ENGLAND WILL SEND 100,000 MEN TO CHINA

Japan Will Send Immediately a Force of 19,000.

BOXERS ARE DISPERSING

Those Surrounding the Legations at

Peking Are Moving Away-Further Details of the Recent Bombardment of the City of Tien Tsin. LONDON, July 11 .- It has been learned

that the British government is making arrangements to send 100,000 troops to China in the autumn. Paris, July 11.-At a cabinet council

the minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcase, read a telegram from Tokio confirming the news that Japan will send immediately to Taku a complete division of 19,000 men.

A dispatch from Che Foo, dated July 7, says the orphanage at Shan Tung has been pillaged.

The Chinese minister here has informed M. Delcase that Li Hung Chang cabled him from Canton that he had inst received a telegram from Peking asserting that the soldiers and rebels who surrounded the legations had gradually dispersed.

Bombardment of Tien Tsin.

Berlin, July 11.—The German consul at Tien Tsin cables that the foreign setments were continually bombarded by the Chinese from July 5 to July 8. On July 6, 2,000 Boxers attacked the French settlement and were routed by the Rus-

The British and Japanese forces, July 7. bombarded the Chinese batteries. To-



PRINCE TUAN. [Who Has Proclaimed Himself Emperor of China.]

the roof of the German consulate and

caused an outbreak of fire, which was

extinguished with but little damage. On July 6 the Peo Peng sailed for Taku with the German wounded. River communication with Tien Tsin and Taku has been safe since the Cni-

nese fort midway between the two towns

The railroad from Tong Ju has been repaired to within 3 miles of Tien Tsin. Nearly all the families of foreigners left Tien Tsin July 4.

American Troops Land. WASHINGTON, July 11.—The following

cablegram has been received from Admiral Remev at Che Foo:

"Arrived yesterday. Two battalions Ninth infantry and one battalion marines, Colonel Meade, landed to proceed to Tien Tsin. Allied forces at Tien Tsin engaged in maintaining their defenses. Ordered Solace here to take sick and wounded to Yokohama hospitals. Oregon will proceed soon to dock at Kure, towed by chartered steamer and conveyed by Nashville. Just learned from Admiral Seymour at Tien Tsin that the foreigners there are hard pressed."

ODELL MAKES A STATEMENT Alleged Plot to Assassinate President

McKinley Is Ridiculed. NEWBURGH, N. Y., July 11 .- Chairman B. B. Odell of the Republican com-

mittee said concerning the alleged plot to assassinate President McKinley: "I have read the account in a New York paper with reference to an alleged plot to assassinate the president and also as to the part which I am supposed to have taken in the matter. I have nothing to say upon the subject except that I have

made an investigation which I started with the state committee detective on the line of what I supposed to be political information and I discovered either a crank or a Baron Munchausen, and on the principle that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, it is probable that my report to Secretary Dick is the cause for the extra care now being further to say on this subject except that I regret that some one has been indiscreet enough to make of a trifling matter the gigantic plot published in the papers.

Hanna Says Story Is False.

CLEVELAND, July 11 .- Senator Hanna, referring to the report that a plot to assassinate President McKinley had been discovered in New York, emphatically declared that the story was false.

Shag Rock Removed.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11 .- The work of removing Shag rock, which has been a menace to shipping in this harbor, is completed. The work of removing the arch rock, which obstructs the channel near Alcatraz, has commenced.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET NAMED Bryan For President and Stevenson

For Vice President. KANSAS CITY, July 6 .- The Democratic convention has completed its work and adjourned.

Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois, was placed on the ticket with W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska, at the head.

Bryan was nominated for president by acclamation, while Stevenson won out over Towne, Hill and other strong

KANSAS CITY, July 6 .- Bryan by acclamation and with a display of enthusiasm demonstrating harmony in party ranks and an honesty in Democratic

A platform splendidly American, magnificently Democratic in every sentence given a remarkable reception. A record breaking day as conventions go-such a day, taken as a whole, as no

other convention has ever known. From the beginning of the morning session until the close at night, there was never a dull moment. Nownere else in the world and at no time has there been such a continuous, spontaneous outburst of enthusiasm-honest enthusiasm from the heart. There was nothing of the manufactured article in

all this. The presentation of Bryan's name and the announcement of his nomination were greeted by outbursts of the same character as when Chairman Richardson first mentioned his name to the convention. Perfect pandemoniums of happi-

ness and joy were these. Nor was the personal tribute paid Hill of New York, unexpected. The efforts of the convention to get Hill to the front before this indicated what the delegates would do if they were given the chance. But there were two outbursts of par-

ticular significance, two that were not among the expected. One of these was over Webster Davis, recently a favored son in the McKinley household, who made a brilliant and fervid speech renouncing allegiance to McKinley and McKinleyism, and declaring for Bryan. The other unexpected demonstration was that over the platform. Nobody expected much in the demonstration line over the platform, but the unexpected happened. To Senator Tillman fell the lot of reading the platform, and splendidly did he perform the task. Close attention was paid to every sentence. There was liberal applause up to the paragraph defining the party's position against Republican imperialism. As the reading of that, with its climax declaring this to be the paramount issue of the campaign, was completed, there followed an outburst which can only be described as marvelous. No other word fits the case. That vast audience broke into a paroxysm of enthusiasm manifested in every conceivable way. In an instant 20,000 flags flashed in the air and for half an hour there was a wonderful display of patriotic fervor over this magnificent utterance of Democratic policy. Oldham of Nebraska, who presented Mr. Bryan': name, has rather a tragic manner, but former Senator Hill was the dramatic figure among those who made

DOWAGER AGAIN IN POWER. Directs the Viceroys to Save the For-

means the only good speech.

seconding speeches, but his was by no

eigners at Any Cost. Washington, July 10.—The secretary of state has received a dispatch from Consul Goodenow, at Shanghai, stating that it is given out by the governor of Shan Tung that the legations were standing on July 5 and that the outlaws were dispersing. Mr. Goodenow adds

eral credence. SHANGHAI, July 10 .- News from official sources has been received to the effect that the empress dowager had, on June 30, resumed the reins of govern-

that this statement does not obtain gen-

ment and appointed Yung Lu prime It is said that she sent a dispatch to Nankin by courier, at the rate of 100 miles per day, thanking the viceroys of Yang Tse Kiang provinces for their loyalty, and recommending that they pro-

tect foreigners at any cost.

LONDON, July 10 .- The Chinese official sources furnish another surprise in announcing that the dowager empress. who had been reported within two weeks dead, fled, poisoned and hopelessly mad, has resumed the reins of power. The date given is June 30, the same on which the wholesale massacre of foreigners is alleged to have occurred.

NEGRO LABORERS IN DEMAND Wanted In Hawaii to Supplant the Japanese Farm Hands.

HONOLULU, July 10 .- It is to the negroes of the southern states that the plantation owners of the Hawaiian Islands will turn for relief in the matter of the vexed labor question. John Hind and J. B. Collins of the Kohala plantation have gone to the southern states in quest of negro laborers. They have assurance that 300 or 400 can be recruited at New Orleans.

The plantation will pay their expenses to the country and give them \$30 per month. If enough negro labor can be secured the services of the Japanese will be dispensed with altogether.

Enormous War Indemnities.

LIMA, Peru, July 10.-Garland's new pamphlet treating of the war indemnity collected by Chile from Peru and Bolitaken of the president. I have nothing | via since 1879, has made a decided impression here. The figures are given which show that by 1935 Chile will have received for nitrate and iodine from the Peruvian province of Tarapaca, \$2,350,-000,000 (Chilean), and from Bolivia \$650,000,000, Thus the war indemnity paid to Chile will reach \$3,000,000,000, a greater sum than France paid to Ger-

many. Slowly Boiled to Death.

SAN JOSE, Cal., July 10 .- George A. Morse, an aged and absolutely helpless patient in the Agnew Insane asylum, was slowly boiled to death in a bath in the men's ward of that institution. He was placed in a bathtub and after the hot water was turned on the attendant left the room for a towel, forget his patient and did not return until the im-becile was fatally burned.

POINTS OF THE PLATFORM. Synopsis of the Leading Issues of the Campaign.

Kansas City, July 6.-Following are the principal points of the Democratic

Reaffirmation of allegiance to the constitution. Government not based on the consent

of the governed is tyranny. Porto Rican law enacted by the Republican congress is denounced, as it taxes, without representation, people who were pledged to honest treatment. Prompt fulfillment of our promises to the Cuban people is demanded that the raid of the carpet-buaggers may be cut

Policy of the present administration in the Philippines is condemned and denounced because it puts the United States in the false and un-American position of crushing with military force he efforts of former allies to achieve liperty and self government. Favors election of United States sena-

tors by the people. Opposes government by injunction, denounces the black list and favors arbitration.

Recommends that congress create a department of labor in charge of a secretary with a seat in the cabinet. Insists on the reduction and speedy repeal of the war taxes and a return to the time-honored Democratic policy of strict economy in governmental expend-

Demands the continuance and strict enforcement of the Chinse exclusion law and its application to the same classes of all Asiatic races.

Favors the immediate construction. ownership and control of the Nicaragua canal by the United States, and denounces the insincerity of the plank in the national Republican platform for an isthmian canal in the face of the failure of the Republican party to pass the bill pending in congress. Views with indignation the purpose

of England to overwhelm with force the South African republics, and speaking for the entire American nation except its Republican officeholders, and for all freemen everywhere, it extends our sympaties to the heroic burghers in their unequal struggle to maintain their liberty and independence. A strict maintenance of the Monroe

prevent extension of European authority on this continent and as essential to our supremacy in American affairs. Condemns the Diagley tariff as a trustbreeding measure, skilfully devised to give the few favors which they do not desire, and to place upon the many burdens which they should not bear.

doctrine is demanded as necessary to

Opposes militarism, as it means conquest abroad and intimidation and oppression at home. It means the strong arm which has ever been fatal to free institutions. It is what millions of our citizens have fled from in Europe.

Private monopolies are designated as indefensible and intolerable, as they destroy competition, control the price of all material and of the finished product, thus robbing both producer and consumer: and lessen the employment of labor and arbitrarily fix the terms and conditions thereof and deprive individual energy and small capital of their opportunity for betterment.

The principles of the national Democratic platform adopted at Chicago in 1896 are reaffirmed and indorsed and the demand of that platform for an American financial system made by the American people themselves, who shall restore and maintain a bemetallic price level, as part of such system the immediate restoration of the free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold at the present legal ratio of 16 to 1 without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation, is reiterated.

JOHNSON COMMITS SUICIDE. Hanged Himself in Police Station-His

Mind Deranged.

GAINESVILLE, Ga., July 7.-W. S. Johnson, of Littleton, N. C., committed suicide in the police station in this city | don. by hanging himself with a leather strap taken from his valise.

From a letter found on his person and from statements made by himself during rational moments it appears that he was enroute home from Alexandria. La., where he had been to secure his brother, Andrew H. Johnson, whose mind is temporarily deranged.

Johnson stated when arrested that a mob had been pursuing him since he left Louisiana and he jumped off the train because he heard the conductor tell the porter to put that fellow off at

While Man Tur ed Yellow.

Great consternation was felt by the friends of M. A. Hogarty of Lexington, Ky, when they saw he was turning yellow. His skin slowly changed color, also his eyes and he suffered terribly. His was Yellow Jaundice. He was treated by the best have already arrived. doctors, but without benefit. Then he was advised to try Electric Bitters, two bottles I was wholly cured." A trial proves its matchless merit for

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL FAST TRAIN HELD UP

Occurred Near Wikeliff at an Early Hour.

SECURED ABOUT \$10,000

Posse In Pursuit With Bloodhounds On the Bandits' Trail - Fireman Knocked Down and Badly Wounded. None of the Passengers Molested.

PADUCAH, Ky., July 11.-The Illinois Central fast train from New Orleans to Chicago was held up and robbed this morning at 1:10 o'clock, 2 miles south of Wickliffe, Ky. The train was flagged and when it stopped the bandits entered the cab. The fireman, J. J. Fryisch, was knocked in the head with the but of a revolver and badly hurt.

The robbers, six in number, cut off the engine and express car and ran 11/2 miles to Fort Jefferson, near the Ohio river, and within sight of the Missouri shore. Here they blew the express safe and secured all the valuables it contained. They left the engine and looted car and crossed into Missouri. They dropped one package containing \$700 on the Kentucky side and another package on the Missouri side, both of which were recovered this morning.

TL robbers overpowered the express men and made them get off the train, but did not molest others on the train, which carried a large load of passengers. A special train with bloodhounds and an armed posse has left division headquarters at Jackson, Tenn., for the scene and it is understood Missouri officers are hot on the robbers' trail.

About \$10,000 was secured in addition to money dropped by the robbers. The robbers left some of their tools, a rifle and four pistols, in their flight.

RUN INTO AN OPEN SWITCH. Train With \$3,000,000 on Board

Wrecked Near Philadelphia. PHILADEIPHIA, July 11 .- According to officials of the Baltimore and Chio railroad a deliberate attempt to wreck the Washington express bearing \$3,000,-000 to the subtreasury in New York came near being successful at Folsom, a short distance outside of this city. The train consisted of two sleepers, two day coaches and three baggage cars and left Washington at 11:30 o'clock last night. It was due here at 5:10 o'clock this

morning. While going at a good rate of speed, it ran into an open switch at Folsom. The engine was overturned and three baggage cars were derailed, but no one

was injured. An examination of the switch by the railroad men disclosed the fact that the switch had been tampered with, for the apparent purpose of wrecking the train. Whether it was done with the intention of wrecking the express bearing the currency could only be conjectured. The railroad officials have placed detectives on the case and have offered a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of those tampering with the switch.

WILLIAM WALDORF ASTOR

His Social Career In London Brought to an Abrubt Close.

LONDON, July 11.-William Waldorf Astor's sudden departure for Germany at the very height of the season, the cancelling of all his engagements here and the recall of the invitations which he had issued for house parties on next Sunday and on next Sunday week, at Cliveden, are regarded as signalizing the closing of his social career in Lon-

It is openly declared here that the Prince of Wales, who is the supreme arbiter of English society, has cut him in consequence of his insulting treatment of Sir Archibald Milne last week and London is only too ready to take its cue in the matter from its future king, as Mr. Astor, in spite of his wealth and the magnificence of his entertainments, has made many enemies by his numerous idiosyncrasies and by his extraordinary arrogance.

DELEGATES ARE ARRIVING. Tenth International Convention of B.

Y. P. U. to Meet at Cincinnati. CINCINNATI, July 11.—Preparatory to the opening of the tenth international convention of the Baptist Young People's union, the local committees, with the help of citizens, have everything in readiness for the reception of the hosts of delegates expected. Some of them

A strictly executive session of the executive committee and the board of managers was held at the Grand hotel here. the onderful Stomach and Liver The various reports to be presented to away, streets were flooded and corn and remedy, and he writes:"After taking the convention were submitted and considered and plans for the exsuing year discussed.

Farmer Badly Injured. LAFAYETTE, Ga., July 11 .- G. W. Patterson, a farmer of Walker county. residing near here, was fatally injured by a wheat thresher falling on him from a hillside, where he was at work. His right leg was broken in two places, his

left leg in one place. He was seriously

injured internally. No Change of Plans. WASHINGTON, July 11 .- It was stated at the White House that no word had been received there to the effect that President McKinley will return to Washington Saturday. As far as the officials at the executive mansion know there

original plans. Will Put Out State Tickets. Lincoln, Neb., July 11.—Three fusion state conventions, the Populists, Democratic and Silver Republican, are in session here to nominate full state tickets.

has been no change in the president's

Sail For England. CAPE Town, July 11 .- The Duke of Marlborough, the Duke of Nortolk, Lady Sarah Wilson and Dr. Conan Doyle have miled for England.

CAROLINA'S GOVERNORSHIP. Candidates Seek the Indorsement of Senator Tillman.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 5 .- Politicians are puzzled over the situation in the governorship contest. There are four candidates, any one of whom have a fighting chance, and it is impossible to say which one is the strongest man. So far it has been impossible to form an estimate of their individual strength. It is a neck and neck race between Hoyt, Gary, McSweeney and Patterson. That Hoyt is a very strong man is evidenced at each campaign meeting, while the same thing also applies to Gary, while McSweeney's friends show plainly that, thus far, the campaign has been a disappointment to them, but state that, being the only straightout dispensary candidate, Senator Tillman will throw

his support to the governor, thus insuring his success. It is also apparent that other candidates are seeking the indorsement of Senator Tillman, who thus far has refrained from expressing any preference. There are some who state that no

matter who Tillman supports, it will have little effect on the general result, as it is more the man and his qualifications for the office than his platform. But Senator Tillman's influence in the rural districts is well known, and should be declare for either of the candidates, it is safe to state that his mar will be in the second primary.

Gary Is Confident.

ABBEVILLE, S. C., July 10 .- Hon. Frank B. Gary, candidate for governor, has returned to his home here for a two weeks' rest. He has stood the campaign well, and states that he has made decided gains in every county visited, and has no doubt he will be the next governor of South Carolina.

ICE PLANTS CLOSED DOWN. Breakage of Machinery Causes a Fa

ine In North Carolina. RALEIGH, July 10.—By the breaking down of the ice plants at various points in this part of the state an ice famine prevails at Durham, Winston, Henderson and other places. By supplying these cities Raleigh was on the verege of an ice famine. There are two facto ries here, but only one in operation,

which has a capacity of 26 tons per day. For several hours during the day people were unable to get ice at many towns in eastern North Carolina and orders were wired to points in Virginia for shipments

At Salisbury the heat was intense while the people were without ice until a carload arrived from Alexandria, Va., the nearest point where it could be ob-

AN ICE FAMINE IN CAROLINA Great Suffering Results From Break-

ing Down of Machinery. COLUMBIA, July 9.—For three days, with the maximum temperature not lower than 98, there has been an ice famine in all towns in the eastern section of the state. People of Camden, Cheraw, Darlington, Florence, Dillon and other places have experienced great

suffering. In the railroad center of Florence the few remaining blocks of ice were sold in small pieces only, on physicians' certificates. The breaking down of several big factories caused the famine.

MORTGAGE FOR \$75,000,000.

It Is Filed With the Clerk of Court at Columbia. COLUMBIA, S. C., July 7 .- The largest mortgage ever recorded in Richland county has been filed with Clerk of Court Walker. It was the mortgage given by the Seaboard Air Line railway

to the Continental Trust company of It is beautifully bound and gotten up nous paper, containing about 30,000 words, and the revenue stamps attached to it amount to no less than \$19,217. This amount of stamps were affixed and cancelled. Clerk Walker's fee was \$30. The document was also recorded in

the office of the secretary of state. Approved By the War Department. COLUMBIA, S. C., July 10.-B. A. Rawls has been advised by Congressman Wilson that he has received an official letter from Washington stating that the secretary of war had, on June 30, approved all the plans and specifications for deepening the channel of the Congaree river, and that on July 2 bids for

the work will be called for. Severe Hallstorm.

SALUDA, S. C., July 7 .- A storm unequalled in the memory of the inhabitant of 20 years' residence has passed and vines; tow bridges were washed other crops were in many places lev-

Farmer Assassinated. RALEIGH, July 9.-Edward Lamsden.

was a native of New Rochelle, N. Y., and was the owner of the farm on which he lived. The concealed assassin was so near that the load of shot from the gun passed entirely through the body. Murdered His Father.

CHARLESTON, July 9 .- Andrew Wil-

liams, a negro, attacked his father aged about 60 years with a knife, killing him instantly. Andrew had threatened to beat his wife, and Williams, Sr., remonstrated with his son. Ther murderer escaped. Carolina Veterans' Reunion.

Walker, commanding the South Carolina division of the United Confederate veterans, has issued orders for a re-

Greenwood, commencing Aug. 1.

union of the old soldiers of the state at

Carolina Farmers to Meet. COLUMBIA, S. C., July 9 .- The thirteenth annual meeting of the Farmers State Alliance will convene July 25 in the hall of the house of representatives.

EDUCATORS AT CHARLESTON Governor McSweeney Welcomes Dele-

gates to South Carolina. CHARLESTON, July 10.-The National Educational association was formally welcomed to Charleston this afternoon at the opening session of the national convention. Nearly 2,000 delegates were present in the Thomson auditorium. when the assemblage was called to order by W. H. Welch, chairman of the local

executive committee. Governor McSweeney welcomed the educators to the Palmetto state and Hon. John J. McMahan, state superintendent of public instruction, spoke for the educational interests of South Caro-

The freedom of the city of Charleston was tendered the delegates by Mayor

J. Adger Smythe. Responses for the educators were made by Dr. E. Cram Lyte of Millersville, Pa., J. W. Carr of Anderson, Ind., and J. A. Foshay of Los Angeles. President Carson delivered his annual

Dr. W. M. R. Harper, president of the University of Chicago, was the principal speaker at the morning session of the National Council of Education, which is being held in Charleston in conjunction with the National Educators' convention. Dr. Harper made a personal report as chairman of the committee on a national university. Dr. Harper's report recommended that such a university be not established. He believed that a museum of a national character should be placed in Washington, as there were many splendid institutions there, any one of which would form a splendid nucleus for such a school. Dr. Harper's report did not differ materially from one made by him on the same subject recently in the north. The reading was followed by a long and at times interesting discussion, most of which foreshadowed the council's opposition to Dr. Harper's idea.

WRIGHT HELD FOR MURDER. Administered Poison to His Wife and

Then Attempted Suicide. Anderson, S. C., July 7 .- A sensational tragedy has occurred here. It was the attempt of Rufus T. Wright to poison his young bride and then him-

A few days age Wright married Miss Collie Burns, a pretty girl of 17. He brought his wife to Anderson to visit her married sister The poison was taken while both were sitting in a swing in the flower garden, and while Wright, who has recovered, is charged with attempting murder, it is not yet known whether his wife was a party to the act.

Anderson Poisoning Case.

Anderson, S. C., July 9 .- Rufus T. Wright, who gave his bride of three days a dose of strychnine and then attempted to kill himself, is still too ill to New Orleans. talk about the tragedy. When he re-covered sufficiently to talk he declared that the poison had been taken by mistake by his bride. The father of the unfortunate girl has also begun prosecution of Wright, and promises to push the case. The affair has created a sensation throughout the country where the families of both bride and groom have occupied conspicuous places in their respective communities.

FEARS HIS SISTER IS DEAD. Greenville Lady In Peking When the

Boxers Attacked the City. GREENVILLE, S. C., July 6 .- Dr. S. M. Reynolds has received a letter from his sister, Mrs. Gilbert Reid, who is a missionary in China. The letter was written in Peking on May 30, and Mrs. Reid says that she might be murdered before the day dawned. She had not slept nor undressed for several days and was in mementary expectation of an attack from the Boxers. Inasmuch as he has heard nothing from his sister by cable. Dr. Reynolds has little hope of any good and is for \$75,000,000. It is a volumi- news, though a dispatch has stated that some missionaries, one of them named Reid, escaped from Peking June 24.

Mrs. Reid went to China several years ago as a Methodist missionary, but later married Dr. Gilbert Reid, who is at the head of the big international institute at Peking. He is a friend of Li Hung Chang, and this may have saved him.

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FOREIGNERS UNDER FIRE.

Four Days' Engagement at Tien Tsin. Chinese Fight Desperately. TIES Tain, July 10.—It is reported from Chinese sources that the foreigners at Peking have taken possession of one of the prince's palaces opposite and commanding the British legation and that the native Christians have been installed

CHE FOO, July 10. - Refugees who have arrived from Tien Tsin bring the following information:

"The Chinese resumed the bombardment of the foreign quarter last Tuesday and noncambatants were ordered to leave. The bombardment is described as the worst yet experienced, but there were no civilian casualties, though many marvellous escapes are reported. A force of British and Russians tried to silence the Chinese guns, but retired without effecting their object. Two guns from the Terrible silenced the Chi-

nese guns on Thursday, but the artillery duel commenced on Friday. "Seven hundred Russians are occupy ing the railway and station at Tong Ku Japanese troops are landing at Taku."

The immediate object of the allies is

to take the native city and stop the bom-Another Severe Engagement.

TIEN TSIN, July 10 .- The Chinese shelled the foreign settlements all day long July 3. Upward of 150 shells fell into the concession and many houses were partially wrecked. The casualties, however, were few, the civilians and women and children being ordered to seek shelter in the cellars of the town

hall and the Astor hotel. Three companies of Japanese infantry. a mountain battery and a body of Rusbut with little effect. The 12-pounder of the British first class cruiser Terrible then came into action, but the enemy placed two shells fairly under the gun damaging the carriage and wounding the crew. The gun was withdrawn and replaced by a French gun, which had a similar experience, a shell bursting in

the midst of it.

Distributed in Germany. Berlin, July 10 .- A German pamphlet descriptive of North Carolina, printed at Leipsig at the order of the authorities, is now being distributed in large numbers throughout Germany.

Dividend of 10 Per Cent.

WASHINGTON, July 10 .- The comptroller of the currency has declared a 10 per cent dividend in favor of the creditors of the insolvent Mutual National bank UNION GARPENTERS STRIKE.

They Refuse to Work With Negroes

and Nonunion Men. AIKEN, S. C., July 6 .- About 70 union men have refused to work beside the negro carpenters and nonunion men. The union men claim that it is beneficial to work only with union men, as best satisfaction can be given to both conractors and parties to whom the work belongs. It is also claimed that the strike is no. on the grounds of race prejudices or wages so much as to pro-

tect the union. The contractors refuse to consider the demands of the union men.

Republicans to Make a Test. RALEIGH, July 7 .- Democratic State Chairman Simmons has been informed that upon an affidavit by the negro janitor of the government building at Winston, a regis rar of election was arrested and taken before a United States commissioner. The affidavit charged that refusal to register the negro denied his right to vote for congressman in November. The case was continued until

Bears the Bignature Caff Flutcher

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weakness, and from irregular or painful menses, ought not to lose hope if doctors cannot help them. Phybusy with other diseases that they do not understand fully

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