MINOR EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Stems of General Interest Told in Paragraphs.

NEWS SUMMARY COMPLETE

Record of Mappenings of Much or Little Importance from All Parts of the Clvilized World-Incidents, Enterprises, Accidents, Verdicts, Crimes and War.

Government majority in House of Commons cut down from 130 to 45 on division over Lord Cranborne's refusal to answer questions relating to foreign policy.

Use of straight jacket abandoned in Bellevue hospital.

First number of Chinese Weekly Herald, New York, appeared. Class of seventy-three cadets gradu-

ated from West Point and soon to go into active service. Steve L'Hommedieu, racing man,

tried to shoot Robert Pinkerton in cafe at New Orleans. . Two Justices of North Carolina su-

preme court accused of high crimes. New steel combine to issue \$300,000,-000 bonds in addition to its \$800,000,000 capitalization

Chicago Great Western made appli cation for membership in Western Passenger association.

Chicago cattle company bought 443, 600 acres of grazing and mineral lands in New Mexico.

Alderman J. A. Patten of Evanston cleaned up \$60,000 to \$100,000 on May corn deal.

Rock Island road is rushing extension from Liberal, Kas., to El Paso.

British correspondents in south Africa say De Wet is in a bad predicament, and that nows of highest importance may be expected at any mo-

American concessionnaires said to have received \$35,000,000 for rights in Hankow-Canton railroad. Condition of all trades in Germany

serious. Thousands of idle workmen in Berlin. Chicago Federation of Labor sens

letter of defiance to Samuel Gompera. Purchase of State island land said to be for great ship yard.

Quacks at Hot Springs, Ark., thrive by fleecing visitors to health resort. E. R. Lyons, former Chicago law-

yer, reported murdered in Philippines. Fire in building at 173 and 174 Monroe street, Chicago, caused Ries of \$38,000,

First Presbyterian church of Maywood, Ill., destroyed by fire at hour of morning worship. Loss, \$10,000.

Fish and oyster famine threatened if cold weather continues. Ministers of the allied power in China find they have been tricked by

the Chinese and more blood may be shed. T. P. O'Connor suggests a change in the form of oath taken by the king so

as to avoid offending Catholics. J. Pierpont Morgan secures a controlling interest in the British Electric

Traction company of London. Denwer and San Francisco promoters make bids for Jeffries-Ruhlin

Artilla, a heavily backed favorite was badly beaten at Tanforan. National league magnates suspect players of signing with American. Reported in Tien Tein that seven powers declared war against China. Quiet restored in Spain. Martial law to be discentiaued next week.

King Miward bestowed Order of the Bath on the Czarowitz, Premoters of steel combine drew up

paper for \$800,000,000 corporation. Schwab to be president. Edith Talbot of Bowdoin Square theater, Boston, shot and wounded in

arm by waknown man. Saloon fixtures wrecked and liquor poured in street by women at Perry. Kan, Crassde spreading.

Ex-Captain O. M. Carter again refused ball by federal judge at Leavenworth, Kan.

Two incane men gave testimony against Bellevue nurses, saying Hil-

Hard was beaten. Edward VII., accompanied by queen, rode in state Thursday from St. James' o Westminster and opened parliament, ending his speech from throne in tones of lords. Splendor of ceremonies

inrivated in modern history of Lon-Andrew Carnegle to give fund for Lincoln Memorial Library at Springfield, Til.

Canadian suberculosis convention rged new law regulating treatment of King of Gojam, Abyssinia, poisoned,

nd two pretenders quarreling for Premier Zanardeili announced new

talian ministry, made up of two par-

Russian secret police busy arresting leged plotters against czar. corne Gould and others connected th Harriman syndicate now in full

of Denver and Rio Grande rted C. M. Schwab, president o company, will be president of ar steel combine.

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Summary of Legislation in National

MEASURES IN BOTH HOUSES.

Seante and Wouse-Bouse Considers Suadry Appropriation Bill.

Wednesday, February 13. The senate during the greater part of the day was engaged in executive session and in the counting of the electoral vote for the president and vicepresident of the United States. Late in the afternoon consideration of the agricultural appropriation bill was resumed, but little progress was made. At a night session the District of Columbia code bill was read.

The house devoted the day, excepting an hour and a half consumed in counting the electoral vote and promulgating the result of the presidential election, to the sundry civil appropriation bill. General debate upon this measure was completed, but little actual progress was made with the bill.

Thursday, February 14. The senate considered the agricultural appropriation bill during the day and the district code bill at a night

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Friday, February 15.

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Saturday, Debruary 16.

The diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was reported to the senate with an increase of \$47,429 over the allowance of the house, making the total \$1,865,228. The largest item of increase is \$20,000 for legation grounds at Pekin, China, and \$5,000 for student interpreters in China, Other changes are: Salaries of ministers to Bolivia and Persia increased to \$7,500; consul general at Ottawa increased to \$4,000; consuls at Marseilles and Coburg made consuls general; new consuls at Christopher, W. I., and St. Pierre, S. P., islands, at \$1,500 each; consular salaries increased at Que- are being reconstructed and will be bec, Odessa, Para, Lourenzo Marquez, ready for operation early next month.

Ascuncion, Copenhagen, Leghorn, Port Stanley, Liege, Stettin, \$500 each. The senate committee on appropriations completed the fortifications bill. It carries an increase over the house bill of \$311,000.

Monday, February 18. Senate: Nearly the whole day was devoted to consideration of the postoffice appropriation bill. Amendment appropriating \$500,000 for an extension of the pneumatic tube service remains undisposed of. Mr. Pettus of Alabama delivered a speech in opposition to the ship subsidy bill. Conference report on the military academic appropriation bill was submitted. Mr. Daniel of Virginia, made a vigorous attack upon the provision which debars a cadet convicted of hazing or holding a commis-

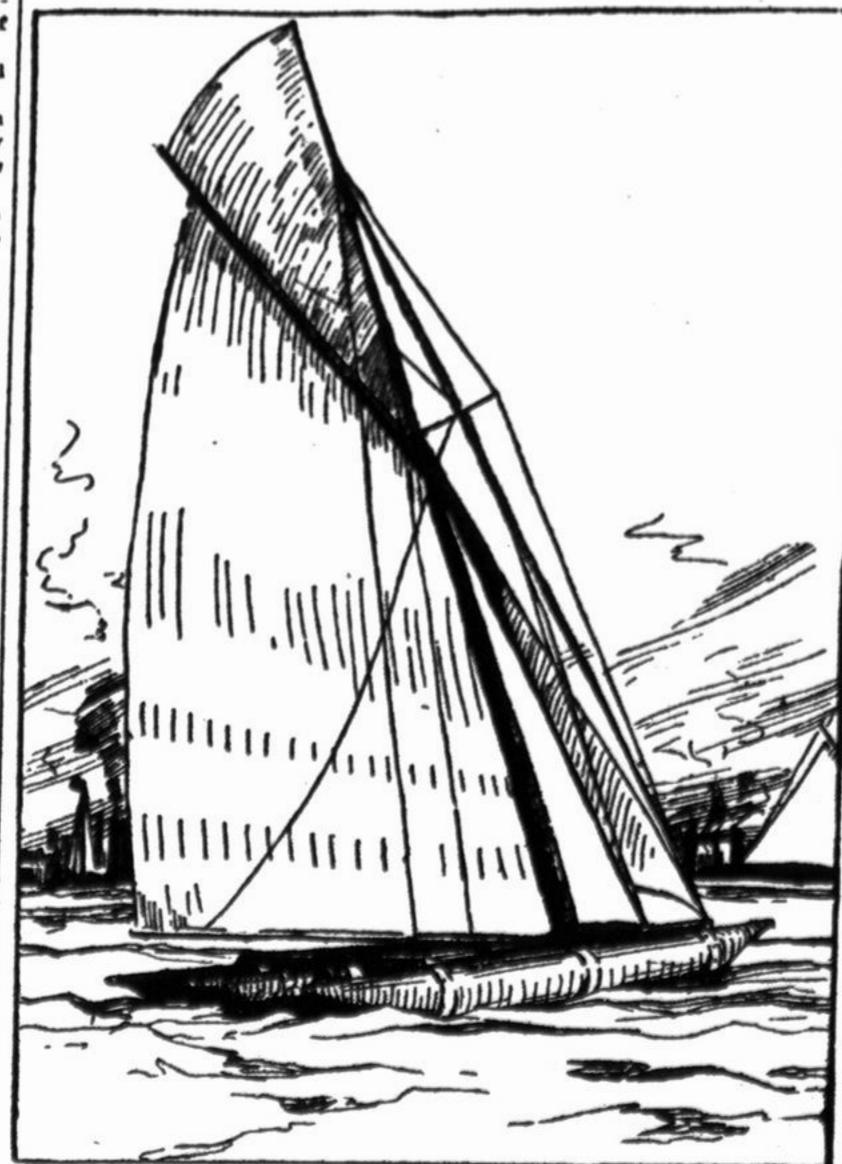
sion in the army, navy or marine corps. The house, under suspension of the rules by a vote of 191 to 41 passed the bill appropriating \$5,000,000 for the St. Louis exposition. The bill to define the word "conspiracy" in the Sherman anti-trust law to avoid the possibility of its being held applicable to labor organization was defeated by almost a two-thirds vote on account of two amendments which the judiciary committee placed upon the bill and which were opposed by the labor organizations. The sundry civil bill was under consideration late in the day.

Maurice Thompson Is Dead, Maurice Thompson, the author, died at Crawfordsville, Ind., Friday, after an illness of many weeks. He had been kept alive for several days by the use of stimulants. Mr. Thompson's literary career began in 1871, when he wrote some articles and poems for the Senator Mason secured amendment New York Tribune. In 1873 he became to river and harbor bill providing for a contributor of the Atlantic, forming survey for turning basins in Chicago in this way a friendship with William River. Made clear that vote on ship Dean Howells which continued until subsidy bill will not be permitted at Mr. Thompson's demise. His first book was published in 1875 under the title of "Hoosier Mosaics," and attracted but little attention. Before the appearance of "Alice of Old Vincennes" Mr. Thompson had written a number of other novels which obtained more than ordinary success. Chief among them may be mentioned "The Tallahassee Girl," "His Second Campaign" and "At Love's Extremes."

> Film a 85,000,000 Morigage. A mortgage for \$5,000,000 was filed at Joliet, Ill., by the Pressed Steel Car. Company, covering the works here and

at Pittsburg. The mortgage is given to the Morton Trust Company of New York to secure an issue of bonds in that amount. Payments of \$500,000 yearly must be made until the bonds are taken up. The instrument required \$2,500 in revenue stamps. The local works burned last December and

SMALL BOAT TO BE USED IN A RACE ACROSS THE ATLANTIC.



thirty feet in length.

what he terms an "unsinkable" craft, the Key, one of the Little Bahamas. He which he proposes to use in the race. is now 59 years old.

Dean S. Webster of Chicago, a re- Captain Webster comes from an old tired lake captain, proposes to enter in Nantucket family of seamen. His a race across the Atlantic with Cap- grandfather, Folger, sailed from that tain Howard Blackburn of Gloucester, island for many years as a trader. Mass., if he can agree with Blackburn Young Webster entlisted as private at on terms of the race. Captain Black- the outbreak of the civil war, but was burn some time ago issued a challenge transferred to the navy and served on for such a race in any boat of less than the United States steamship San Jacinto, which was wrecked on Jan. 1. Captain Webster is the inventor of 1865, on the coral reefs of Green Tur-

Fire in Big Paper Mill. The Kimberly mills of the Kimberly & Clark Paper company, situated four miles from Appleton, Wis, were damaged to the extent of between \$400, 000 and \$500,000 by fire Wednesday night. The loss is covered by insurance. The finishing rooms, print mills, three machine rooms and a number of other buildings are a total loss. The plant will be rebuilt. Chief B. L. Anon of the fire department was sufwhere he was arrested.

Two Eliled by One Bullet. A tragedy occurred at a dance at Jellico as the result of an old grudge between two miners named Strunk and Surgener. The two men were dancing. One of them accidentally jostled the other and a quarrel resulted. Strunk fired at Surgener, the ball passing entirely through his body and killing a boy of the name of Martin, who was directly behind him. Strunk covered all the occupants of the room and then fied, going to the Tennesses side

REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

Senator Chapman's Omnibus Appropriation Hill Appropriates \$3,688,679 for State Executive Departments' Expenses for the Two Years Beginning July 1.

Wednesday, February 13.

Senator ('hapman, chairman of the senate appropriations committee, will introduce an omnibus-appropriation bill in the senate. The bill provides for the expenses of the executive departments of the state and appropriates for that purpose \$3,688, 672.95 for the two years beginning July I 1901. This is \$386,639,62 in excess of the omnibus appropriation bill of two years ago. Among bills introduced by representatives were the following: By Mr. Donoghue-Providing that only Beensed attorneys may conduct collection agencies. By Mr. Farnum-To regulate the manufacture, brewing and sale of beer, ale, porter, malt tonic, malt extract and kindred malt beverages, and to provide for the inspection of the same. By Mr. Hunter of Winnebago-'fo provide for the location of the Illinois state colony for epileptics in the town of Grand Detour, in Ogle county. By Mr. Jones of Cook-Increasing the national guard to twenty-four battalions, the object of the bill being to provide for the admission of the 8th Illinois infantry. the colored regiment which went to Santingo. By Mr. Kerr-Providing that cities, towns and villages may by ordinance regulate telephone charges. By Mr. Loy-Providing that coroners shall be licensed physicians.

Thursday, February 14.

Among the bills introduced were the following: By Mr. Nohe-Fixing sleepingcar charges as follows: \$1 for single berth, \$3 for section and \$3 for a stateroom for a period of twenty-four hours. By Mr. Rankin of Warren-Amending the dramshop act so that section 13 thereof reads as follows: "The giving away of any such intexicating fiquors or the taking of orders or the making of agreements at or within any city, village, town, township or precinct wherein no ficense to keep a dramshop shall at the time of the taking of any such order or the making of any such agreement be in force for the sale or delivery of any such agreement be in force for the sale or delivery of any such liquors or any other device to evade the provisions of the act, shall be held to be an unlawful seiting." Also a bill providing for the establishment of a state sanitarium for the scientific treatment of persons afflicted with tuberculosis. It appropriates \$200,000 for the purchase of grounds and the erection of buildings. The institution to be known as the Illinois state sanitarium and to be in charge of three trustees. The cost of treatment to Indigent patients in to be defrayed by the counties of which they are residents. By Senator Alden-To punish the sending of threatening letters for blackmailing purposes by imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Friday, February 15.

Representative Jones of Chicago introduced a bill in the house to probibit indecent advertisements. Among other things the bill makes it unlawful for any person or agent of any theater, sideshow, circus, firm or corporation, museum, theatrical troups or actors, dancers or male or female performers to post in any street, alley, avenue or public highway any theatrical bill or any other bill on which are the pictures of male or female forms of performers or other persons in a nude or semi-nude state, whether in tights or other thin garments, so as to expose the body in an offensive and objectionable manner to order to at tract the attention or excite the curiosity of any person or persons so as to invite or have any person or persons to attend a performance. Any one guilty of violation may be punished by a fine of not less than \$50 or more than \$300 and be imprisoned in the county jail not less than one month nor more than twelve months or both, in the discretion of the court. Mr. Jones also introduced a bill making kidnaping an offense punishable by death.

Monday, February 18.

done in either house of the general assembly was the introduction of a report from the Illinois practice commission, which was appointed under a resolution by the last legislature. With the report were thirty-five bills to carry into effect the recommendations made by the commission. Among the bills are several designed to correct some of the evils of justice-shop practices of Cook county. Illinois will have a whipping post a le Delaware if the lobby talk is cryetal ted into bills. It is said here that Kitt clould of Chicago is preparing a bill to punish wife-beaters and wife-deserters with the lash. Mr. Gould is not here tonight, but a week ago he was looking up the Delaware law, and the recent publication of the report of Chicago's Bureau of Associated Charities, which recommends the whipping post for wife-deserters, it is said, has induced Mr. Gould to draft a whipping-post bill. Speaker Sherman is whetting his tomahawk preparatory to taking the warpath against the men who are blocking the progress of congressional and senatorial apportionments. He called in the individual members of the committees and told them they must get down to business at once or he would make

NOTES OF THE SESSIONS.

Over \$2,000,000 a year will be spent for hard roads in Illinois if the plans of the men who are back of the good roads movement are carried out. Of this amount \$1,000,000 would be paid by the state and the balance would be secured from the sale of good roads bonds issued by townships. It is estimated that an additional tax of one mill would give the state an extra million of dollars to be used in road making.

Mr. Howell of Gallatin has a bill providing for a permanent survey of lands when corners or division lines are in

The appointment of Thomas A. Smyth of Cook county as one of the Pan-American exposition commissioners is said to be a compliment to Senator Riley, who is fighting the Busse party. Senator Templeton, named as one of the commisstoners, is an anti-Busse-Campbell man, and the eighteen Republican senators wed organized that body feel that Governor Yates has slighted them.

Mr. Rinaker of Macoupin has fathered a measure exempting from taxation shares of building and loan associations upon which loans are made to their full

A subcommittee of the house committee on appropriations has been investigating an expenditure of \$30,000 for attorneys' fees made by the canal commission. Mr. Purdunn, a member of the committee, insists that the services for which these amounts have been paid should have been performed by the Attorney General A subcommittee will visit the Bartonville Insane asylum to investigate the institution, with a view of determining the amounts of the appropriations which should be granted.

THE ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE. WOMEN OF THE UNITED STATES

Work in Both Houses at Spring- REGARD PERUNA AS THEIR SHIELD AGAINST CATARRH, COUCHS, COLDS.



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"I have used Peruna both for myself and my mother, Mrs. Hannah J. Bennet, now in her 88th year, and I find it an invaluable remedy for cold, ontarrh, hay fever and kindred diseases; also a good tonic for feeble and old people, or those run down, and with nerves unstrung."-Belva A. Lockwood.



Mrs. T. Pelton, 562 St. Anthony ave

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Peruna cures catarrh by removing the cause, inflamed mucous mem-

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my breath is not bad, I am not troubled with coughing or spitting, or any other disagreeable symptoms of catarrh. But, my dear madam, you may have catarrh all the same. Catarrh is not always located in the head. You may have catarrh of the lungs, or stomach, or liv- says: "I have used er, or kidneys, catarrh of the pelvic organs."

Peruna in my home and especially for the past four years you may have and am theroughly convinced that it is a reliable family rema-The doctor | edy."-Julia C. Brown

Mrs. Julia C. Brown

of Pecatonics, Illa.,

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Address Dr. Hartman, President of

AN INNOVATION.

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"The Chicago and Florida Special." Solid vestibuled trains from Chicago to St. Augustine every Wednesday and Saturday via "Big Four" route. The entire train runs through solid from Chicago to St. Augustine. Absolutely no change of cars for either passengers or baggage. First train Wednesday, Jan. 16, 1901. Through dining cars, through Pullman sleepers, through observation cars, through baggage cars. Leaves Central Station, 12th St. and Park Row, Chicago, 12:00 noon. Arrive St. Augustine 8:30 next p. m. For particulars call on your local agent, or address J. C. Tucker, General Northern Agent Big Four Route, Chicago.

Exports of American Corp. American exports of corn have averaged 173,000,000 bushels a year since 1895, an increase of 254 per cent over the preceding five years.

Maple Otty Self Washing Sone does not shrink woolens nor will it injure the finest fabric. Just try it once.

The burning question in Colorado is: "Can a rattlesnake get into its hole backwards?" Who cares, so long as it gets into it?-Boston Transcript.

Low Rates West and Northwest. On February 12th, and on each Tuesday until April 30th, the Chicago, Milwankes & St. Paul Railway will sell one-way second-class tickets at the following very low rates:

To Montana points.....\$25.00 To North Pacific coast points \$8.60

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All Ticket Agents sell tickets via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, or for further information address F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Old Colony Building, Chi-

Washington Excersion-

Account of the inauguration, the Big Four, Chesapeake & Ohio Route (the Rhine, Alps and Battlefield Line), will sell tickets at one fare for round trip, March 1st, 2d, 3d, good to leave Washington until March 8th.

Address J. C. Tucker, Gen. Nor. Agt. 234 Clark street, Chicago.

Origin of the Name Plantagenet. York and Lancaster were titles and Plantagenet a family name. The origin of this historic cognomen affords a very fair illustration of how family names in general originated. One Mortimer, a knight, wore a sprig of broom plant, planta-genesta, in his

What Do the Children Drink? Don't give them ten or coffee. Have you It is delicious and nourishing, and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distri through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee, but costs about 14 as much. All grocers sell it.

15c and 25c. Not only is education free in New Zealand, but, where necessary, children are conveyed to and from school gratuitously on the government rails

The pawnbroker's profits depend on the interest he takes in his business.