

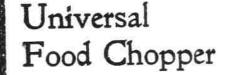
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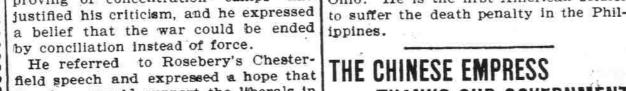
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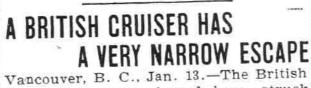
Rosebery would support the liberals in their efforts to secure peace. Prior to Bannerman's speech a letter from Rosebery was read excusing his absence. This was greeted with tu-

multous cries of "Burn it" and "Traiaid .....

THE EASTERN DISTRICT **ATTORNEYSHIP CONTEST** 

Special to the Gazette. Washington, D. C., Jan. 13 .- Senator Pritchard is expected tomorrow morning and will doubtless settle at once the districe attorney and collectorship contest. Major H. F. Brown is now candidate for the office of collector at Wilmington to succeed Dancy. He is being backed by Dr. Abbott, H. C. Dockery and others, who arrived here

today. Ex-Governor Russell and Justices Douglass and Cook of the supreme court are here. Russell is a candidate for the office of district attorney in the event it should fail to go either Bernard or Skinner. Bernard and a number of friends are here tonight.



Cruiser Amphion, bound here, struck a coral reef and is much damaged. She just reached port in time to escape foundering.

Postal Fraud Cases. Havana, Jan. 13 .- The cross examination of Reeves in the postal fraud cases was concluded today. Reeves testified that Neely gave him \$4,600 and asked him to fix the books. Ex-Director of posts Rathbone was the next witness. He testified at length with regard to the organization and workings of the Cuban postal system.

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coming visit points to a feeling of gratification on the part of the president, who attaches much importance to the Kaiser's action. There is a general feeling in administration circles that the relations between the United States and Germany will be strengthened by the prince's MINERS BURNED TO DEATH IN INDIAN TERRITORY MINE

THE CHINESE EMPRESS

January 11, 1902:

the Forbidden City.

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States."

THANKS OUR GOVERNMENT

Washington, Jan. 13 .- Mr. Wu Ting

Fang, the Chinese minister, today

handed Secretary Hay the following

edict, transmitted to him by Wel Wuh

Pu, at Pekin, in a cablegram dated

the empress dowager, we issue the fol-

"By order of her imperial majesty

"During the disturbances caused by

the boxers last year, the American

commanding officers issued strict or-

ders to their troops to use strenuous

efforts to protect the buildings within

"This was an act of friendsmp wor-

thy of imitation, for which we feel ex-

tremely gratified and grateful. We

therefore instruct Wu Ting Fang to

convey our expression of thanks,

concerning Prince Henry of Prusia's

PRINCE HENRY'S VISIT

IMPORTANCE ATTACHED TO

Hartshorne, I. T., Jan. 13.-Fire broke out in the Dow mine, one of the principal tributaries of the Choclaw mine this afternoon. Four dead miners have been taken

out and it is feared ten others are burned to death.



against Russel Sage for an alleg contract to stop another action against him. The old action was for assault and damages placed at \$100,000. The nature of the assault is not stated.. She alleges Sage agreed to pay

her \$75,000 in property to stop the ac-The woman lives in Mount Vernon, dence of 9 rooms all convenitoo late. It may soon tion.

save you lots of trouble. .... 1 B'1411 N. Y.

the soldiers' home. His position was ander on one pretext and another and antagonized by a number of his col- he is constantly called to the 'phone

> ask admittance to the national soldiers' home. The bill was not disposed of when the house adjourned.

the pension appropriation bill. Mr. Barney (Wis.), in charge of the bill,

explained that it carried \$139,846,480. against \$145,245,230 appropriated for the

current year. The estimate of the payment of pensions decreased from \$144,-000,000 to \$138,500,000. He was asked by

Mr. Richardson (Tenn.) why the amount for pensions decreased five and a half millions while the number of pensioners was said to be larger. Mr. Barney explained that this was accounted for by the fact that the ar-

through the secretary of state, to his rearages were decreasing and the numexcellency the president of the United ber of large pensions (those from \$50 to 55 a month) was also decreasing. In reply to another question he stated that the commissioner of pensions believed that the high tide of pension payments had been reached and the amount requested probably would re-Washington, Jan. 13 .- All evidence

main stationary for some years. Mr. Bell, (Col.) denounced the practices of the "pension sharks." He declared that they were importuning soldiers of the Spanish wars and those who had since served in the Philippines to apply for pensions. He said that in some cases soldiers who were thor-

oughly examined at the time of their discharge and found 'to be perfectly sound yielded to these importunities (Continued on page four).

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leagues, whose sentiments seemed to be to respond to questions, many of which voiced by Richardson (Tenn.) who said are prompted merely by curiosity, asked he was glad to think that no confed- about his position on the affair. He erate veteran ever had or ever would has been so worried and annoyed by the ceaseless calls on his time and patience that he is seriously considering the advisability of leaving the city until af-At the conclusion of the District of ter the execution. One of the ques-Columbia business the house took up tions which is frequently put to him

is whether or not he intends being present at the hanging. Mr. Alexander said in reference to the

matter, "I have been asked to sign papers appealing to the governor to commute the sentence of my assailants

to life imprisonment. "In regard to the fate of the me my conscience is perfectly free and I

consider that I have no responsibility whatever in the matter. "During the time I was employed at

the Emma postoffice, I so conducted my affairs as to leave no opportunity whatever which could have been taken advantage of by persons who had designs

on the valuables in my charge. "The robbers entered the store prepared and resolved, as their subsequent actions proved, to kill me in case I resisted.

"My mind is made up in regard to the matter, I will sign no petitions either in favor of or against the men. "They committed a crime which is punishable in this state by death. "They have been tried by a fair jury and sentenced by an honorable judge. "They have appealed to the highest ourt in the state and the judgment of

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