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Overdrafts				1,144 50
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fixtures -				5,000 00
Other real estat-	e			18 00
Cash, and due f	rom	bank	s	10,679 73
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Undivided prof	its,			267 09
Time deposits				5,791 12
Check deposits		*		18,711 66

I, J. W. Dorsey, acting cashier of the Bank of Rutherfordton, do solemnly swear that the above report is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and J. W. DORSEY.

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RUSSO-AMERICAN

American Business Interests In

Russia Are Suffering. ALL'S WELL THAT ENDS WELL.

Russian Newspapers Say It Is the Duty of Right-Minded Americans to Arrest Growth of Anti-Russian Feeling in the United States.

St. Petersburg, March 4.-The Russian press hails with great satisfaction the American dispatches of the last few days as indicating a change in the disposition of the Washington government toward Russia.

The Bourse Gazette and the Novoe Vremya, this morning discuss in a sober-minded fashion Russo-American relations and the danger of a permanent estrangement. The Gazette says there is something profoundly regretable in the present relations between these two world powers.

"They transcend the bounds of common logic. The position taken by America since last June and the anti-Russian newspaper campaign in the United States are so inexplicable that they seem like a nightmare. Since the beginning of its history America has inspired the liveliest feelings of friendship and admiration among the Russians, and diplomatic and political expressions of these feelings have been continuous and constant. In Russian socal circles there has ever

been a veritable worship of the classle land of liberty and the Americans friendship the cornerstone of their forspirit had broken loose, the Ameri-Rutherfordton, as made to the Corpor- cans, despite their practical turn of seem not to be anxiously awaiting Japanese victories in Asia, where Ameri-Loans and discounts - 19,187 63 can commercial interests are centered. As a matter of fact, hostility between the United States and Russia would be as great a misfortune to civilization in the twentieth century as was the rivalry between France and Germany in the nineteenth. The duty of every right-minded man is to arrest the growth of this animosity. Rus-

> cans and to the whole civilized world tense. to do its utmost." The Novoe Vremya says it does not know whether the Washington cabinet influenced such incidents as the gift of \$10,000 by Charles B. Crane, of Chicago, to the young czarina's fund \$37,769 87 for Russian soldiers and sailors, the pro-Russian Irish demonstration in New York and the quieter tone of the it notes an important change in American official tactics beginning with a disinclination to favor the Japanese cable project, followed by the report

of Secretary Hay's dissatisfaction with the anti-Russian press campaign which disposition was further proved by his not insisting on dispatching United States consuls to Antung and Mukden at this time, which quite agrees with President Roosevelt's decision to allow Mr. Morgan appointed United States consul at Port Dalny to remain at home for the present and not to J.C. Walker & Co sen dibe battleship Kentucky to the scene of hostilities in the Far East.

> "We are certain that this change is as agreeable to the Americans as to

The paper adds:

"The antagonism of Washington distressed but did not frighten us, for things could not come to a rupture, as prudence must end always in dominating impulse and there being no serious reason for a quarrel. The practical yankees must realize that the telegram of the American consul at Moscow to Chicago, to the effect that American business in Russia was suffering by reason of the anti-Russian feeling said to exist in the United States illustrated the feelings not only Office in rear of Bank of Rutherfordton. of the Moscow merchants, but of all branches of Russian trade. What

"All is well that ends well. If onies. rooms 22 and 23 over Carpenter & Tay- the light cool fog which has been nanging over Washington is dispelled and the good feelings return, we shall be the first to welcome them."

JAPS INTENDED TO BLOCK PORT.

Rutherfordton, N. C. St. Petersburg Post Officials to Build

Torpedo Boat. St. Petersburg, March 4.- A resident of St. Petersburg who has just arrived from Port Arthur, having left the day before the first Japanese attack, tells an interesting story which indicates that the Japanese planned to cork the narbor before firing a shot. He says that on the day of his departure a big merchantman, flying the Japanese

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hag, approached the entrance in the narrowest part of the channel, suddenly stopped, signalled "l am sinking." and commenced to settle. Luckily, CASE DISCUSSED and commenced to settle. Luckily, a tug with steam up was close by and towed the Japanese vessel into a shallow part of the outer harbor. The merchantman was loaded with iron Roman Catholic Church Des-He captain declared he had been caught in a storm and the pumps

which had kept the steamer afloat, broke down just as the entrance of Port Arthur was reached. The wife of a Russian naval officer attached to the armored cruiser Rossia, who has just arrived here from Viadivostock, described the scene there at the outbreak of hostilities. On the morning of Feb. 9 a shot was fired by the flagship and signals were hoist ed calling all seamen and others who were on shore leave to come on board. There was great excitement and enthusiasm among the people in the

cheered as the ice breaker opened a At 8 o'clock headed by Rossia and sions. accompanied by the hurrans of the people gathered on the ice, the fleet

gathered about them, watching the

An imperial order has been issued summoning the reserve subalterns and first-class reserve men of European sian army, if necessary.

All Quiet at Vladivostock. here. No Japanese ships have been Long Island City.

The ice is heavy and the cold is insian diplomacy owes it to the Ameri-

PARENT CHURCH IS DYING.

So Declares a Prominent Pastor in

an Address In New York. New York, March 4.- In an address in which the feature of the fourth annual Baptist Social Union of New York, Rev. Russell H. Conwell, D.D. pastor of the Baptist Temple, Phila-British press, but the paper believes delphia, has declared that modern churches are dying slowly but surely because of indifference of pastors and

The modern Christian church, he said, is becoming submerged because of laxity. Pastors are growing indifferent and congregations are all the time becoming smaller. There are too many movements, too many off shoots and differing phases of creed The result is that the parent church is dying. The only reason that the young man goes to church nowadays is because he knows his best girl is

The Young Men's Christian Association is more prosperous than the church, because it is made attractive with its books and gymnasiums, with a true Christian spirit. With hospitals and colleges the sectarian spirit is waning. Men who make large endowments as a rule stipulate that the institutions they help shall be nonsectarian. If the church is to live. we must come back to the first teachings of Christ.

LARGE DUNKARD COLONIES.

Arrangements Made to Establish them In Northern Texas. Chicago, March 4.-The Record-Her

ald today says: "Arrangements have been made by ne predicted happened in the case of the Santa Fe railroad for the establish homes. England after the Crimean war. Ger- ment of two large Dunkard colonies many stepped into the British shoes." in Northern Texas and in the Pecos in conclusion, the Novoe Vremya valley. Between 300 and 500 families are expected to locate in the col

> "Through Phillip Swihart, of Tippe canoe, Ind., many Dunkards have already agreed to sell their homes and acres of land in the Pecos valley be tween Carlsbad and Roswell, and 51; 000 acres in Northern Texas, between Hereford and Bovina. On the latter area will be colonized the Dunkards, who desire to engage in cattle raising

who desire to engage in fruit raising.

Strikers Resume Work. St. Louis, March 4.- The strike of the laborers of the world's fair grounds was declared off today and the 1 000 men who walked out Monday resumed work at the reduction antheir wages were cut from 25 to ?"

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THREE PEOPLE ARE **BURNED TO DEATH**

troyed By Flames.

CAUSE OF FIRE IS UNKNOWN.

Dne Priest and Two Women Servants in Adjoining Rectory Lose Their Badly Injured-Money Loss \$35,000.

New York, March 5.- One priest and true. streets. The warships in the harbor

ships receive their war colors and Joseph: Kearney, abrasions on the face and hands and left hip, and the Rev Father Hennigan, shock and contu-

> The money loss by the fire was estimated at \$35,000. The cause is un-

Russia to the colors for six weeks' rapidly, soon extending to the rectory as Registrar of Deeds at Washington, course of training. A similar order adjoining. The inmates of the rec- that he had served as an assistant in of securing permanent peace and exhas been issued to the naval reserves. tory were all asleep at the time, and the office of the city attorney at Kan-This is interpreted as indicating that it is supposed that Father Ernest and sas City. His nomination as regis. tocol recently concluded between Jaeverything is being made ready for the two women were overcome by the trar was confirmed by the senate and pan and Korea will increase the intithe mobilization of the whole Rus- smoke and were unable to make any he served in that place with intelli. macy of those two countries. The attempt to escape.

According to a service organ, the The bodies of all three were so died. Some people restrain them maintain friendly relations with Jacost of the rations of the Manchurian badly burned as to be scarcely recog- selves from abusing the dead. have always heretofore made Russian troops averages forty kopecs each, of nizable. The dead priest was 27 years which 28 are for meat, three for tea old. Father Hennegan and Father lor before his appointment and by ob. pressing the Korean government to and nine for bread. The average for Kearney saved themselves by jump- servation of him during his incumben- define the extent of the district includthe Liatung soldiers is 45 kopecs. Ing from windows. Father Henne- cy and the little I have known of ed in the opening of the port of Wiju The St. Petersburg postoffice em- gan, who is suffering severely from him since, satisfied me that his char- on the Yalu river to the commerce of ation Commission, at close of business mind, began to do everything to stimulate Japanese aggressiveness, and a torp to boat to be named Post-Tel- the church. Father Kearney has abro- diatribe of Mr. Scott. sions of the face and hands and also suffers from the shock.

> St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church Vladivostock, March 4.—All is quiet was one of the largest churches in

The rectory was a three-story brick he adds 'as black as you ever saw' here since Feb. 25, when the ships were sighted on the horizon, but soon building, with an attic. The two women slept in the attic and the priests The inhabitants continue to leave had apartments in the second and Vladivostock, for Khorbarask, and Eu- third floors. The fire was started in rope. There are no signs of spring. the passageway connecting the church Mr. Scott might be overtaken. and the rectory and spread to both structures with great rapidity. By the time the firemen reached the scene the whole rectory was ablaze. Fath- Clerk in War Department at Washing er Kearney made his way down stairs through the blinding smoke and escap-

through the dense smoke. Father Hennegan, who is the rector the second story window by some lieved to be serious.

shock and exposure. was too short to reach them, and be- er, a clerk. Another shot barely miss fore a longer one could be raised, they ed Sexton, also a clerk. fell back into the flames.

Nothing has been seen of Father Ernest, and it is believed he tried to make his way to the attic to save the women and was overcome by smoke before he could reach them.

Threatened by High Waters.

There is no change in the conditions between this city and Columbia. At Middletown the lowlands are subis ruined. The town was without

have been compelled to leave their and would be held for a ransom of A large district of South Harrisburg

Six Men Drowned.

cross the bridge close together. Weil Again.

REPLY FROM CLEVELAND. Denies Negro Taking Lunch With Him

Lives While Several Persons Are

two servants were killed and two other priests were severely injured at a fire which destroyed St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church and the adjoining rectory in Long Island city Those killed were Rev. Father Erwere surrounded with ice and crowds

The fire started in an unknown man-

ner in the chruch and having a good start before it was discovered, spread I understand, prior to his appointment

FLOODS IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Harrisburg and Wilkesbarre Both Are Harrisburg, Pa., March 5 .- At 9 o'clock today the Susquehanna river registered 23 feet above low water Bandits Wanted \$10,000 Ransom but mark and was still rising.

re-colonize on a large scale in the sec Susquehanna river which registered 19 tions named. Contracts have been feet at midnight is now stationary. signed by the Dunkard committee and Early today a flood seemed imminent, the land agents of the Santa Fe by but the sudden freeze prevented the which the territory is reserved 15,000 ice from breaking up. Twenty-two been notified to help Mr. Cushing.

> Cleveland, O., March 5.-Six men were drowned and four others injured as a result of the collapse of the

The many friends of John Blont will be pleased to learn that he has entirely tism. Chamberlain's Pain Balm cured | unning sore on his leg; lut writes that | him after the best doctors in the town Buck'en's Arnica Salve wholly cared it night and day, curing indigestion, bili, (Monon, Ihd.) had failed to give relief. in five days. For ulcers, wounds, piles, ousness, constipation, sick hadache and F 18.

at White House. Washington, March 3 .- The house today resumed consideration of the District of Columbia appropriation bill

rence (Mass.) in the chair. Mr. Webb (N. C.) called attention to the statement made a few days ago by Mr. Scott (Kans.) that a negro dined in the White House while Mr. Cleveland was president, answered that he had written the former president sending him an extract from The Record and asking him if the statements made by Mr. Scott were

This morning, he said, I received the following reply, which he read amid applause on the Demicratic side: "Princeton, N. J., March 2, 1904 -Hon. E. H. Webb, House of Representatives: Dear Sir: It is a matter of small concern to me that a Mr. nest and Mary and Margaret Brady, Scott has seen fit to use my name in demestics. Those injured are Rev. a display of his evil propensities on the floor of the house of representa-

from the forts and then they drew "In answer to your inquiry, however, have to say of his statement that three-quarters miles. the negro man H. J. Taylor, took lunch with me at the White House, that it is a deliberate fabrication out

of the whole cloth. "As far as Mr. Taylor is concerned, gence and efficiency. He has since Korean ruler appears determined to

"One charge is made against Mr. Taylor by Mr. Scott which he doubly clinches with truth when he declares: to start the construction of the rail-

Yours very truly, (Signed) ."Grover Cleveland." nial to travel that the statement of

SHOT BY INSANE MAN.

ton Seriously Wounded. Washington, March 3.-Robert Man ed to the street. He is injured about ning, a messenger in the war depart the face and hands, having been cut ment, today was attacked by a crank and construction will now be rapidly and bruised while groping his way in his room in the department and shot pushed by the Japanese.

in the back. The assailant, whose name has not of the church, saved himself by sliding been learned, was quickly overpowered down a plank which was raised to and disarmed. Manning's wound is be Synopsis of the Doings of the Russo

workmen who ran to the scene. His The shooting occurred in the mail hands were cut by the rough edges and record division of the adjutant and two cruisers appeared off Vladiof the plank and his legs were bruis- general's office. The name of the man vostock at 1:25 o'clock Sunday after-He is suffering severely from as shown by papers taken from him noon, and bombarded the town and swear the above statement is true to the is J. O'Brien, an inmate of St. Eliza shore batteries for 55 minutes. No best of my knowledge and belief. Margaret and Mary Brady, who were beth asylum. He entered the room damage resulted, as most of their 200 sisters, appeared at a window of the flourishing a revolver. In addition to lyddite shells failed to burst. The attic just as the first fire company ar- shooting Manning, a shot also took Russian Vladivostock fleet is not at rived. A ladder was hoisted, but it effect in the left arm of Arthur Wick Vladivostock.

> Manning Resting Easy. ning, the war correspondent messen this move a Russian outpost, 1,500 ger who was shot yesterday by Wil- strong, is advancing to occupy Koyrliam O'Brien, passed a comfortable young, on the Tumen river. night. The indications now are that the wound is not dangerous as at first

chance of recovery. DAN CUSHING KIDNAPED.

Finally Released Man. Houston, Tex., March 3.-Dan Cush merged, and the electric light plant Rio by a party of men. A notice on thorized the statement that the reunion the door of Cushing's handwriting of 1904 will be held in Nashville, Tenn light last night and many families stated that he ha dbeen taken away on June 14, 15 and 16th.

Last night E. B. Cushing received a approved by the commander in chief is unundated. Traffic is still demor. message from Del Rio, that his broth and the department commanders. alized on the Philadelphia division of er had returned to a section house the Pennsylvania owing to the tracks near that point in a dazed condition. being covered by water in and below and that he would be taken to Del Ric

way back to Del Rio.

Aged Georgian Dead. Dallas, Ga., March 4.—Carrington Wheeler died of old age at his residence here Thursday. Mr. Wheeler was the oldest inhabitant in Paulding county, being in his ninety-first year. mainly, and on the former tract those bridge spanning Yellow creek near having settled here before the Inirondale on the Cleveland and Pitts dians left. He was a man of splenburg railroad today. The men were did character and had the respect of on the locomotives that attempted to the entire community. He is survived by his wife and several children and

grandchildren

I Saved His Leg. P. A. Danford of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful Oure all stomach, liver and lowel troubles

JAPANESE BOMBARD FOR THREE DAYS

in committee of the whole, Mr. Law. Port Arthur Under Fire Of Japanese War Vessels.

> KOREAN RULER FRIEND OF JAPS. Japan Ready to Start Building the

> Seoul-Wiju Railroad-France Has Concession to Build Read and May Cause Trouble. New York, March 5.-There has been a three days' bombardment by the Japanese of Port Arthur, accord-

ing to a Herald dispatch from Tien Tsin and timed at half past eight this (Saturday) morning. The attack was kept up at intervals on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The Japanese ships attacking the town were in action first at a distance of nine and three-eighths miles

closer, their range being four and Emperor of Korea Sends Reply. Tokio, March 5.-The emperor of Korea has sent the mikado a cordial reply to his personal message assuring the former that the war with the Russians declared solely with the view pressing the sincere wish that the pro-

"My inquiries concerning Mr. Tay. The British minister at Seoul is

Japs Ready to Build Railroad.

New York, March 5.- Japan is ready "He was a black negro.' I am, way from Seoul to Wiju at once, accord- erfordton, N C, at the close of business however, to doubt his familiarity when ing to the a Herald dispatch from on January 22nd, 1904. Seoul. The proposed arrangement may possibly create an issue between the Korean and French governments, Mr. Webb said he wanted this de as a concession was originally grant- Overdrafts 1,521 24 ed in 1896 to French citizens who, failing to arrange the financing of the road, allowed the concession to lapse in 1899. Under the agreement the railroad was to be built only by the Korean government under French en-

gineers, with French materials. A steamer has arrived at Chemulpo with thousands of tons of materials

SITUATION IN THE FAR EAST.

Japanese War. A fleet of five Japanese battleships

The 2,500 Japanese troops who land this 1st day of February, 1904. ed at Plaksin bay are advancing toward Musan with the intention of reaching Hunchun, and threatening Washington, March 4.-Robert Man the Russian flank. To checkmate

A woman refugee from Port Arthur tells of her flight after the first flight supposed, and Manning has a good Women fought for food to feed their

REUNION DATE SET FOR JUNE. Adjutant General Mickle Announces General Lee's Decision. New Orleans, March 3.-General Wil ing, of the Southern Pacific was last liam E. Mickle, adjutant general of night taken from the station at Del the United Confederate Veterans, at

> This was the time recommended b the Nashville committee and has been

Shot by Fermer Policeman. Birmingham, Ala., March 5.-Former on a special rtain. He stated that Policeman Glennan Tetherow shot and residence 'phone 71. after he had been with the men all fatally wounded Alderman D. H. Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 5.—The night he was released the following White, at Ensley, shortly after midmorning and told how to make his night. No one witnessed the shooting and the cause is not known, E. B. Cushing left for the scene but it is believed to have resulted N. C. Polite and courteous treatment. to solve the matter. Rangers have from a fierce political contest which Everything clean and tidy. Charges has been waged in Ensley, resulting moderate. in the loss of office by a brother of O. C. ERWIN,

> Tetherow is in jail. . . . Bridge Across Tennessee River. Washington, March 5 .- At the beginning of the senate session today the senate passed a biyy authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Tennessee river near Gilbertville, Ky., by the Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans Railroad company

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