The kissing bug has changed his name from picipes melanolesthes to coronorlimus sanguisugus. This redoubles the suspicion that he is committing his depredations under a bunch of aliases.

The precocious four-year-old Illinois boy who reads the newspapers and standard authors may develop into an able man, but the chances are against him. The law of nature is that extreme precocity is followed by early death or weakening of the mental and physical powers.

' Notwithstanding the recent expulsion of Mormon missionaries from Germany, the activity of that church in seeking to make European converts knows no relaxation. Twentynine missionaries have just sailed from Philadelphia for work in England, Germany, Switzerland and Scandinavia.

The New Orleans Daily Picayune, commenting on the suggestions that the Philippines be made a penal colony, says: "The forty-five States of the Union have in their penitentiaries many thousands of convicts. If all steam those who are serving long sentences were sent to a penal colony it might be best for them and best for the

The British naval manustres this year proved in an abstract way that a squadron cannot go out to meet a confleet being sighted. This is well enough so far as it goes. Every reasoning Englishman knows in his heart that the best possible safeguard against starvation in war time is American good will.

The list of physical abnormalities which have been credited from time to time to the riders of the wheel has now been increased by the discovery of the "bicycle foot." This peculiar affliction does not result from century riding or from the habit of scorching. It is caused by wearing shoes with soles too thin to protect the feet from the jars incident to dismounting, and also to riding over rough pavements. The bicycle foot is called "traumatic flat-foot" by surgical experts and others who can afford to use terms of more or less formidable phraseology.

Returning Americans from abroad seem unanimous in the opinion that the only thing in the world that Great Britain is afraid of is that the United States will steal away her markets. Government statistics for the last fiscal year give substantial reasons for the British alarm. Not only are we supplanting the English trader in supplying many of the wants of peoples in Europe, Asia and Africa, but we are cutting into his own home market on items which it has long been the British pride that England beat the world.

A good deal of attention is being paid in Pennsylvania, especially in Philadelphia, to the enforcement of the State law against food adulteration. The Grand Jury at Philadelphia recently made a special presentment on the subject, in which it said: "The adulteration of food is a matter of such vital importance to every member of the community that the strongest measures should be taken to prevent and punish the crime. We are impressed with a belief that while close investigation should be made among the retail dealers, the wholesaler and manufacturer should not be allowed to escape in the close examination

With the broadening not only of the field of commercial activity but of the light in which that field is regarded there has come a more thorough appreciation of the lack of facilities for the instruction of youth in that knowledge which is most conducive to success along these lines, observes the Dry Goods Economist. It is seen that the old-fashioned business college does not go far enough in its course of study. It is not sufficient to train boys to be bookkeepers and stenographers; they must be taught the broader principles on which the business of to-day is conducted. They should be educated with a view to becoming managers of large enterprises.

The last war demonstrated many things, among them the fact that the naval militia of the States can be of great service as a supplement to the work of the men with whom the navy is a life profession. The amateur tars have made a place for themselves in the scheme of the Navy Department, and with the extended coast line of year. It is becoming as valuable as the more valuable in the future than they case of hydrophobia, and the young situation, he said that the Democrats must take positive—grounds against

ANOTHER NEW COTTON MILLI STUDENTS AT THE UNIVERSITY. country who have not been lynched, Large Manufacturing Plant to Be Located at Mount Pleasant.

Another new cotton mill was granted articles of incorporation by the secretary of State, The "Tuscarora Cotton Mill" is the name of this latest enterprise. Its location is Mount Pleasant, Cabarrus county. The amount of capital stock of the mill is \$30,000, and may be increased to \$100,000. The incorporators are: L. J. Foil, J. W. Cannon, Paul Barringer and A. N. James The annual meeting will be held the second Tuesday in September. The business proposed is the manufacture and sale of cotton, cotton goods, yarns, thread and woven cotton, silk or linen, either spun or woven. Within a radius of seventy-five miles of the site of the great Yadkin fiver power plant now being building there are at present no less than eighty-three cotton mills alone, to which power could be supplied. Some of these milis use water now, and are situated on other powers almost all of which would admit of the creased plants. Especially is this true of the Coolemes mills in Davie county now in course of crection, on the south Yadkin, where they have an available horse power of several thousand. The Yadkin River company, which is erecting this power plant at the Narrows intends to crect an immense cotton mill somewhere near the plant, to demonstrate the efficency and cheapness of electricity as a power compared with

After Colored Recruits. Lieutenant Settle yesterday received orders to begin enlisting men for the two colored volunteer regiments, the Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth. The Forty-eighth will be stationed at Fort Thomas, Ky., and the Forty-ninth at voy of food ships on the Atlantic and Recruits can select either, but those Jefferson Barracks, near St. Louis bring it into port without the enemy's having no preference will be sent to Fort Thomas. These are the only colored regiments to be raised and they will probably be filled very quickly. The recently appointed colored officers of this State wil probably be assigned to help recruit, and if so offices may be opened in Durham or Winston.

Graham's New Factory.

These are growing times, and the Scott Mebane Manufacturing Company of Graham, manufacturers of overalls have outgrown their quarters and have nearly compleated a large two story brick factory, 75x120 feet. This bustness was begun only a few years ago and the great success which it has met shows what can be done in the old North State by men of the "get up and get" spirit.

State Notes.

The Presbyterian Synod of North Carolina will convene in Asheville on the 10th of October and will continue its session for several days. It is expected that about 200 delegates will attend the meeting. Erwin Q. Houston has been appoint-

ed postmaster at Davidson. Mr. W. H. Wade, who was drowned

at Wrightsville Beach on Saturday was a grandson of Chief Justice Mar-John F. Rowland, a prominent Le-

publican of Rutherford county, has declared for the Constitutional Amend-The Bank of Madison has opened its doors with Col. J. M. Gailoway as president. Wm. C. Ruffin as vice-president,

and J. O. Ragsdale as cashier. The Albemarle correspondent to the Charlotte Obeserver says that Cal Fraley was sentenced by the late court to six years in the penitentiary for per-

The suggestion that Mr. W. C. Petty to Greensboro. It would give Greens boro connection with the Seaboard Ai

The Greensboro Record since the SouthernRailway acquired the northern end of the Cape Fear road that freight rates have gone up. Be fore the purchase, the rate on tobacco from a South Carolina point was cents, and now it is 96. The Record thinks this a case for the Corporation

A local option election cently in the township county in which Bh ated, and resulted a victory for the drys by 6 majority

R. Lieb, a native German, recently living in Madison winty, together with a friend of foreign with, has leased two farms belonging to G.JV. Muse. adjoining the well known R. L. Jones farm on Hominy, and will as sume control at once. It is believed these gentlemen will carry on farming in the most thorough style, having had training in the old country, where farming is done scientifically of necessity.-Asheville Citizen

We hear of a peculiar accident that befell a young man by the name of Hayes, in Richiands townships Coldswell county, last Tuesday. He was harvesting buckwheat and stopped work to rest, sitting on the ience, placing the scythe and cradle on the ground nearby with the edge of the scythe up. By some means a rail on the fence slipped and Hayes, to prevent falling, jumped, lighting on the

the Atlantic and Pacific slope it is evi- is reported from Stanley county. A very peculiar case of hydrophobia dent that there is an important work About two years ago a dog, scoming y which they may do. To prepare them. in play with Charles Little. a young selves for this work, nothing is 30 man who lived in Stanly county, dropvaluable as the practice cruise of each ped some foam on Little's hand. Sores broke out on his hand. The dog proved continent. He denies that he intends annual encampments of the State in- started to Albermarle, but after soing of ill health. He says the best physito be mad. Some time ago Little to resign the chairmanship on account fantry and cavalry, and its natural a few miles refused to continue furresult will be to develop a high state carried to the hospital at Morganton to his nerves. He declares that he has ther. Later he became mad and was trouble and that his condition is due of discipline and efficiency among the for treatment. The hospital physician almost recovered and will soon start young tars, which will make them diagnosed the elsease as a very plain for home. Referring to the political

Opening Breaks all Records From Point of

Attendance. The University opened Monday with an attendance that breaks all records before or since the war. Four hundred and seventeen students had registered by Saturday afternoon. This is a gain of eighty-two over last year at this time, great as the numbers then-a gain of twenty-five persons.

There are one hundred and ninetyseven new students already registered representing eighty-seven counties eleven States and Japan. There is a notable increase in law and medicine. The men are well prepared and enter the regular courses reflecting great credit on preparatory schools.

The buildings are full and the town s filling rapidly. The beautiful Carr building is sadly needed, and other dormitories besides. The picked youth of the State are there, full of enthusiasm and ready to work. Every train brings many more, and all next week the numbers will grow. All delayed tudents should come on at once.

Negro Girl K Hed in Salisbury.

Ada Bennett, a colored girl of about 17 years of age, was shot and instantly killed at Salisbury Saturday night by a negro named John Farrow, who drives for Mr. W. G. Newman. Farrow and the girl met near the corner of Branks and Lane streets. They engaged in conversation, and passers by heard the girl ask Farrow to change some money for her. He took the money-about a quarter-and started off. She called him and said to him: "You don't mean to take my money." He came back and said, "Hush. Did you say anything to me?" Just as he said the words there was the report of a pistol, and the girl fell to the ground. A number of persons were passing, all of whom rushed to the spot where the girl fell. Dr. J. W. Long was of the number. The girl breathed for a few minutes but life was practically extinct from the moment the ball struck her, it having passed through her heart. Farrow ran as soon as he did the shocting, but returned wth one of the Mesors. Newman. He said the shooting was accidental; that he was flourishing the pistol as a bluff, when it went off. The man was arrested and

Key and Company Compromised.

Winston-Salem. Special-Captain R. B. Glenn, who returned from Washington city Saturday morning says that a compromise was effected Friday in the case of Key & Co., the rectifying distillery firm of Statesville, whose plant was recently seized by revenue officers. The company offered to pay the government \$2,400 for exemption from prosecution for alleged irregularities. Collector Harkins recommended that this offer be accepted and Captain Glenn succeeded in getting an order issued releasing Key & Co.'s property.

Cartridge in His Fipe.

A special from Greensboro to the Raleigh Post says:

There was an explosion at the steam laundry Saturday morning that might easily have resulted fatally, though, fortunately, no one was hurt. Mr. E. A. Miller, the manager, was puffing away at his big clay pipe when there was a bang and the pipe went into a thousand pieces. Upon investigation he found that some one had put half a dozen pistol cartridges in his tobacco box, and one of these had gotten into his pipe.

State Notes.

Jefferson D. Best, a prominent farmer of Hickory Grove township, Meck lenburg county, was attacked by an infurfated buil. The bull threw him to the ground and gored him so badly that he died within fifteen minutes.

Herbert J. Hirshinger, of Charlotte get his commission October

he is going to bring suit against the county of Durham for several thousand dollars. Parker was a county chain gans convict when it is alleged that the assault was committed. Huddleston claims that this was a violation of the law on the part of the county.

The vote on the resposition to levy house in Alexander county last Thursday, a failure, only 498 votes out of 1,700 were cast for the tax and 34 against it. To become a law it would have been necessary for a majority of the registered votes to be cast for the affirma-

Never in the history of Cherokee county has there been such an interes in minerals as at the present time, Gold, iron, marble and tolc properties are being worked. There is an unprecedented demand for the tale which is there in abundance.

The grading on the South Carolina and Georgia extension railroad from Marion, N. C., to Johnson City, Tenn., will begin in about ten days. Hands are being employed. It is thought that scythe, cutting through his shee and board to consider more seriously extending its line from Rutherfordton to

Jones Ta ks Politics.

London, By Cable.-Senator Jones, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, has arrived here from the imperialism and trusts.

THE EXPORT FAIR OPENS

National Exhibition in Philadelphia Begun With Dedicatory Ceremonies,

PRESIDENT STARTS MACHINERY.

Governor Stone, Mayor Ashbridge and Representative W. P. Bepburp, of Iowa, Make Addresses-President Me-Kinley Sends a Message-Large Crowds Witness the Opening Ceremonies.

PHILADELPHIA, Penn. (Special), -- With simple ceremonies the National Export Exposition was formally opened, Governor Stone, Mayor Ashbridge and Representative Hepburn taking part in the dedicatory exercises. A message was received from President McKinley, extending greetings and officially opening the great exposition. and then the large chorus and the audience sang "The Star Spangled Banner," accompanied by the marine band and the big exposition organ.

The first event of the day was the landing of Rear-Admiral Sampson and the officers of his squadron. The naval officers were driven to the City Hall, where in Mayor Ashbridge's office they met Governor Stone and his staff, the officers and directors of the National Export Association. the officers and trustees of the Commercial Museum, the officers and manugers of the Franklin Institute and about a hundred prominent citizens of Philadelphia and

The exposition grounds were thrown open to the public at eight o'clock, and long before noon thousands of people had When the dedicatory ceremonies entered. began the auditorium was filled and many were unable to secure admission. Cn the platform, besides the State and city officials and the exposition authorities, were Rear-Admiral Sampson and his officers. members of the Diplomatic Corps, and many prominent business men of the city. In the absence of P. A. B. Widener, presi-

dent of the exposition, First Vice President W. W. Foulkrod made the formal address turning the exposition over to Governor Governor Stone made an address, wel-

coming the visitors, accepting the exposition and turning it over to the Mayor of Philadelphia.

Mayor Ashbridge accepted the exposition from the Governor, and then Representative W. P. Hepburn, of Iowa, chairman of the Congressional Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, give the oration of the day. He dwelt upon our foreign trade and plans to keep and increase it.

The benediction was pronounced by Archbishop Ryan, of this city, after which the President's message was read. At the close of the exercises the aud torium was thrown open to the public, and the prominent guests inspected the buildings, grounds

President McKinley, at the White House, pressed the telegraph key which started the machinery of the Exposition.

SCHLEY GETS A SEA COMMAND. Rear-Admiral Will Take Charge of the

Washington, D. C. (Special).-Rear-Admiral Schley some time ago applied to the Navy Department for sea service. The Navy Department has notified him to hold himself in readiness to command the South

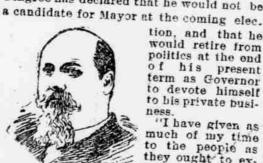


REAR-ADMIRAL WINFIELD S. SCHLEY.

The Department will make the command commensurate with his rank by increasing considerably the number of vessels on the

PINGREE TO LEAVE POLITICS.

His Announcement to Retire to Private Life Caused a Great Sensation. DETROIT, Mich. (Special). - Governor Pingree has declared that he would not be



they ought to expect of me, said he, and when GOVERNOD PINGREE. I get through with my present term as Governor I want to de-

te the rest of my Affe to my own private Governor Pingree's announcement of his determination to get out of polities has created the greatest stir of years in Michi-

Rich Aged Pair Burned. ohn McClintock and his sister, Margaret eClintock, living near Worcester, N. Y.

were burned, together with their house. Strong reasons exist for believing they were first murdered. The house was isolated. They were aged, and McClintock was one of the wealthiest farmers in the section. He received five hundred dollars the day before for some cows. He placed no money Made Insane by Cigarettes.

Cigarettes at the rate of many packs a day have brought about the insanity of Sydney Serven, twenty-three years old, of cinations. He made a desperate attack upon his mother and was committed to the

county jail to await an examination as to Mr. McKinley's Western Trip. President McKinley's trip to Chicago in October will be supplemented by a short tour through some of the principal cities

of Illinois, and may extend West as far as The National Game.

Twenty-nide players have taken part in the New York games. Young, of St. Louis, has won more games than any League pitcher.

There is little chance of the Atlantic League being reorganized next season. McGraw's absence from the Bultimores gave the team a bad setback in the race. There are seventeen players in the St. Louis team under contract for the season. Keister, of Baltimore, one of the smallest men in the League, swings one of the

In spite of the report that Selee would be with another League club next senson, the latter has accepted terms to manage the Bostons again in 1900;

RECALLED FROM MANILA

Denby and Worcester to Return.

Work of Establishing Municipal Governments Unexpectedly Interrupted-Native Police on Duty For Pirst Time.

Manila (By Cable) .- Colonel Charles Denby and Professor Dean Worcester, memters of the Philippine Commission, have received instructions from President McKinley asking them to return as soon as possible.

The Commissioners had just moved into new offices and had expected to spend some months working on the establishment of municipal government.



It is understood here that the return of the two members of the Philippine Commission remaining in Manila is in order to advise the President respecting the very latest aspect of affairs, so that he may use the information in his message to Con-

The Filipino police, numbering 250 men, each armed with a revolver and club, went on duty for the first time at Manila a few days ago. The force is controlled by the Provost Marshal, and was reviewed on the

A SHARP NAVAL FIGHT. Filipino Schooner Sunk by the Cun-

boat Paragua. Washington, D. C. (Special) .- The folowing dispatch was received at the Navy Department

"MANILA. Secretary of Navy, Washington: "Davidson, commanding Paragua, re ports sharp engagement at Balomao. Ves el struck many times rifle shots; no casualties. Paragua silenced insurgent's fire in twenty minutes; range from 400 to 900 yards. Occasion, capture Filipino schooner, which Davidson destroyed.

Balomae is in the province of Masbato, south of Luzon and north of Visayas.

CYCLONE STRIKES BERMUDA. Houses Unroofed and Blown Down, Tr Uprooted and Boats Sunk. ISLAND OF BERMUDA (By Cable) .- A cy-

clone swept over this island, doing heavy damage to public and private property. The storm began with a heavy rain, which was followed by a wind which blew with hurricane force. Then the principal damage was done. Houses were unroofed and blown down, giant cedars were uprooted ornamental and fruit trees were destroyed and wharves were washed into the sea. The telephone and telegraph poles and wires are down, causing a total interruption of business. There has been considerable damage at the military camp.

The City Hail, public gardens, and hotels and several public and private dwellings were also damaged and numerous small craft in the harbors were sunk, or driven

Information from the dockyard says the damage done there is serious. The breakwater is badly damaged. On Ireland and Boaz Islands everything is more or less injured. The loss throughout the island is roughly estimated at \$1,000,000.

PARCELS-POST REGULATIONS. Official Order Issued For Mail Exchanges With Germany.

Washington, D. C. (Special). - Under the parcels-post convention negotiated between the United States and Germany, an order was issued by the Postoffice Department directing that parcel-post packages for destinations in Germany be admitted to the mails. Parcels must not weigh more than eleven pounds nor measure more than three feet six inches in length, and six feet in length and girth combined. Postage must be prepaid in full at the following rates: In the United States on 'parcels" for Germany, 12 cents for each pound or fraction of a pound; and in Germany on "parcels" for the United States, 2 marks 40 pfennig for each parcel, whatver its weight. A delivery charge of 5 cents in the

United States and 20 plennig in Germany may be collected of the addressee of each PARROT CAUSES A WOMAN'S DEATH

Bird Turns on the Gas, and Its Mistress Is Asphyxiated.

WASHINGTON, D. C. (Special).-Miss Alice Knott, twenty-one years old, was found dead in bed at her home, in this city, as a result of an act of her pet parrot in turning on the gas. The bird was found in the room, lying upon the floor, with its bills near the aperture beneath the door. It evidently was endeaving to get what little air it could. While not dead the pet was in a serious condition.

Although Miss Knott was dead, Dr. Wade H. Atkinson was summoned. He decided that life had been extinct for several hours Coroner Carr, after learning the circumstances of the case, gave a certificate of accidental death.

Miss Knott was a former resident of Iows

Nominated on the 299th Ballot. J. J. Gill, of Steubenville, Ohio, was nomi nated for Congaess' by the Republicans of the Sixteenth District at Martin's Ferry, Ohio, on the 299th ballot. The balloting lasted for three days.

Primitive Methodists in America. In America there are seventy Primitive Methodist stations, with the same number of ministers and about 7000 members.

Large Force at San Francisco.

There are now 11,60s men quartered at the Presidio, in San Francisco, This includes 950 recruits, forty casuals, 357 in the regular garrison, approximately 52.6 vol-unteer infantry on the way to the Philippines, and approximately 5000 more raturned from the islands and awaiting

Governments Will Not Boycot'. It is not thought probable that European Governments will refuse to take part in the Paris Exposition, though many private exhibitors will withdraw.

Minor Mention. Furs will be higher this winter than ever. A line of electric empibuses has been started in Berlin.

An Anti-Lynching League has been formed in Boston. A "goose trust" is the latest development of monopoly out West.

A railroad is being built up the Rax Alp. which is 6400 feet in height. Fifty-four warships are in process construction in this country. Hebrews in New York City have planned

to boyeott the Paris Exposition, The experiment is being tried in Detroit, Mich., of slipwing the freezen one "day of" in five

President Requests Commissioners Forwards the Relics of Lieutenan Lansdale, Killed in Samoa

MATAAFA

Samoan Chief Also Sends a Friendly Le ter to the President, Beploring

TO

the Recent Fighting. WASHINGTON, D. C. (Special) .- Mr. John George Leigh, a correspondent of the Lon-

ion Times, who is returning to England from Samos, called on President McKinley and delivered to him a letter from Mataala he deposed King of Samoa, concerning a watch found at the place where Lieutenant Lansdale and Ensign Monaghan, of the United States Navy, were killed by some Matasia's adherents on April last. The watch was believed to be the property of either Landsdale or Monaghan, and Maaafa entrusted it to Mr. Leigh for deliv ary to President McKinley. When Mr. Leigh was in San Francisco he showed the watch to Mrs. Lansdale, the widow of the officer, who identified it as belonging o her late husband. Mr. Leigh surrenlered the watch to Mrs. Lansdale and explained the circumstances while here. The etter from Matanta follows:

'To His Excellency William McKinley, President of the United States of Amer-

"Your Excellency I have been informed hat a watch has been found by one of my people which is believed to have belonged Lieutenant Lansdale or Ensign J. R. Monaghan, who were unhappily killed in pattle at Vailele on April 1. I have learned nat Mr. Leigh is about to leave Samoa for inerica, and I have asked him to convey he watch to your Excellency in the hope hat you will cause it to be forwarded to he bereaved mother or nearest relative of he brave and much-lamented officer. "Mr. Leigh will tell you that I have sin-

serely deplored the sad, untimely death of he brave officers and men who came from America and perished in the late unhappy useless) war. My sorrow is the more be nuse of the great friendship which your creat country has in the past extended to mon. I am especially anxious that this should be made known to the sadly stricken mothers and relatives. May it be the will of God that there will

ever again be strife between America and the Samcans, and that the three powers will recognize my submission to their will and desire for good government. I pray that God may give you long life. T. J. MATAAFA." Mr. McKinley, in course of conversation

with Mr. Leigh, expressed himself much with this proof of Mataafa's boughtful humanity, and said that it would afford him more than ordinary leasure to personally respond to the etter. He very warmly thanked Mr. eigh for his action in the matter and for aving personally conveyed the relics to Mrs. Lansdale. FILIPINOS STARVE OUR SAILORS.

deutenant Gilmore and His Fourteen Comrades Get Only Rice to Eat.

WASHINGTON, D. C. (Special) .- News conerning Lieutenant Gilmore and fourteen the enlisted men of the Yorktown, who ere captured by the Filipinos at Baler nore than six months ago, has reached Washington in letters to military officials from their fellow officers in the islands. The latest information comes through Spanish planter by the name of Garza, who was imprisoned by the insurrectionists and ubsequently made his escape. Garzo said hat that officer and fourteen men were at Bit au, where they were subsisting off a neagre quantity of rice valued at not more ban one peseta per man per day. He is juoted as saying that the captives could ot stand such hardship and such fare much

Navy Department officials say that steps have already been taken to relieve Lieu-enant Gilmore and his party.

HANGED FOR HICHWAY ROBBERY. Negro Put to Death in Virginia For the Crime-His Confession

RICHMOND, Va. (Special) .- For the first ime in the history of Virginia a man was langed for robbery. Noah Finley, a negro, vas put to death at Pulaski City, for solding up, robbing and attempting o kill Major J. H. Darst, a mer-ihant of Pulaski County. An immense rowd gathered around the Pulaski jail ilthough it was known that the execution vas to be private. At 10 o'clock the conlemned man, who was calm and composed vas led into the room in which the scaffold and been erected, and services were held by the Rev. J. H. Hufford, a Baptist minis er, who, after a simple petition, repeated be Lord's prayer. Finley joining in.

Finley left a written confession in which he said he had killed several people and neld up a number in different places and obbed them; that he did not love to rob a poor man or to steal, but that he loved blood and enjoyed being a highwayman.

Bungling at a Hauging. MOBILE, Ala. (Special). - The legal hangng here of Henry Gardner, for assaulting i little girl was a bungle. The noose around Gardner's neck failed to do its work and he struck the brick pavement when the drop fell. The cap and rope were again adjusted and the trar again sprung. This time the rope caught underneath the negro's arms, and after the fall, had to be disentangled in order to allow strangula-

The Queen of the Seas.

Marking a new era in steam navigation n marine architecture and in the history of the ocean ferry, the colossal new steam ship Oceanic of the White Star Line came into port at New York City from her maiden voyage. She was accorded a welcome in keeping with her distinction as the giantess of the seas. To the Oceanic belongs the distinction of being the biggest thing afloat. Measuring 794 feet in length, she exceeds that of the old Great Eastern by twenty-four feet. The Oceanic made no steaming record on her maiden trip, and was reported a little late.

Iron Trade in the South Excited. The iron trade throughout the South is

very excited because of the unprecedented lemand. Many furnaces in the Tennessee and Alabama districts are sold so far ahead hat it is impossible for foundrymen and smaller consumers to obtain iron from them at any figure. Most of the furnaces have orders for their full production far into next year. Iron in the Chattanooga and Birmingham districts is selling as high as \$18 and \$18.50 per ton.

Enormous Fruit Crop in Missouri. Missouri this year will produce an enormous fruit crop, estimated to be worth

General Otis Needs a Legal Adviser. General Otis cabled the Secretary of War at Washington to send him as legal adviser Major Morrison, Assistant to Judge Advocate General Lieber. General Otis also advises the War Department that he needs a

lew more quartermasters and commis-California's War Against Tuberc has passed a resolution declaring that plans should be considered for establishing a quarantine against human beings and domestic animals with tuberculosis entering the State.

Our Navy Has 312 Ships Now. Washington has issued a list of vessels of all kinds, making the surprising showing all kinds, making the surprising showing of 312 craft. This includes many small vessels and craft captured in Cuba and the Philippines, but the showing is, nevertheless, remarkable in comparison with the naval list of two years ago.

New Cars for the Baitimore & Ohio kee McKINLEY Within the past 30 days the horse and Ohio Railroad has he several orders for new freight ment to meet the exceptive for cars. The South Balfley Works is building 1,200 Balting Ohio standard box cars, with ern improvements. The American and Foundry Company has as

proved horse cars here also The Baltimore & Ohio Railtai only received 1,000 of Schoen steel cars ordered sea ago, and when the remaining are delivered, will have 6,3%

TO SEE DEWEY.

to the Splendid Celebration

we go, or do we not go? The good wife promptly replied and Provided we go by the Seaboard Airly Above all do not let the children great event. They will thank a ents, in the years to come. Exer

-all rafl or by Norfolk and strange Tickets on sale September 26th-g to return until October 5th inclusiadvantage of the cheap tates, weather and perfect service of the Air Line to the most stately pageant otism of the century.

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e State Board of Health of California

The Navigation Bureau of the navy at

Train Falls Through a Bridge A freight train on the Missouri Pacific went through a bridge at St. Paul, Neb., and there persons were instantly killed.
The wreck took fire, and the bodies, with twenty one cars, were consumed. The dead are Engineer Gillan, Fireman Burt and Brakeman Fester, for 150 refrigerator cars and

add to the 45,000 now in use.

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