

makes only too evident what has been he thinks a thing ought to be done, he going on in the bottled up section of also thinks he ought to do it, regardless

Lona leave the port within 24

at San Francisco had demanded line.

panese consul general has ernment. I have wired a full resume iemand upon me that the Rus- of the situation and have notified the cruiser Lena, which ar- department that my squadron will not port on the 11th instant, leave port until ordered to do so. I ex-24 hours. Her captain re- pect further instructions before mornconted that he entered the port in order | ing.'

make necessary repairs to his encting Secretary Ade imerce and Labor, dispatch, signed by the atten was sent to Mr. Stratton;

our telegram, addressed to the secconcerning the department as diof steamer's arrival a spector's report, and if re ssary, the probable time complete them. If further tre desired you will be in-See circular 29, end of page 2 and all of page 3."

reular" referred to is the presiproclamation issued of hostilities between Japan, and in view of the on at San Francisco with Lena one of its para-The proclama-If any ship of war or r belligerent shall, aftakes effect, enter or, roadstead or waters Slotes, such vessel shall equired to depart and put to sea hours after her entrance into such port,-except in case of stress of ther, or of her requiring provisions igs necessary for the subsistence or repairs, in either of the authorities of the port require her to put to sea as soon ble after the expiration of such and of 24 hours, without permitting take in supplies beyond what essary for her immediate

Lena incident has brought the closer than it has ever fore during the period of present ins in the far east to the borders one of personal national interis not too much to say that of the state department deeply erely regret the fact.

Lona of course did not come to hors of this country without a purpose in view. And in view of the Russian policy as disclosed by events in the Red Sea and during the he Vladivostok squadron in the

seventh inclusive for joint discussions. The mater of the Lena lies wholly It is not yet known whether or not tratton's telegram follows: in the hands of the Washington gov- Mr. Blackburn will accept.

Killing in Pender

Boston Hayes shot and killed Pender

tauga county from their third to the

county last Friday night. There had the act that a whole family of white chester county. The latest victim of ceive thinking people. The intoler-I have requested the was the first caller on Collector of the been bad blood between the negroes people have been butchered and stamp- the highwaymen is Patrick Kealing, The Japanese consul, General Uyeno, and boilers to make Port Stratton today. He was evident- for some time, and Friday night Wil- ed out by the two fiends who were who was robbed of \$50 early this mornthe vessel's ma- ly laboring under much excitement, liams attempted to strike Hayes with lynched and their acomplices. Mobs ing by three Italians, consent of the Russian and he made a preemtory demand in a heavy stick, when the latter pulled are bad, but they are evidence of the the commander of the Lena. the name of his government that the his pistol and shot Williams. The ball spirit of liberty. We of the south have

I can find no authority in law or regu- cruiser Lena be required to leave port entered the negro's mouth and death thrown off the yoke of the black maons conferring any authority on me at the expiration of 24 hours. Collec- resulted almost instantly. Hayes has jority. From necessity we used force instructions be sent." tor Stratton replied that should repairs been arrested. He will make a plea of and fraud to overcome the negro ma-

ton's telegram was be found necessary this time would be self defence. Sassulideh and 3000

Rumored Captured 4,992, and the left ((Oku's) 7,681. The SLASHED HIS WIFE number of officers killed was 136, and mlar 29. Wire this depart- Story Goes That the General the number wounded 464. Is Severely Wounded--Ku-The Japanese legation has received the following dispatch from Toklo: roki Threatening Russian "Marshal Oyama reports that our

Communications or is He Cut Off

Himself.

of the fourth and fifth. "The main force of the enemy is believed to be retarded north of Hun river. Natives say the enemy sent by train over 100,000 killed and wounded.

Sakharoff's Dispatch

the situation at the front. Unofficial

information tends to confirm the re-

ports that General Kuropatkin is with-

drawing the bulk of his army from

Ulhtomsky May Be Shot

Mukden.

many large camps of Japanese.

London, Sept. 13 .- A report is current from a source that cannot be traced that official Russian dispatches ammunition." have reached London announcing that General Sassulideh, who commanded a part of the Russian rear guard south of the Hun river, has been severely wounded and captured, with 3,000 of

his 5,000 troops. There is no mention of this in the dispatches from Tokio or the messages from correspondents in the east. There are conflicting reports concerning the position of General Kuroki. On one hand it is said that he is threatening the communications of the Russians, who are represented as being apprehensive of his actions, while on the other hand it is rumored

that he himself has been cut off from his communications with Feng Wang Cheng by the unexpected march of General Linevitch from Vladivostok. Having Tien Tsin as its place of origin the 'latter rumor may be discounted pending an explanation, but it is recalled that there has been more than one report recently that General

Linevitch was advancing to attack the Japanese in the rear.

News at Japanese Legat on

of License

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 12.-In a letter to Supreme Court Reporter Bryant, of

ate ourselves from a condition that was unendurable. The negroes have the memory of eight years of license, and inspired by the actions and utterances of President Roosevelt they give evidence only too plentiful of a hope and bellie that their time will come again. Race antagonism hatred grow apace. The whites are resolved to govern at whatever cost."



cause She Weuld Not Stop From Work

Petersburg, Va., Sept. 12 .- About

We buried over 3,000. The enemy today John Warrenton, a young white man of this city murderously assaultburned magazines near station before ed his young wife on North Washingevacuation. We captured, however, ton Street with a razor while she was immense quantities of provisions and

going in search of employment. The woman was cut on the back of the

Sick for treatment. Warrenton went to press Company. the jail and surrendered himself. Mrs. Warren has made an ante mor-

has been seen north of the Yentai railtem statement in which she declares handling a Winchester. road, but that south of there there are that her husband assaulted her with the razor because she would not stop The Yentai railroad referred to by half a day from work. Warrenton has General Sakharoff is probably the frequently figured in the mayors court. branch road connecting the Yentai The affair has been the topic of concoal mines with Yentai, on the main versation here today and much symline between Liao Yang and Mukden. pathy is expressed for the young wo-

of breadstuffs, provisions, cotton and

ter Rear Admiral Prince Ukhtomsky is below the totals for the same month deprived of his command for disobeying last year. The greatest decline was in the order of the czar not to return to cotton, which dropped from \$21,179,900 Port Arthur after the sortie of the Rus- in August, 1903, to \$6,136,334 in the new expedition to the north will be his sian fleet, which resulted in its practical month just past, while breadstuffs de- last, whether successfully or not. But destruction by Admiral Togo, he is to clined from \$15,599,622 to \$5,336,421, a he said he belieced it will crown his velt knows that his Cuban policy never the soldiers took their departure. be tried by a court martial and sen- loss of \$10,263,201, or 60 per cent. Pro- hopes. He said he had an extremely could have been put into execution ex-

Black Hand Again

Will Platt Yield?

no improvement tonight.

ruff.

last moment.

be asked for to try the negro.

White Plains, N. Y., Sept. 12.-For the number of special arguments that will Lincoln, Senator Tillman of South fifth time within a week bandits who appeal to the popular pulse and that bold, defiant expression of the 'big Carolina defends the recent burning of are believed to be members of the to say the least are plausible, his stick.' This administration suits the Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 12 .- Special. negroes at the south. He says in part: black hand society have murderously characteristic efforts to lay claim to "The act of the mob at Statesboro is assaulted three men and robbed two all the honesty and sincerity that ex-Williams another negro, in Pender to be deplored, but more deplorable is others in the northern section of West- ists in the political world will not de-

> ance of the letter alienates the independent vote at the very outset. Such is the oft expressed opinion heard today."

"While the President advanced

Chairman Cowherd, when seen tonight talked to the .correspondent of

Oyster Bay.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 12 .- The situa-The Post with reference to the Presition with regard to the gubernatorial dent's deliverance, which shows that nominee by the Republican State Conthe man has been unchained by his vention which meets Wednesday shows political censors.

Gov. Odell "President Rosevelt's letter of acis determined that Lieutenant Goverceptance is too long to be reviewed nor Higgins shall be nominated, while in an interview, nor have I had an op-Platt is equally determined to fight is out for ex-Lieutenant Governor Woodcare to attempt that task. Like most vision.

Odell's friends, however, profess to

Trestle Rebuilt.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 12 .- Second Vice-President E. F. Cost, of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, returned today from Catawba River, S. C. ,where he directand uncertainty of others, who has ed the rebuilding of the trestle through and Yamentse Hill after the fighting Says Her Husband Did It Be- which two Seaboard trains went on himself as shifty and uncertain a record as Mr. Roosevelt. The free trad-Friday morning. The first train foler taking protection and the "trust lowing the repairs came in today. buster" grown gentle, has little rea-Those injured in the wreck continue son to talk of the shiftiness or uncerto improve and many have been able tainty of others.

7 to proceed to their homes.

"Mr. Roosevelt's letter of acceptance is full of assumptions that lack facts Conductor Accidentally Shot to back them. When he says, for instance, 'do they (the Democrats) object

Richmond, Va., Sept. 12 .- Charles L. to the way in which the Monroe Doc-Harrison, a Pullman car conductor, trine has been strengthened and upthe Norfolk & Western, was acci- held'? he assumes the very thing which neck from ear to ear and it is thought dentally and probably fatally shot in never occurred. The Monroe Doctrine, that her injuries will result fatally. Lynchburg this morning by Ed Lips- as every one knows, has been weakened

She was taken to the Home for the comb, an employe of the Southern Ex- by Mr. Roosevelt's attempted definition and limitation of it. When he says that The shooting occurred at the rail 'never before has this doctrine been acroad station, where Lipscomb was quiesced in abroad as it is now he

should qualify it by stating that it is his Monroe doctrine that is acquiesced in and not the Monroe doctrine as it was known before he amended it. His

construction has been acquiesced in abroad because it was in conformity with foreign interests.

"He has the temerity also to ask lieved Mr. Hill's visit was for the pur- the petition of the American citizens pose of suggesting ideas with regard against the Kishinev massacre. In to the conduct of the national campaign the light of Mr. Roosevelt's complete

ment is amusing.

of whether the law has given that power into his hands o rnot.

"Taken as a whole, the letter is a president and he thinks it suits the people and proposes to stand by it. 1 admire his boldness, but I question his judgment."

The funeral of the late Joseph F. Saum, father of Mrs. Justice Pritchard of the United States Circuit Court, who died last week, took place yesterday from the home of the family in this city. Judge Pritchard who attended the funeral returned to Asheville tonight.

E.E. Norris, for a long time chief clerk in the general superintendent's office of the Southern Railway, has been appointed train master with headquarters at Norfolk to succeed B. G. Fallis, who has been transferred to portunity to go over it with sufficient the branch lines of the Danville di-

of his writings, it is virile and bold W. B. Lughlon, who has been chief and likewise, as most of his writings, it clerk at Birmingham, has been brough believe that Platt will yield at the is full of inaccuracies. Few men have to Washington to succeed Mr. Norris the dramatic instinct to a greater deas chief clerk.

gree than President Roosevelt. It is Several important changes are soon an excellent quality in an author and to be made by General Manager Acka very dangerous one in a president. ert.

It makes all his writings readible and Rural delivery routes were authorceeps the country in continual alarm ized today to begin operation October as to what he will do next. It takes 15th, from the following points. a bold man to speak of the shiftiness

Leland, Brunswick county: Shelby, Cleveland, county, route, number6, Youngsville, Franklin county, route number 2.

Rural delivery carriers were appointed today as follows:

Adam L. Rowlos, on route number from Barber.

Robert L. Hall, on route number from Woodsdale.

Jefferson Rogers, on route number 6, from Durham.

Charles O. Watlington, on route number 1. from Yanceyville. Representative E. W. Pou was here

today.

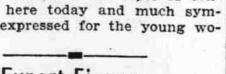


Members of First*Regiment Raid Reidsville.

Reidsville, N. C., Sept. 12 .- Special, When the train loaded with the first regiment of North Carolina soldiers stopped here this morning en route home from the army maneuvers at Manassas several of the men left the car and proceeded to loot some of the back down on his proposed forwarding near-by stores. Ed Miller's place was entered and something over one hundred dollars' worth of goods taken. "Mr. Roosevelt also says that the William Young's saloon was not over-

looked during the line of march, and rocity, but their action on the Cuban that concern's stock of intoxicants was greatly reduced. Other merchants had enough forethought to lock up their places of business and stay away until

Mayor Watt says he will notify Gov-

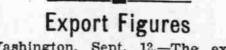


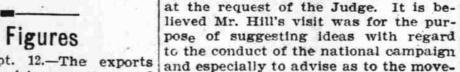
No fresh light has been thrown on man. **Export Figures**

mineral oils for the month of August,

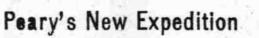
valued in the aggregate at \$32,209,618. Paris, Sept. 12 .- It is reported that af- fell \$27,524,276, or nearly 44 per cent ..

St. Petersburg, Sept. 12 .- A dispatch has been received from Lieutenant Sakharoff under Monday's date reporting that no large Japanese force





Washington, Sept. 12 .- The exports and especially to advise as to the movements of the candidate.



Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 12 .- Lieutenant Perry announced tonight that his

Hill at Esopus Esopus, N. Y., Sept. 12 .- David B. Hill arrived here today and was in con-

ference until 9:30 tonight, when he returned to Albany. Mr. Hill's visit was

whether we objected to his action on

of that petition to the czar, this state-

Democrats assert their belief in reciptreaty does not carry out the assertion. This is a plain attempt to misstate the facts of history. Mr. Roose-

raid of	the Vladivostok squadron in the	News at Japanese Legar on	he tried by a court martial and son-	loss of \$10,263,201, or 60 per cent. Pro-	hopes. He said he had an extremely	could have been put into execution ex-	amor Avocal and put in a claim for
Pacific,	it is believed that the Lena	Washington, Sept. 12The Sapanese	tonced to be shot which contance will	visions decreased from \$15,454.296 to	hopes. He said he had an extremely important annoucement to make at the banquet in New York on Wednesday	cept by the unanimous and of the Demo-	damages The other coldiers were duite
001 10 00	the high seas, repaired, provis-	legation today received the following	be executed.	\$14,155,971, and mineral oils increased	banquet in New York on Wednesday	cratic party. He knows that it was	andariar name states Deiderdile people
10ILEI (1	al coaled, would not lose any	cablegram from Tokio:	be executed.	from \$201,416 to \$6,580,892.			
objouted	my that might present itself of	"The Manchurian army reports that		For the eight months ended August	gress, to those interested in explora-	and influential portion of the Republi-	any trouble save the North Caronmana,
ROBUSE	American vessels loaded	two kinds of dum-dum bullets were	Condition of Chinese	31st the total excess of these products	tion and geographical	can party, both in the House and Sen-	
R-11 R 213	inded contraband of war.	found among the munitions of war	Tokio, Sept. 12 Official dispatches	were \$392,890,775, or \$64,517,339. This		ate. It is true the Democrats desired	
The y	There are an an an and the second are second	the Tipe Veng battle	from Liao Vang describe the nitiable	antine long and more \$61.040.000	Deldeville N C Sent 12 Special	to take off the protection on the sugar	
Lena 1			I soudition of the new compatents then		m Deverage Alla and and a second and the second and	trust; it is also true they opposed the	Elizabeth City, N. C., Sept. 12Spe
Vindige	tok to San Francisco in thirty	the Bussian rifles of the type of 1891.	The Russians, it is said, forbade the	100 per cent. The losses of \$4 520 060 in	at Wentworth today and nominated	clause in the Cuban treaty which prac-	cialCamden court convened today.
days h	S aroused considerable discus-	Some of the wounds inflicted on the	Chinese to leave, hence the numerous	provisions and \$3 236 330 in cotton wors	the following ticket: for the senate,	tically prohibited reciprocity towards	The presiding judge, E. B. Jones, de-
Binh Im	Washington The fairly fast	Some of the wounds innected on the	casualties among them. Field Marsha			any other country. But though they	livered a strong, clear, comprehensive
Third = -	there that we from Son Door	by bullets of this description."	Ovama reprobated this as callous inhu-	ornorts	A. J. Burton; for the legislature, Ira Humphreys and R. A. Stokes; for	could not get their ideas into the treaty,	charge. There is a small docket with
118/10 11.	visiting of We directed to be	A dispatch from Tokio to the Jap-	manity and ordered that aid shauld be				
from as	20 down	A dispatch from lokio to the Jap-	given the sufferers He was much mov.		deeds, J. A. Scales; for coroner, J. L.	do and stood by the policy of recipro-	AAVIII AAI NI TI NA MI O
Thurs	do 32 days.	anese legation places the total cas-	ad by the benevelance of Mr West	Southern Railway's Advance	deeds, J. A. Scales; for coroner, J. L. Sharp; for county commissioners, W. I.	CITV.	TT. MI, DOING LEGGIE CODOG CARE F
COnstant	field neet at San Francisco,	ualties on the Japanese side at the					political issues, of the day. The first
Bustine		battle of Yiao Yang at 17,539 officers				the veterans by his executive order and	two speakers ably discussed the walls
FITTER			cued more than 200 Chinament.	stock market, in which many leading	ination in this county is equivalent to	criticism of the Democrats comes dan-	act, showing its many commendable
COtra-		Of these, the army of the right (Ku-	Marshal Oyama insists that the cas-	securities scored declines and others	ination in this county is equivalent to	gerously near being the plea of a small	features.
Contraction of	of Rear Admiral Goodrich,	roki's) lost ,866, the center (Nodzu's)	(Continued on Page Two.)	were barely steady, Southern Railway	an election.	for a mark wome wound mo bree of a duman l	