Liberal Contracts will be made

BRIEF NEWS NOTES FOR THE BUSY MAN

MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

WORLD'S NEWS EPITOMIZED

Complete Review of Happenings of Greatest Interest From All Parts of World.

Southern.

The receipts of cotton at the port of Savannah, Ga., reached the 1,000,ly in keeping with the record-breaking was ordered by the emperor. year in the history of the port. It is also well within the range of the possibility of Savannah to nose out New New Orleans as the second cotton port. The fact is now recognized and the statistics of the two ports in the race for supremacy are being watched with interest.

John M. Slaton, president of the Georgia state senate, succeeds temporarily to the office of governor by reason of Governor Smith's resignation, Governor Slaton appeared 18 hours after Gov. Hoke Smith resigned and took oath of office, which was administered by Chief Justice Fish of the supreme court.

Speaking of the advtanges of good roads and of what is being done in that direction, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson declared that nearly forty-four million dollars was expended during the present year for good roads in the Southern states alone. "Reports to the department show that the \$44,000,000 spent during the first ten months of this calendar year was divided as follows: Alabama \$3,-484,000, Arkansas \$2,450,000, Delaware \$430,000, Florida \$1,505,000, Georgia \$2,500,000, Kentucky \$2,500,000, Mississippi \$3,130,000, North Carolina \$4,505,000, Oklahoma \$1,505,000, South Carolina \$1,100,000, Tennessee \$3,900,-000, Texas \$7,600,000, Virginia \$4,004, 000, West Virginia \$1,625,000."

Judge Speer's charge to the United States grand jury, sitting at Savannah, Ga., was featured by his presentation to that body of the present low price of cotton and the probable forces that are at work holding the price down. The judge charged that it would be the duty of the grand jury | never entered upon service of his sento investigate such conditions, if any existed, in the southern districts of Georgia, and frame their bills accord-

At the conference of immigration officials called by Secretary Nagle of the department of commerce and lavision made of immigration that the South will get a greater share of the newcomers to the United States. The Louisiana state board of immigration will be represented at the meeting by Secretary Denechaud.

Welcomed to Georgia, to Atlanta and to the South by Gov. Hoke Smith, Mayor Courtland S. Winn, Congressman William Schley Howard and several other speakers of note, the American Federation of Labor met in its thirty-first annual convention, with President Samuel Gompers in the chair. There were 375 delegates in attendance upon the convention, representing 115 international unions, about half as many national organizations, 38 state federations, 634 central bodies, numerous local and Federal unions and a large number of affiliated organizations.

Gov. Judson Harmon of Ohio, one of the most conspicuous Democrats in the corn show and will speak on "Legislation Needed for the Development of Agriculture."

General.

That Theodore Roosevelt is again a candidate for the presidency and that his editorial in The Outlook declaring that business conditions in of the present administration's policy, is his formal declaration of the fact, is declared editorially by The World. Other newspapers make strong comment on the editorial. The World, under the caption, "Is Roosevelt Morgan's Candidate?" declares that Mr.

street itself has been able to do." themselves.

havy hoisted the white flag and sur- fore the United States Supreme court. rendered to the revolutionists.

Governor Foss of Massachusetts expended \$16,828 in his campaign for re-election, according to a return filed With the secretary of state. The reitemize all expenses.

recently convicted in Chicago, of the

had been denied a new trial. The Southern railway has raised Wages of all clerks who have been re-

The chacs which is settling over China in consequence of the recolution deepened when the radicals among the Young Chinese movement refused to recognize Premier Yuan Shi Kai's new ministry, spurning Yuan's authority. It was also learned that a number of appointees had refused to serve under the new premier. None of the radical element haded by Dr. Wu Ting-fang, former Chinese minister to the United States, was selected for posts in the cabi-

Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany was ordered under military arrest and confined in his quarters at Dantzig for 30 days as punishment for the recent scene which he precipitated in the reichstag, aligning himself openly against the policies of Chancellor Von Bethman Hollweg and virtually placing himself at the head of the war party. The reichstag outbreak came as a result of debate mark earliest in the history of the over the Franco-German Morocco delocal cotton exchange, and thorough- bate. The arrest of the crown prince

The International Harvester company of America was ousted from Missouri and fined \$50,000 by the supreme court of that state. The decision of the court sustained the findings of Special Commissioner Theodore Brace, who reported to the court that the company violated the common and anti-trust laws of Missouri. The effect of the decision is to prevent all the companies which make up the International company from conducting further business in the

"Etherial asphyxia or aerial comnipathy," is why Calbraith P. Rodgers, trans-continental aviator, declares attacked him when he fell near Comp ton, Cal., on the last flight of his cross-country trip. Furthermore, Rodgers asserts this is what caused the deaths of many other aviators. "It lurks in the pockets of the upper air ern North Carolina. All these things Washington the express service is all pi, \$3,130,000; North Carolina, \$4,strata," he said, "and creeps irresisti. point to a great railroad development right. It is from Washington south 505,000; Oklahoma, \$1,505,000; South bly upon the sense of the aviator, in the section between Raleigh, Dur- that the trouble lies. lulling him into unconsciousness."

Governor Mann of Virginia declined to grant a respite to Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., convicted in Chesterfield county, September 8, of wife murder. The refusal to interfere with the sentence which the supreme court declared to be right, means that Beattle will die in the electric chair at the state penitentiary on Friday, November 24.

Gov. James H. Hawley of Idaho, in a signed statement, condemns the action of President Taft in granting a pardon to Clarence W. Bobnett, a bookkeeper, who was convicted of embezzling the funds of the Lewiston National bank of Lewiston, Idaho, He

Nearly a score of deaths, several million dollars' propercy loss and much suffering and inconvenience resulted from the violent change of temperature, the preceding storms and the succeeding cold and snow that bor, to meet in Washington, repre- beset the central portion of the counsentatives of state immigration de try Tornadic storms did much dampartments in the South will make a age in Wisconsin and Illinois and determined effort to have such a di- killed a dozen persons, besides injuring more than a score, several fatally

Washington.

President Taft has started after the scalp of the money trust, Following a long session of the cabinet, the president heard personally the story of one man, who has encountered the financial octopus, made up of a bare handful of men, which is alleged to exert control over the industrial development of the country and has sufficient power to dictate precisely along what lines development shall run, and to prevent it whenever it interferes with established organizations. The "money trust" is held to be the giant power behind alll the individual trusts. The president and highest cabinet officials express deep concern over the situation.

The state department has practicalthe country, and one whose rame is ly decided to send a regiment of prominently mentioned as candidate troops from Manila-to Chinwingtao, a for president, will visit Atlanta during seaport in Shina, about 250 miles from Pekin on the Gulf of Pechili. The purpose is to perform an international duty under the Boxer treaty in keeping open the line of communication between Pekin and the sea.

"Felons' stripes' as a punishment for "trust criminals' in the United States, to end "commercial piracy under benevolent 'rules of reason,' " are this country are chaotic as a result proposed in a bill amending the Sherman anti-trust law drafted by Representative Henry of Texas, to be introduced in the house upon the opening of congress next month. Its introduction probably will mean its passage in the house.

In a majority opinion of the com-Roosevelt's "present Wall street's re- merce court formally handed down sentments against Mr. Taft more in the trans-continental rate cases, it forcefully and coherently than Wall is held that the long and short haul provision of the interstate commerce Fifteen men Cornell students who, in act is constitutional. Judge Arch-Working their way through the univer- bold concurs in the issuance of a sity, are waiters on the tables of the a temporary injunction, but in his "co-eds," struck; as a consequence, opinion holds the long and short haul 400 girls are compelled to wait upon provision to be invalid. The court reached the conclusion that the ques-Thirteen vessels of the Chinese tion would have to me fought out be-

Amendment of the Sherman antitrust law at the coming session of congress is to be undertaken in earnest by Democrats of the house, acturn was sent back to the governor cording to a declaration by Represenfor correction, because he failed to tative Henry of Texas, a banking member of the committee on judicia-Maurice Enright, business agent of ry. Representative Henry's announcethe United Association of Plumbers, ment came while President Taft and Attorney General Wickersham were murder of Vincent Altman, was sen- in conference at the white house as tenced to life imprisonment, Enright to the advisability of supplemental anti-trust legislation. The house Demrats, it was declared at the capitol, and lay a Mand-clay surface. The amounted to only \$8, making the cost ill purh legislation along this line. | convict force now numbers 50.

FROM DURHAM TO CHARLOTTE NEXT

SOME VERY EXTENSIVE RAIL ROAD_BUILDING IN THE OLD NOTH STATE.

Major Guthrie, General Counsel of Durham and Charlotte Railroad An-Purchasers Whose Names Not Given

Raleigh.-That there is to be increased railroad building in North Carolina is certain. There have been of railroad building from Raleigh to pany. Charlotte and the continued report that the Durham and Charlotte railroad, of which only fourteen miles, long standing, and the merchants are from Troy, in Montgomery county, to going to make a most determined ef-Gulf in Chatham county, are in oper- fort to remedy the situation. There and to Durham.

and Charlotte railroad, and that the Philadelphia by telegraph and the tures. Lynchburg that the Durham and stated by a prominent business man, divided as follows: ham and Charlotte, and the following concerning the sale of the Dur- Contracts For Better Streets. ham and Charlotte railroad and its

will be read with interest: was consummated a few days ago, been sole owner of these two roads, which operate trains from Troy to Gulf and from Gulf to Colon, connecting at the latter point with the Seaboard Air Line.

Charlotte Is In The Lead.

Charlotte made a larger per cent of increase in value of manufactured products and for the number of men employed from 1904 to 1909 than any other city of 10,000 and over in the state. While Winston-Salem employs In 1304 the total value of manufactured products in Charlote was \$4,850,000 and in 1909 it had increas-4,199. Winston's industries increased than the public school teachers. from \$11,353,00 in 1904 to \$16,778,-000 in 1909, while the number of em- | The Most Important Case. ployes went from 4,850 to 6,718.

Governor Smith's Portrait.

of North Carolina's early governors, there was presented to the state by the North Carolina Society of the Sons of the Revolution a handsome oil portrait of Governor Benjamin Smith, of Brunswick county, who a freight train and a hand car last olina the exercises of the presentation took place in the hall of the House of Representatives.

Have Offered Reward of \$200.

Two hundred dollars is offered as a reward for the arrest of William Henry Benton, the negro who so dastardly shot Officer D. B. Brown on the streets of Hamlet. Mr. Brown is still alive and has fighting chance to survive. He is at his home in West Hamlet under the care of a trained

Guilford Teachers Meet.

The Guilford County Teachers' Association had one hundred and fifty people present at the monthly meetopened in the fall the teachers have teachers. At their meeting three North Carolina commission from the chapters of the book were discussed. Interstate Commerce Commission for Professor Foust, county superintend- a substantial reduction in freight fessor Matheson of the State Normal ern points to Durham and Winston-College, the third.

To Have Three New Bridges. At a meeting of the county board Young Samuel Riddle, of Endicott, of commissioners three new iron bridges were ordered. One ninety-sixfoot bridge is to span Flat Rock creek largest in the county, but so far as at the edge of Shelby, another of reported stands second largest. Earl service with Adjutant General Leins- the states. equal length on the same road be- Poole stands first with a yield of 94 ter in the advancement of the effitween Hickory creek two miles east bushels. The most remarkable thing ciency of the North Carolina guard, ed in the history of this section of field men. "This demonstrates" has of town. The road is to be partly in the production of this acre of corn new and partly along the old road was the low cost of production. Mr. from Shelby to Kings Mountain, a dis- Riddle makes the emphatic statement tance of 14 miles. This is to be the that all fertilizers, cultivation, labor, next road the convict force will grade etc., to produce the 81 bushels

EXPRESS SERVICE IS POOR Only Two Express Carrying Trains

Leave Washington . Dally For Southern Points.

Greenville.-A determined move ment affecting the interests of a certain class of merchants in practically every town and city on the main line of the Southern Railway, between Washington and Atlanta, is about to be inaugurated by the merchants of Greenville, who carry on an express SANFORD AND TROY ROAD business with New York City and other Eastern markets. The object of the movement is to induce the Southern Express Company to improve express facilities on the main line of the Southern Railway, benounces Its Owner Has Sold To tween Washington and Atlanta. The local merchants will not act alone in this matter, but will solicit the assistance of merchants in towns between Greenville and Atlanta and in Spartanburg and Charlotte. The merchants will attempt to carry their point by an open petition to the offi- the present year for good roads in the for some time rumors and reports cials of the Southern Express Com- Southern states alone. The Secretary

rated is born of dissatisfaction of Richmond, Va. new purchaser has also obtained the merchants naturally look for speedy Sandford and Troy railroad. Just a delivery of whatever they have order-South Carolina railroad was to be ex- the express service between New York

Within the next few weeks New extension to Durham and Charlotte Bern will have several more blocks with state or local authorities in prac-"Major William A. Guthrie, of the paved streets. At the last meeting of firm of Guthrie & Guthrie, attorneys, the Board of Aldermen, the contract who for a number of years have been of paving New street between East the general counsel for the Durham Front and George streets, with Traand Charlotte Railway Company, has via macadam, was awarded to Mr. F. returned from a trip to Philadelphia J. McGuire and the work will be beand New York and announces that gun at once. Ten years ago only Mr. John B. Lennig has sold his en- the principal streets of the city were tire interests and holdings in the Dur- paved and many of these were in bad ham and Charlote railroad, and the condition. During the past few years. Sanford and Troy railroad. The deal however, the city fathers have spent many thousands of dollars on paving and until that time Mr. Lennig had the city streets and New Bern now ranks among the best paved cities in North Carolina.

Meeting of Stanley Teachers.

The meeting of the Stanley County Teachers' Association held at Albemarle was more than usually enthusiastic. Although the weather was threatening, there was an excellent attendance and those present were here for a purpose, as could be easily seen by the onlooker without being present for but a few moments. One more men and shows a larger value of the most striking evidences of the for her products, the percentage of present spirit of progress, which is increase for the Queen City is much and has for some time been sweeping longer than that shown for Winston. over old Stanly county, is the interest which the teachers of the county are taking in their work. And there is possibly no other class of people in ed to \$10,460,000, while the number the county which is rising to a high of employes increased from 2,234 to state of development more rapidly

The most important civil case tried or set for trial in Cleveland county in many years was compromised a few Doing honor to the memory of one days ago. The case was A. J. Beam, administrator of John Henry against the Seaboard Air Line Railway. It will be remembered that Henry was a section foreman on the Seaboard and was killed in a collision of an extra hundred years ago, in 1810 and 1811 | March between Shelby and Waco, The was the chief executive of North Car- railroad paid the administrator the sum of \$4,900 and the cost of the suit.

> Convict Makes His Escape. Zeb Snipes, a white "trusty" at the Saratoga convict camp, made his escape and it is thought he has gone to either Fremont or Goldsboro. He was sentenced to eighteen months on the roads for the larceny of money.

> Southern Pines.-In spite of all the rain that has fallen recently many wells and springs around Southern Pines are still without water.

For Hearing on Freight Rates. Chairman Franklin McNeill Secretary A. J. Maxwell, of the Corporation Commission, and Attorney

The Second Largest Yield.

made 81 bushels of corn this year on his test acre. The yield was not the less than 10 cents per bushel.

Salem as North Carolina terminals

EXPENSE OF ROADS NEWS OF NORTH CAROLINA EXPECT A CRISIS

AN ENORMOUS SUM WAS EXPEND-ED DURING PRESENT YEAR IN

SOUTH ALONE.

FIGURES OF THE SECRETARY

Head of U. S. Department of Agriculture Who Will Speak At Good Roads Congress in Richmond Gives Out an Interesting Statement.

Raleigh-A special from Washington states that speaking of the advantages of good roads and of what is being done in that direction, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson declared that nearly \$14,000,000 was expended during will speak on the subjects at the The movement about to be inaugu- Good Roads Congress to be held in

"Through its Bureau of Good Roads," the Secretary continued, "the Department of Agriculture has been ation, would be extended to Charlotte are in Greenville several large firms slating the progress of good roads doing a heavy express business with throughout the country and demon-Now comes the news that new in- the Eastern markets. Goods are or- stration work and maintaining a force terests are in control of the Durham dered from New York, Baltimore or of trained men to give illustrated lec-

Reports to the department show that the \$44,000,000 spent during the few days ago the news came from ed. As a matter of fact, so it was first ten months of this calendar year

Alabama, \$3,484,000; Arkansas, \$2,tended at once from Bonsal to Fuquay City and Greenville is little better 400,000; Deleware, \$430,000; Florida, Springs and there is increasing talk than the freight service conducted by \$1.505,000; Georgia, \$2,500,000; Kenthat the Norfolk Southern railroad the Southern Railway. From New tucky, \$2,500,0000; Louisiana, \$1,132,desires to extend its roads into west- York and other Easter nmarkets to 351; Maryland, \$2,250,000; Mississip-Carolina, \$1,100,000; Tennessee, \$3,-200,000; Texas, \$7,600,000; Virginia, \$4,004,000; West Virginia, \$1,625,000.

"The department is co-operating of paved streets added to its list of tically every state and reports show that over 200,000 miles of roads were built during the past twelve months. "A few years ago, the department conducted an investigation to determine the condition of roads through-

> SOUTHERN TEXTILE ASSOCIA-TION.

out the country.

Meeting at Kimball House, Atlanta, Dec. 2nd .- Further Announcements of Program and Entertainment Committees-Special Railroad Rates. Atlanta, Ga,-Arrangements have been definitely made for the holding of the semi-annual session of the Southern Textile Association Dec. 2nd, in the Convention Hall of the Kimball House, this city, which will be the official headquarters of the Association.

The committee in charge of entertainment is especially anxious to secure in advance the names of all members and visitors who will be in attendance. A postal card with this information may be addressed to the chairman, Mr. C. S. McMahon, 1021 Grant Building, Atlanta.

The program is as follows: 11 a. m. Meeting called to order by C. S. McMahon, chairman of Local Committee of Arrangements, followed by address of welcome. Response by Mr. A. B. Carter, of

Address by Supt. M. G. Stone, of Spartanburg, S. C., president of the Association.

Paper on "Weaving and Designing," by Mr. Henry W. Atkinson, formerly Editor of Cotton. 2 p. m. "Waste Reduction in Cotton Manufacturing," by Supt. D. D.

Towers, Canton, Ga. "The Spinning Room," by Chas. M. Stoy, of Anniston, Ala.

"The Little Things in a Mill." Supt. W. L. Lowry, Monroe, N. C. "Reduction of Power by Alignment," by Mr. Geo. W. Loggie, of Boston, ing road engineers.

Mass. After each paper opportunity will be given for discussion of the points presented; and some of the papers may be deferred till the night session for tion of twenty of these foreigners is which the program has not yet been definitely arranged.

Special Railroad Rates have been arranged for those attending the as-Carolina, South Carolina, Geogria and

Progress of Hookworm Campaign. Raleigh.-With provision made by twenty-four counties for the operation of free dispensaries for the eradication ing at Greensboro. Since the schools General T. W. Bickett have gone to of hookworm infection, the work com-Washington for a hearing before the pleted in ten counties and in effective of a large cat and is getting quite been making a study of the "Teacher new commerce court, on the appeal of progress in four others-Pitt, Bruns- time. and the School," one of the books in the Norfolk & Western Railway Com- wick, Harnett and Hertford-and ten the reading course designated for pany, from the order procured by the others on the anxious waiting list, Dr. John A. Ferral, secretary in charge of this hookworm campaign for North Carolina, is in high spirits about the charge of passing a worthless check ent, discussing the first two, and Pro- rates from Cincinnati and other west- progress of this important work in for \$10 drawn on the Cumberland Sav-North Carolina. He is just back from ings & Trust Co. The boxing match Harnett county.

To Inaugurate Militray School. Raleigh.-Adjutant General R. L. Leinster of the North Carolina Nationions that will reach and benefit the June, 1912.

NO. 15.

Column of Short Paragraphs Collected by the Editor From Many Towns and Countles of State.

Morganton.-Capt. George Phifes Erwin, one of Burke county's most prominent citizens, died at his home in Morganton, death resulting from paralysis.

Raleigh.-A charter was issued for the Watkins Lumber Company of Ellerbe, capital \$50,000 authorized and \$4,000 subscribed by W. H. Watkins, Sr., and others.

Raleigh.—During October Raleigh had only three cases of scarlet fever and eleven of diptheria. The health authorities pronounce the public health conditions here now as entire ly satisfactory, and indeed, remarkably good.

Southern Pines.-Squirrels and quail have not been so abundant in many years as at this season. Acorns are also abundant, and the piney woods razorback promises to be up to the top notch with the other game birds of this section.

High Point,-Mrs. Arthur Bondenheimer was awarded the first prize for protection and ample pension, the finest collection of flowers at the flower show held by the High Point ladies in the Pickett warehouse. The Yang and Wu-Chang. If this is true exhibit this year was perhaps the it signifies his choice. The govern finest ever shown here.

Sparta.-Large droves of cattle are being shipped each week to Raleigh, Durham and Northern points. One carload of milk cows were shipped a | Tsin. The latter, who commanded the few days ago to Washington for a third division, has been dismissed and dairy farm. The scarcity of feed is is proceeding southward, not as Yunn forcing the sale of a great many cattle. | Shi Kai's envoy to submit further pro-Shelby .- Mr. J. W. Wesson, one of the leading farmers of the county liv-

ing on Route 2, was here exhibiting a join the rebel forces. stalk of corn measuring 17 feet and 3 inches in height. Mr. Wesson says the play of patriotism during the last day corn grew on bottom land and all of or two. Instead of rivalry among the this one towered above them all. It had two goods ears of corn on it. Greensboro.-F. M. Gardner has

been employed as driver of Greensboro's sporty "commission plan" motor patrol wagon, which, after some display and considerable expense, is about ready to be put into service. It is said that expenses will be paid by having court mulct defendants into paying more costs in cases in the city

Newton.-Newton poultrymen, it county street fair in Hickory. Mr. L. H. Phillips, Mr. H. B. Corpening, Mr. Hub Wagner, Mr. L. M. Reitzel and Dr. J. A. Young, in the order named, won many first prizes, several seconds and thirds on leghorns, orpingtons, Wyandottes, white cornish and Indian

Greensboro.-Engineer W. A. Kinney, the last of four brothers to be claimed in railway wrecks, was killed and several trainmen and passengers were slightly injured near here when the southbound New York, Atlanta and New Orleans limited on the Southern Railway, was derailed. Seven cars

Durham .- In order to encourage literary effort among the students of Trinity College, the Fortnightly Club has decided to offer each year a prize of books or other reward, at the discretion of the members of the club, for some production of real and distinctive literary merit appearing in the college magazine. This decision was reached at the last meeting of

Raleigh.—The Executive Commtitee of the Board of Trustees of the University of North Carolina met and granted Mr. J. Felix Hickson, professor of methematics, leave of absence from December 1, to April 1. This was done in order to give Mr. Hickerson the opportunity of investigating thoroughly the road engineering department of Cornell University. Many of the University students are becom-

Southern Pines.-The experience with Russian laborers in Hoke county has encouraged the commissioners to try them on the roads, and a delegaexpected to arrive in the near future to work on the new system of improved road building out from Raeford. The men will be sent first to Antioch sociation from all stations in North and after finishing some work there will go up into the north side of the

High Point .- Mr. T. L. Norwood, superintendent of the Kearns Furniture Company, has a genuine groundhog in captivity at his home. He captured the little animal a short time ago under his barn. It is now the size

Fayetteville.-J. E. Lepage of New York was arrested and jailed here for arrives at a time when engaging in and promoting a boxing match in this city and on the further was a farce.

Raleigh.-Governor W. W. Kitchin has issued the Thanksgiving Day proclamation for North Carolina and names Thursday, November 30, the al Guard, and Capt. H. J. Dougherty of day already named by President Taft, during any previous year, according the United States army, detained for this the day to be observed in all

Rocky Mount .- A case unprecedenthave arranged to inaugurate at once a the country for the past 15 or 20 military school with two distinct divis- years is that of a man cutting a new set of teeth at the age of 53 years. officers and men of the Carolina guard. Such is the case of Mr. Henry Swan-The school work began November 15 son, who is cutting a new set of and will continue until the month of teeth. Mr. Swanson had his teeth pulled in the spring of 1910.

IN CHINA SOON

DEMANDS FOR THE THRONESS ABDICATION ARE CROWDING UPON THE PREMIER.

A NEW SHOW OF PATRIOTISMS

Provinces Display Effort to Establish Union Government Quickly That Americans Have All Left Nanking

Negotiations For Peace Have Failed

Peking.-Demands for the throng abdication are crowding upon Premier Yuan Shi Kai, who doubtless will be forced to make a decision within week. It seems to be a case of fight. or ask the court to depart from the capital. Every suggestion for abdication is accompanied by promises of

It is reported that the Premier has ordered a renewed attack upon Harrament has succeeded in ridding the Lanchau troops of both revolutionary generals, Chang Shac-Tseng and Law Tien Wei. The former is now at Trem posals to General Li, the rebel conmander, as previously reported, but to

There has been an unexpected disprovinces there have of remarkable unanimity in an effort to establish a union government quickly, in order to prevent the days gers from foreign complications.

Rear Admiral Murdock telegraphs the American legation from Nanking that the American consul with the archives is aboard the New Orleans and that all Americans have left the city with the exception of a few meu-

bers of the Red Cross. It would be impossible, says the admiral, to protect American property in Nanking without landing three turns out, fared well at the Catawba hundred marines prepared to sustain a siege. For this reason, he had sent none of his men ashore.

Various efforts made in influential quarters to start negotiations looing to peace have up to the present failed.

To Crush the Revolution.

Washington.-The arrest of Gen. Bernardo Reyes by United States authorities at San Antonio for violation of the neutrality laws is exactly in line with the policy of this governs ment to stamp out revolutionary active ities against Mexico in United States territory, according to Secretary of State Knox. "The arrest of General left the track and turned on their Reyes was not requested by the Mexican government," he said, "The policy of this government has not changed one iota since the inauguration of Madero as President following the revolution he led. So far as the United States is concerned, the situation is identical with that existing last spring when Madero's agents were being arrested for violating the newtrality laws."

> Effort to Lift Balloon Cup. Indianapolis, Ind .- In an effort to ift the Lahm cup for long distances. balloon flights, Captain G. L. Burns baugh of this city started from bern in the balloon Dusseldorfer. The balloon floated away to the northeast in a east wind estimated at 25 miles an hour. The Lahm cup, which is of fered by the Aero Club of America, in now held by A. Holland Forbes, who won it October 12, 1909, in a flight from St. Louis, Mo., to Richmond, Vaa distance of 697.17 miles.

> Fowler Lands Safely in Texas Pecos, Tex.-Aviator Robert G. Fores ler, attempting a coast-to-coast trips by aeroplane, landed at Pyote Tex-18 miles east of here. It is said there is some defect in the machine again. but he landed without trouble. He intends to leave early for Abilene. For ler flew from Van Horn, Tex., 24 miles from Pyote.

The New Ambassador Is Mura. New York. - George Bakhmetican the newly-appointed Russian ambassador to the United States, arrived in New York and left immediately for Washington. The coming of the new embassador is of vastly greater interest than ordinarily attaches to a shaft. of diplomatic representatives for he popular and official protest is at its height against his government because it refuses to honor American passports without discrimination against he Jews.

The Farmers Are Prosperous. Washington.-More up-to-date and modern machinery has been purchased by farmers during the past year than to Secretary of Agriculture Wilson. who based this assertion upon reports made to him by departmental added, "not only the prosperity of these farmer but also his alertness to seize upon every means to increase the yield an acre and to preserve the suit. The department has been urging the use of the latest tools and reachingers.