. The divers at work in the Northfield this morning without finding a human SEARCH SETS AT kept up their task until six o'clock body in the boat's cabins. At nine o'clock they went back to work again. Washington, June 15 .- Minister Con, The first undertaking of the divers was to make fast lines to pull the wrecked able to search the cabins during the night. Until early this morning there were many inquiries at the Old Slip police station of the harbor police for relatives and friends who are supposed to have gone on the Northfield and who ten men engaged in shifting ballast esof the Northfield was arrested a few hours after the collision, but he refused to make any statement about the collistion. He was locked up on a charge of criminal negligence and held without

> Capt. Frank Griffin, of the Mauch Chunk, went to his home in Jersey City last night. No effort was made to arrest him, as officials of the Jersey Central radiroad promised that Captain played yesterday by the National Griffin would be produced in court to- league teams:

iay. He gave himself up later. The majority of the passengers who terical, and their stories as to the loss of life were conflicting to a great extent. Many were of the opinion that hundreds of lives were lost, while oth_ ers thought that but a few were drown- At St. Louis-St. Louis... 2 10 ed. The divers are searching all the Brooklyn................ 3 8 cabins, the engine and fire rooms and other compartments of the ferryboat. It is known that all the crew got ashore in safety.

The body of a boy about ten years old was found floating in the East river The body had been in the water but a short time. The coroner's office attributed the death to the Northfield collision and the police so recorded it.

TEN YEARS' SENTENCE FOR SLAYING HUSBAND

Jury Finds Mrs. Kennedy Guilty of Murder in Second Degree.

Kansas City, June 15 .- The jury in the Kennedy murder case this morning is nothing known as to the cause of the brought in a verdict of guilty of murder in the second degree, and fixing Mrs. eKnnedy's punishment at ten years the penitentiary.

The murder of eKnnedy occurred at 5:40 o'clock in the evening of February 10, last, in the New Ridge building, in Kennedy, who was contracting agent of the center of the business district. tion company, was sitting at his desk in the Merchant's Dispatch Transportahis office when call to the door by Dr. Cross, the woman's physician. Mrs. Kennedy followed the physician closely, asked her husband if he intended to live with her, and receiving a negative answer began shooting. She fired five shots, all of which took effect and any one of which would have proved fatal. Kennedy died almost instantly, the only words escvaping him being "it was not her gun." Before taken awa by the police the woman kicked the prostrate man in the face, remarking:

"You'll never seduce another girl. Thomas Kennedy a brother of the man, tried to wrest the revolver from Mrs. Kennedy's hand when he was struck down by her brother, Will Prince. The couple were married in the circuit court on February 4 and two days

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before Kennedy was killed he brought suit to have the marriage set aside, al-eging duress and charging W. C. Prince, the girl's father, and Will Prince with forcing him to marry her at the point of a revolver. The three Princes are now awaiting trial on a charge of conspiracy to Kill Kennedy Mrs. Kennedy is 20 years old and Kennedy was 28.

IN SUBURBAN HANDICAP

Twenty Thousand Persons Saw Him Run Mile and Quarter in 2:05 3-5. New York, June 15 .- Ethelbert, 8 to ported Missing Turn Up 5 favorite, although he undoubtedly ran in the best form was outclassed and outfooted in the suburban handicap race at Sheepshead bay track this afternoon. Alcedo covered the distance,

> second record for the suburban. Fully 20,000 witnessed the race. The winner was backed by many of the crowd. He was the second choice at

a mile and a quarter, in 2:05 3-5, the

After the first quarter Alcedo set the pace and put Ethelbert to a severe test The latter gamely responded and was running in splendid form at the upper turn when he was suddenly cut down from behind, presumably by Toddy. This accident virtually ended all chance for Ethelbert. Alcedo won by two lengths. Watercure finished second by half a length ahead of Toddy who finished third. The betting on Watercure of New Brighton, S. I. The body was was ten to one, while Toddy was a thirty to one chance.

REST ALL DOUBTS.

the Transport Ingalls.

New York, June 15 .- Search through the interior of the transport Ingalls today set at rest doubts as to whether had not returned to their homes at a caped. The police are positive that hate hour last night. Captain Johnson there are no casualties except one killed and thirty-six injured. They say there has been no inquiries for missing people and all are accounted for. Of the injured fourteen are still in the hospital and all will recover.

YESTERDAY'S LEAGUE CAMES. Following are the scores of games

At Chicago-Chicago 9 13 Batteries-Waddell and Kling; Matthewson and Warner.

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At Pittsburg-Pittsburg.. .. 1 Batteries-Chesbro and O'Connor; Dineen and Moran.

At Cincinnati-Cincinnati .. 4 Philadelphia.. 5 6 Batteries-Phillips and Bergen; Donohue and Douglass. Called in fifth inning.

ATTORNEY ROELKER DEAD

Cincinnati, June 15.—Attorney F. G. Roelker, who shot himself at his home last Thursday, died today. He never regained consciousnesss, so that there shooting. It is generally believed that he deliberately comitted suicide on account of his suffering from la grippe.

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AN ENTIRE FAMILY SWEPT AWAY IN THE FLOOD

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Staunton, Va., June 15. -A cloudburst struck Harrisonburg, Va., this afternoon, overflowing streams, washing away bridges, deluging the business portion of the city and workling haves generally. The electric light plant was destroyed and the city plunged into total darkness. In Harrisonburg two negroes and a white boy were drowned, and several buildings wrecked. A mile below the town the Kennedy family, consisting of five persons were drown. ed. Much damage was done in the vicinity of Harrisonburg.

COMMANDER BELKNAP DEAD.

Baltimore, June 15 .- Commander Beiknap, United States navy, died in an infirmary here today from blood poisoning as a result of a recent injury

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