

Admiral Seymour, it is asserted, suc-Washington, June 27 .- The Chinese its governor and is editord of the Denuseded in getting a message into Tien minister has received a telegram from ver News, and is the most prominent

Mr. Aycock has few peers as a speaker, which the hero of Mafeking said, among CHAMPION WHEAT GROWER

according to which he was Pekin via Ching Fu, dated June 12. Ver News, and is the most promotent then eight miles westward, terribly saying that the ministers and foreigners for the Senate. He is a thorough Demhatassed, could only hold out another in Pekin were safe and well and that ocrat and is a man of large means. No we days, and had by killed and over arrangements were being made to pro-200 wounded. He did not mention the vide them with an escort out of the city. ministers or others from Pekin.

#### It is thought at Shanghai that now Then Tsin is relieved the combined in- Communication Opened with Seymour

Minister Wu's Message

ternational forces will have no great London, June 27.-A special from The story has been revived that the

is unabated. Every steamer is thronged, were short of provisions, and were re- though the records of the postoffice deand the authorities have been obliged turning without having rescued the lega- partment may show to the contrary. The o resort to the use of the fire horse to tions. revent the fugitives from overcrowding ine vessels.

The commander of the British firstass cruiser Undaunted, however, has

According to a dispatch from New- had been sent out of Pekin by courier Chwang, the Russians there are bare'y to Shantung and telegraphed thence. railroad material, killing isolated Rus- message was obtained: ians at every opportunity and destroying the coal mines

### THE PRESIDENT HOPEFUL

# Settlement of Present Disorders

ity in the situation and a speedy set- disposed to permit. American citizens and interests.

president emphasizes that although this

country is proceeding along the same lines as the rest of the civilized world, there is nothing hiaden or obscure in its motives and purposes. China has noth- W. R. Charles, the British consul at ing to fear from this country unless she Tien Tsin, bearing no date, but probais careless of consequences.

The president expressed these views June 27th, states that the commissioner o several of his callers this morning. of customs at Tien Tsin has received Whether his hopes as to a clearing up a note dated Pekin, June 19th, from of the dangerous conditions in China Sir Robert Hant, director of the Chiare based on official information is not nese imperial marine customs, which known. The opinion was given after a says that the legations had been veconference with Secretary Hay this quested to leave reain within twenty-The Secretary of State was four hours. The note adds that heavy morning. at the White House early and was with firing had been heard north of Pekin

one of the longest conferences he has dispatched. yet held.

The president has given most earnest attention and study to the deplorable and grave state of affairs in the Chinese He has received many expres- The Referee Will Not Be Stopped from sions of opinion from all over the coun-

try. These vary, many going so far as to recommend most aggressive action by name is mentioned so far for permanent chairman with any large support behind it. Richardson, of Tennessee,

desires the place, but it will likely come east:

difficulty in reaching Pekin, though it is Shanghai dated last evening says that Hon. Perry S. Heath has been invited expected that it will be found that all communication with Admiral Seymour by the President to step down and out foreigners have already left. It is was opened by the Tien Tsin relief of office of first assistant postmaster laimed that the reports as to the dam- force Sunday. Admiral Seymour was general because of his alleged appointage done at Tien Tsin and the casualties among the foreign residents have been highly colored. The exodus of Chinese from Shanghai ed; only a few had been killed. They sponsible for Neeley's appointment, real sponson for Neeley was George Washington Cromer, who represents the Eighth Indiana district in Congress, and who is a neighbor of Neely in the town

Washington, D. C., June 27 .- Admiral of Muncie, made famous by the large nded large supplies of rifles and ammu- Kempff's dispatch led the government number of its citizens who for more ion, and guns have been placed in to accept as authentic and correct a dis- than twenty years have been in various the result that the foreigners are confi-deat they can overcome any attack on the settlement into which the foreigners are confi-the settlement into which the foreigners by whom it had been received. It was from the out-stations are rapidly congre- dated Pekin, June 19th, and signed by The Heaths, be it known, also started

the Tsung Li Yamen, and apparently at Muncie. It is said that Perry Heath approved Representative Cromer's selection of hle to cope with the situation. The The following authorized statement Neeley for a place in Cuba in the inter-Chinese, it appears, are burning all the of the contents of the Tsun Li Yamen's est of party harmony at Muncie. And only to this extent can be be considered

"The Chinese minister called this responsible for Neeley. It is regarded morning on the Secretary of State and is possible, however, that in casting and shall be. If every white man in for the time into small parties that natural resources of North Carolina. communicated to him the contents of a about for a sacrifice with which to apdispatch which he has received from the pease the public wrath aroused by ras-Tsung Li Yamen at Pekin, dated the cality in Cuba, Mr. Hanna and Mr. Mc-McKinley Looks Forward to a Speedy 19th. The dispatch states that the far- Kinley have fixed their eyes upon Mr. eign ministers had before this date asked Heath as the most available material for permission for the legation guards and as meeting in all essentials the de-

Washington, June 27.-President Mc- to enter the city, which permission had mand for somebody of higher rank than Kinley's opinion is that the worst of been granted; that they subsequently that held by Rathbone. At the same the trouble in China has been passed, asked that these guards be reinforced, time if Mr. Heath should be placed at He looks forward hopefully to less grav- which the Chinese Government was in- the head of Mr. Hanna's literary bureau after being forced out of the post

tlement of the disorders, thus restoring "The dispatch then goes on to state office department, as the report has it, ader and furnishing protection to that the consul general at Tien Tsin, it could not be claimed that he had been The president further asserts that the eral, had telegraphed to the viceroy of held his position in the last campaign "sacrificed." The fact is that Mr. Heath interests of this country in China are Hechili that the foreign admiral de-wholly unselfish, and that the work of manded the surrender of the Taka forts. Hanna that he was rewarded with the the United States so far is based wholly and that the foreign ministers were position he now holds. A further fact on the broad policy of protection to shortly to leave Pekin for Tien Tsin is that Mr. Hanna again placed Mr. Americans wherever they may be. The with their guards."

reau six months ago, and when Democratic members of Congress, led by M. E. Benton, of Missouri, threatened to

invoke the Civil Service law against London, June 27.-A telegram from Heath dividing his attention between official and political duties, Mr. McKinley quekly took the hint and caused Mr. bly sent June 24th by way of Chefoo, Heath to resign from the literary bureau.

Illinoisans of both parties in Washington declare that the Democrats of their State have put in the field an unusually strong ticket. The nomination of the best selection which could have been June 22nd. Licutenant Colonel Bar-

safe, intelligent and honest legislator. day.' He is a lawyer of high standing, and is of Hebraic extraction. It is said that he has few superiors anywhere as

an attractive campaigner, and that he Albany, June 27.-The Ice Trust was will unite the warring Harrison and the historic Thames river course, Har-

political matter passing through the

of his and he held the must attention vast audience from first to last. His argument was so clear and lucid that it imple-minded. He spoke with tremenlous force of the reconstruction period which hung over our State and the South like a black pall, when murder,

apine and thievery were rife throughout the State, and Southland under the rule of the negro and the Republican party; how in 1870 the reins of government were wrested from this gang of cut-throats by the Democratic party and peace and prosperity once more ame to our people; again of our recent the negro vote.

The proposed amendment to the Conness"-that its purpose of permanently enthroning the intelligence of the State in mud was three inches deep and that the I can raise such good wheat." the seat of government rather than ignorance cannot be misunderstood, nor under its application is it possible to disfranchise a single white man. Mr. Ay- statements, says: cock pledges to use his best energies towards the uplifting and advancement of the cause of education during his coming fice." term af Governor and lift out State from ried. His speech throughout was on a pickets, making a show of force here Paris exposition.

of his hearers and himself.

### KUMASSIE EXPEDITION

### Major Wilkinson Moving Northward as Rapidly as Possible.

London, June 27.-Colonel Wilcox. commanding the Kumassie relief expedi-Praham, under date of June 26th, as follows:

"Major Wilkinson reached Bekwai by way of Obnassi June 19th. I had writ- acht are now more comfortable. Large ten to Governor Hodgson that troops quargities of food and blankets have would arrive at Gekwai June 20th if been forwarded to them, and their enpossible. I am of the option that he closure is lighted by electricity. never received my letter, as I have received a letter from him dated June of warm clothing - reaching Lord 17th, informing me that he woul dhold Roberts' infantry, who had been ragged out until June 20th. Captain Hall heard firing by seven-pounders on the night of June 21st. At first five shots monly active east of Pretoria. were heard and subsequently five more. Captain Hall fired two guns as a signal. Jain that all the securities deposited by the Hon. Samuel Alschuler, of Auron. Major Wilkinson departed immediately the American and other insurance comfor Governor, is characterized as perhaps from Bekwai and arrived at Esumaga panies have been found. at the White House early and was with firing had been heard north of Pekin the best selection which could have been made under the circumstances. Mr. roughs with 500 native soldiers is moving for thirty minutes, for thirty-six hours before the note was dispatched for the longest conferences he has dispatched. State Senate at Springfield for two or are all in flood and the troops are una-

### University Boat Race Today

New London, June 27 .- Tomorrow, on to recommend most aggressive action by the finally to the the unit of the unit **Claude Kitchin in Charlotte** and Yale that has been manifested in Charlotte, N. C., June 27.-Special.years past. The oldest inhabitant who was interviewed this afternoon said he Claude Kitchin delivered one of the best had never seen fewer college people in speeches of the campaign here tonight. town on the day preceding a big 'varsity The speaker was frequently interruptboat race. Still it must be remembered ed by applause. He presented his argunight in a town like this, and as New said God had given man powers, reason Haven and Cambridge are both within and persuasion. May He grant that

other things, that the Boers could certhe siege. Little flags dotting the outcould not be misunderstood by the most skirts and numerous warnings to the townspeople not to let their cattle stray proved an effective ruse, and saved the garrison the frouble of laying mines.

### IN BEDS OF MUD

## for British Sick

experience under negro domination, this morning a communication from Wil- from one grain of seed. I send a chalwhen the white men under the leder- liam A. P. Burdett-Courts, consevative lenge in with the wheat that you can ship of the Democratic party once more member of Parliament for Westminster, also put on exhibition at the meeting of arose in their might in 18. and swept who is now in Cape Town, charging the different agricultural commissioners forever from power the party that hal the government with inadequate provis- in your city now in a while. I am only brought about such a deplorable state of ion for the sick and wounded. The an ordinary farmer of this country, but

oor wretches had practically no nursing.\

The Times, commenting upon these

"Such horrible details show the callous short-sightedness of the War Of-

The Boer commandos in the eastern

side in these last days of hostilities, receipt of the literature. Lord Roberts' columns are steadily contracting the circle of their advance. Transvaal officials who were inter- K. Bruner as follows: tion, telegraphs to the foreign office from His physician thinks his condition of State.' health will not allow him to go to the

high veldt.

The British prisoners at Nooit God-

Pretoria telegrams say that supplies and had suffered from the cold. Commandant General Botha is uncom-

Sir Alfred Milner wires Mr. Chamber-

The War Office has received a dispatch | campaign.

bellion in Cape Colony, north of the of about 220 men, 280 horses, i8 wagons, 260 rifles and 100,000 rounds of ammunition.

General Baden-Powell reports that pacification is going on satisfactorily in

do not appeal to the last resort. His-

a single instance where an appeal to

manhood has failed. The speech through-

out held every listener. All acknowl-

edge that Kitchin's effort was of great

value for the cause of White Supremacy.

SQUEEZED BY SUGAR TRUST

People's Pockets.

### tainly have stormed Mafeking early in | A Bunch from Carthage with 110 Well Matured Heads

The Agricultural Department received within the areas sown with mines yesterday some of the finest specimons of native grown wheat ever seen here. The wheat was grown by A. J. Lawhorn, of Carthage.

In a letter to the commissioner of agriculture Mr. Lawhoa says:

"I am sending you be today's express Inadequate Provision Made for Caring a bunch of wheat that contains 110 w ... matured heads, which please put on exhibition as the largest bunch of wheat London, June 27 .- The Times publishes grown anywhere in the United States

affairs which had been placed there by writer paints a painful picture, telling I am the only man anywhere eround of 1.500 patients who lay in field hos- that has corn in his crib and bacon in pitals for seven weeks without beds. He his smoke house that the taxes have been stitution was discussed with such clear- says that typhoid victims were stretched paid for four years. I don't say this ipon the ground in the rain, when the boastingly, but it only goes to show why

# LETTERS FROM GERMANY

### Acknowledging the Receipts of the North Carolina, Booklet

While in Germany, Mr. T. K. Brunet its present position to the very front part of Orange river colony appear to had printed several thousand little book-rank along that the where it should be have been broken up by their leaders lets, descriptive of the soil, climate and the State could hear his speech the harass large columns of the British, in- The pamphlets were printed for distriamendment would be as good as car- cessantiy cutting off scouts, sniping bution among Germans and also at the

high plane and nothing was said at and there, and bewildering the slow-which a single white man of any party moving bodies. Commandant Christian let to each of the forty American toncould take exception. He had to close DeWet, General Steyn's principal com- sults in Germany for distribution. Yeshalf an hour early on account of an ap- mander, is the genius of the guerrilla terday he received letters from eight of proaching storm, greatly to the regret operations. He is the hero on the Boer the German consuls acknowledging the

George H. Murphy, the vice consul at Madeburg, Germany, wrote Mr. T.

viewed yesterday at Machadodorp by a "I shall comply with your request with correspondent of the Daily Express as much pleasure, being myself a native of serted an intention to hold out to the North Carolina, whose 14 years resilast. President Kruger will probably dence abroad in the consular service has retire to Watervalonder or Nelspruit, not lessened his loyaky to the old

### SENATOR RANSOM INVITED

### Democrats of Johnston Invite Him to Address Their Convention

The Democrats of Johnston county hold their convention July 4th. Ex-Senator M. W. Ransom has been invited to address the convention, and it is hoped that he will accept.

After he was retired from the Senate by the fusion Legislature of '91 Senator Ranson returned to private life and he has evaded all efforts to draw hira into politics, though liberally contributing to the cause of Democracy in each

The people of Mooresville, Iredell county, gave the Senator such a cordial and strong invitation to speak to them three terms, and has made a record as a ble to move more than a few miles a Orange river, is now over. The last on the present issues that he has conformidable body under commandant De- sented to do so. This will be his first Villiers surrendered June 20, consisting political speech since his retirement in 1894. The Democrats of Johnston are hopeful that he will accept their invitation to address them July 4th.



Justice Alden Chester. The justice refused to vacate the order granted by Justice Chase appointing and is considered to be especially This year, it would seem, there is not strong with that element of voters. With the interest in the meeting of Harvard nations conclude that the time or partition has arrived. In fact a strong under-current of sentiment for granted by Justice Chase, appointing 30 per cent, of the German vote, which territorial acquisition in China has made Myer Nussbaum as a referee to conduct ordinarily is Republican, it is estimated its way to the White House. The presi- an inquiry into the operations of the ice that the Democrats can reclaim Illinois dent's conservative disposition, however, trust in order to enable the attorney this year and give the State to Bryan. prevents his giving weight at present general to secure sufficient evidence upon The charge is being made against the to this sentiment, if the undercurrent which to base an action to annual the postoffice department by the Democratic of feeling in this direction may be called certificate of authority issued the Ameri- campaign managers that Republican that city folks don't like to stay over ment in a most persuasive manner. He can Ice Company to do business in this postmasters have already begun the pracsentiment.

BLACK EYE FOR ICE TRUST

Taking Evidence.

From Pekin, June 19

M. Combon, the French ambassador, State. In reaching this decision Justice tice of preventing the delivery of Demoaccompanied by First Secretary Thie- Chester follows the decision of the appel- cratic campaign literature to the adbault, called at the White House while ate division in the coal trust case a few dresses.

Secretary Hay was with the president, years ago, holding that the appointment The attention of the Democratic manand remained in the blue room until the of a referee under the anti-trust law is agers was first called to this alleged ofpresident had time to see him. There a judicial function. Was no conference on the Chinese situa- The constitutionality of the substan- that Democratic speeches asked for and

tive provisions of the law is not passed which had been sent, had not been retion and no exchange of views. M. Cambon said he called to say upon, such action being unnecessary to ceived. The amount of matter miscar-

good-bye prior to his departure for reach a conclusion on the questions rying being large, and in view of expe-France, and that there was nothing polit- raised. Justice Chester also dismissed rience in other campaigns, the concluthere could be anything in the diplo- granted at the request of David Wilcox, postmaster, or at least the more bitterly thatic field as to China at this time. The attorney for the ice trust, who aimed to partisan of them, were not delivering ceraffairs there, he said, are for the pres-prevent the examination, by Referee tain of the mail matter passing through but in the hands of the war branches of Nussbaum, of the officers and books of their offices. The authorities of the dethe trust. Upon this point the justice partment deny that any formal comthe different governments.

The fact that the president in a few agrees with the attorney general, that an plaint has as yet been made to them days is to leave for his home in Can- alternative or absolute writ of prohibi- concerning the reported non-delivery of ton. Ohio, notwithstanding the appar- tion cannot issue out of a special term. chily acute situation in China, most "fa- While Justice Crester's decision allows mails. Should such complaint be lodged vorably impressed the ambassador. He the referee to go ahead without restraint. in the proper manner, they say, it will takes as indicating that the United it is expected that a stay will be secured be investigated.

Secretary of State and had a brief inter- dinary course of events.

and Yale cohorts will not begin in earn- us manhood. May He grant that we est before tomorrow morning.

### No Federal Courts for Winston

Winston, N. C., June 27.-Special.-District Attorney Holton was today notified by Attorney General Griggs at Washington that the bill failed to be-

come a law giving Winston two terms in his visit. He did not see that the two alternative writs of prohibition sion was reached that the Republican of the Federal Court annually. It appears that the bill passed both houses of Congress, but for some reason was not signed by the President. Winston will make another effort at next session of Congress.

vesterday made the sixth advance in fair. New Orleans, June 27.-The Louisiana the price of refined sugar within five House of Representatives has passed al- weeks. It was an advance agreed upon most unanimously the bill separating long ago when the trust took refiner

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#### Mill Men to Meet in Philadelphia to Act on the Matter

Charlotte, N. C. June 27,-A committee of eight mill owners o fthis State, constituting a committee of the Southern Cotton Spinners Association, will meet at the LaFayette Hotel, Philadelphia. July 5th, in compliance with a resolution passed by the board of governors easy distance, the influx of Harvard we appeal to these. He has also given of the association declaring that the declination in yarn prices is unwarranted and recommending that the matter of establishing agencies of their own be tory for two thousand years shows not considered. The committee is composed of A. C. Miller, Sheiby, chairman: W. C. Heath, Monroe; Geo. E. Wilson, Charlotte; J. A. Abernathy and R. S. Reinhardt, Lincolnton: President J. H. McAden and Secretary Geo. H. Bliss of Charlotte.

A member of the committeestated that it was proposed to supplant the middle Thirty Millions a Year Taken from the man by a direct representation of the mills, either by establishing agencies of their own or to have as representatives New York, June 27 .- The consumer three or four commission houses whose must hereafter pay more for his sugar action and attitude toward the Southern than he has paid for years. The trust spinnrs have been clearly defined and

### Andree Reported Safe

# Jim Crow Street Cars