Confesses Uttering False Notes Aggregating in the Vicinity of \$60,000.

LOSES THE MONEY ON FUTURES

Man Who Enjoyed the Extreme Confidence of His Friends and Neighbors Says His Downfall Is Due to Specutation in Grain.

Princeton, Wis., dispatch: J. E. Liemcr, cashier of the Princeton State bank, was arrested, charged with forgery, and taken to Dartford Ly Sheriff Oglevie, where he is now in jail. State Bank Fxaminer Marcus G. Bergh stated that Liemer had confessed that the forgeries amount to \$60,000.

The Princeton State bank is closed and the Montello State bank, of which Liemer is vice president, has been ordered by the state officials not to open its doors for business. The people of Princeton are in a state of excitement the equal of which has never been occasioned by any event in this

Blames Speculation.

was the cause. J. E. Liemer came here as a cashier of the Princeton bank eight years ago and the examthers believe that the forgeries have New Man Holds Three Desperate Crimcovered a period of six years.

Mr. Liemer came from Appleton, where he has excellent family connections, and where he always was regarded as a first-class business man. He was one of the most popular men that has ever lived in this city.

Enjoyed Esteem of All. The majority of the persons who conducted business at his bank had absolute confidence in his judgment and honesty, and he was consulted by many persons, even on their private affairs, being looked upon as the adviser for the entire community on delicate questions. It is said that be knows more of the secrets of Princeton families than any other man in the place.

To Pay Depositors.

It is said by persons familiar with the affairs of the Princeton bank that the depositors probably will be paid off in full with money now on hand, and that the capital will have to be used in settling the debts resulting from the alleged forged paper.

State Senator E D. Morse is presi dent of the Princeton bank, but he left his affairs entirely in the hands of Cashier Liemer.

SPOILS PLOT TO FREE FELONS

Fireman Gives Warning in Time to Frustrate Delivery.

Milwaukee dispatch: What might have been a wholesale jail delivery was frustrated through the sharpness of a fireman named Poelter, whose house is located next to the county jail. Some nights ago he noticed strangers near the jail window which opens on an area between the two balldings. Sunday night he saw them again, and informed Sheriff Tegtmeyer. The alarm was given, and several deputies armed themselves with shotguns and drove the prisoners into their cells. An examination was made, and the steel bars of the windows near where Poelter saw the strangers were found to be sawed through and every thing made ready for an escape. A carefu! search of the prisoners and their relis failed to reveal any tools with which the work could have been done, which leads to the belief that out siders are implicated.

HEBREWS HONOR NEW LEADER

tion or Dr. Kohler.

Prominent Men Take Part in Installa-

Cincinnati, O. special: The installation of Dr. Kaufman Kohler, until recently of New York, as the successor of the late Dr. Wise in the presidency of the Union Hebrew college, took place here with many prominent visitors. Following the installation at Mound Street temple in the afternoon there was a banquet at night at the Cincinnati club, at which many addresses were made. Among those present were Dr. Emil G. Hirsch of Chi cago, Dr. Joseph Stolz of Chicago, Pr. Maya: Messing of Indianapolis, Rabbis Israel Kline of Evansville, Abraham Hirschberg of Chicago, Morris Fewer Hecht of Lafayette, Ind., W. Marcusson and Engene Mannhaimer of Davenport and Dr. Cohen of Fort Wayne.

MOB TAKES NEGRO PROM JAIL

Hang Victim to Tree for Taking Life of White Boy.

Wiskloffe, Ky., special: Tom Hall Has Douglas, a negro, charged with coting Crockett Chilress, a white by, at Kevil, was taken from jail here a mob of 100 men and hanged to a se in the jail yard. Hall denied he conded Chilress and placed the on Jim Rivers, another negro. s feared that the shooting of would cause a race rlot, but the negroes have left Kevil. Hall ment here for safe-keeping.

Loses Place by Marrying. reme court in Brooklyn at the board of education had to enact a hy-law declaring

NORTHCOTT RESIGNS OFFICE IN WOODMEN

Accepts Position With Bankers' Fraternal Union of Cleveland at 36,000 Per Year.

Rock Island, Ill., dispatch: Lieut. Gov. W. A. Northcott of Illinois, at a meeting of the executive council of Modern Woodmen of America here. resigned his position with the Woodmen to accept a position with the Bankers' Fraternal union of Cleveland, Ohio. The Bankers' Fraternal union will pay him a salary of \$6,000 a year.

Mr. Northcott retains the office, to which he was elected for life, of past head consulter of the Woodmen, without a salary. He will not remove from the state, but will direct the operations of the Bankers' Fraternal union from Greenville, Ill., his home.

There was criticism of the Woodmen's executive council by some members of the society for employing Mr. Northcott last July at a salary of \$4,-000 per year, but at the time he accepted he declined the Fraternal union position he now accepts.

Mr. Northcott informed the executive council he did not feel called upon to stand for the criticisms when he was losing \$2,000 a year, because he preferred to continue his relations with the official management of the Modern Woodmen. The offer from the Bankers' Fraternal union being renewed, he insisted that his resignation ve accepted.

Speculation in grain, Liemer says. PRISON GUARD FUILS ESCAPE OF CONVICTS

inals at Bay in Chester Until Aid Comes to Him.

Quincy, Ill. special: Confronted by three of the most desperate criminals in the Chester penitentiary, two of whom had dirks, William Mintle sol this county, who was doing his second night's duty as a guard, foiled a conspiracy involving his intended murder and a wholesale escape of convicts He held the trio at bay in the corrido? at the point of a revolver until the captain of the night watch arrived on his rounds and summoned guards, who overpowered the prisoners and reiacarcerated them. The men had 6scaped into the corridor of the seilhouse by sawing off the bars of their

Mirtle discovered the men just as they were leaving their cells and covered them with a revolver. The prisoners were John Frost, from Macoupin county, and under life sentence for train robbery and murder; Noah Foxter, under life sentence for murder, and Charles O'Dwyer, twenty years for train robbery. Penitentiary Commissioner Clark says Mintle is in line for promotion.

NO DEATH BENEFIT IN POLICY

Insurance Agent is Accused of Collect ing Money Fraudulently.

Benton Harbor, Mich., special: C. E. Morris, against whom mutterings of fraud have been made, has been ar rested, charged with a swindle in the collection of money on insurance policies, worthless in some of the conditions on which they were issued. It is charged that the victims number scores and extend to all parts of this county. Complaint against Morris was made by W. H. Thompson, agent for me United States Casualty Company. Morris, it is charged, has written up policies, insuring against accident sickness and death. The companies he represented had no provisions for death benefits in the policies.

WOULD BUY A TRUST CONCERN

Pittsburg, Pa., dispatch: It is offi

International Bank of New York Bida for Pittsburg Company.

cially announced at the office of the Public Trust Company here that the International Bank and Trust Company of New York had submitted prop ositions for the control of the Pitts burg concern and the matter will be considered by a special committee of stockholders. Another proposition has been received looking to the same end by the International Savings an Trust Company of this city. It is reported the International Bank and Trust Company of New York is any lous to establish a branch in this city The terms of the proposed sale have not been made public.

FIND PETER ELLIOTT IS INSAM!

Man Arrested at the White House I Recommitted to Asylum.

Washington dispatch: Peter Elliof: of Minnesota, who was arrested at the white house Oct. 5 and who made a violent attack upon the officers who had him in custody, has been officially adjudged insane and recommitted to St. Elizabeth's insane asylum. Dra. Vale and Marbury, police surgeons, testified that Elliott was a paranolag and apt to be violent at any time. Elliott was entirely calm during the examination and did not ask to be heard.

BRIDGE FALLS WITH A TRAIN

Tender and Baggage Car Drop Into the Potomac River.

Washington special: A Chesapeare & Ohio passenger train met with a serious accident on the long bridge which spans the Potomac river. The northern half of the bridge gave way and precipitated the tender and a dead baggage car into the water. A girder was killed, but Fireman John Woods of Charlotte, N. C., received a severe task in the face.

COMPLETE VICTORY FOR UNITED STATES

Claims for Territory in Alaska Conceded by the International Boundary Commission—Canadians Regard Decision with Much Disfavor.

WHAT AMERICA GAINS BY THE COMMISSION'S FINDING

Recognition by Great Britain of its right to:

The land of the Alaskan "panhandle" for ten marine leagues, of about 341/2 statute miles from the coast line from the north side of Portland canal, the present southern terminus, to Mount St. Elias, the northern end of the "panhandle," the boundary to follow the configuration of the coast, and not to be drawn from headland to headland.

About 20.700 square miles of territory instead of a small frac-

tion of that area. Continued control of the many important bays and inlets throughout the 600 miles of coast from Mount St. Elias to Portland canal.

Much valuable mineral land, and the fisheries along the

Supremacy in the Northern Pacific ocean.

administration of Bengal in 1757. All | not alleviated. The reform leaders refinancial engagements entered into with the Mogol emperors were overlooked, and Hastings, as governor general, replenished by extortion the company's exchequer, until his rapacious policy forced Mussulman sovereigns under British control.

The traders themselves were then deprived of their monopoly in favor of the crown. Gold being discovered in Mysore, England annexed that territory and conquered the immense wealth of Nepal, Assam and Arakam. Native mutinies were suppressed, principalities in rebellion or without heirs annexed to the federation, and in 1877 Queen Victoria was proclaimed empress of India.

We turn to South Africa., In 1869 Kimberley and its diamonds attracted the attention of British merchants, As a quarrel divided Boers and Kaffirs, England intervened under the auspices of Cecil Rhodes and the Transvaal was anexed to Cape Colony in 1876. At the price of much blood on Majuba Hill Gladstone granted selfgovernment to that republic.

But Rhodes kept the Dutch out of his | trol.

SKAGUAY

YUNIAO.

fused arbitration. War was declared in October, 1899.

The resistance of 20,000 Boers against 200,000 British soldiers "staggered humanity." but after a struggle of two years and a half the gold country was annexed under King Edward's crown, and the initiative of shopkeepers in another conquest is consigned to history.

It would appear, however, as if John Bull for once was to be deprived of his time-honored privilege of controlling any new fields of wealth within his reach. The Alaskan arbitration tribunal has virtually conceded the claim of Uncle Sam that the boundary follows the sea coast, and Canadian papers now tax Lord Alverstone with having made up his mind in advance in favor of the United States.

The contention that the frontier should run in a parallel line jumping from one headland to another and thus awarding the bays and inlets to the Dominion is rejected, and such gateways to the gold fields as Skagway and Dyea and Pyramid Harbor Thus magnanimity followed defeat. | are not to pass out of American con-

chartered territory, while auriferous | When one of the richest auriferous | sible for the improvement for it was Canada was stirred into a tumult by | discoveries attracted into the Rand a | districts in the world revealed itself | he, who first of all found the remedy

economic conditions of a region which

the colonial office in London deemed

worthless, when a sudden inroad of

population rushed to the Klondike,

Mr. Chamberlain thought it fit to re-

vive with Washington an old dispute

which had been amicably settled in

1825 between Russia and the States.

Imperfect explorations based on Van-

the precise demarcation of boundary

from the southernmost point of Prince

of Wales island along Portland canal

and the mountain parallel to the coast.

England sought not only a commer

cial advantage of 2,000,000 acres of

land, but also the strategic gain of a

terminus on the Pacific for those new

railway and telegraphic lines which

are to turn Canada into the Western

The congress at Washington passed

a resolution opposing this asserted

claim to harbors through which the

greater portion of the Alaskan trade

must be carried on, and which Russia

had admitted as belonging to America

after a diplomatic contention of four

years referred to as settled when the

territory was ceded in 1867. The sig-

gave rise to an outburst of jingoistic

self assertion as if the award must

absolutely turn to British favor. But

ill-concealed bitterness has followed

recent debates, while pessimism in

Canadian circles prevailed.—Antoine

The First Use of Coffee.

Ethiopia, whence it was introduced

into Persia, then into Egypt. In 1554

it was known in Constantinople, where

two private persons, named Shems,

from Damascus, and Hekin, from

Aleppo, opened coffee houses. The

use of the berry then extended to

western Europe and was introduced

into England in 1637 by Nathaniel Ca-

nopus, a native of Crete. Archbishop

Land allowed him maintenance at Bal-

Hol college, Oxford, where he made for

is nine times king, twice a grand duke,

as count and so torth is past enumera

stowed by the pope.

Coffee as a beverage is traced to

M. Borel in Chicago American.

highway of the empire.

couver's map of 1795 had prevented

ass come by. And Adam cried to the beast to lie down alongside and keep him warm. But the beast spake out ("for asses sometimes spake in those days as since," saith the commentator), and derided him for not having a warm coat of fur. Whereupon Adam waxed wroth and slew the ass with a piece of the thorn tree, and, with teeth and

nails stripping off the ass' coat, wrapped it around himself. But toward noon, the sun growing hot and a scorching wind arising, Adam conceived the happy thought of hanging the skin over the bush and reposing in the shade thereof. It was done, the tent was invented and civilization be-

ADAM IN HIS FIRST HOME.

When Expelled From Eden He Found Refuge From a Storm in a Tent. One of the old legends of the Tal-

mud, assuming to be authentic-al-

though the proofs of authenticity are

nowhere to be found-relates that Adam on his expulsion from paradise

encountered a cutting north wind,

against which his scant girdle of ag

leaves proved poor protection. As he

wistfully cast his eyes over the deso-

late plain of Shinar he perceived at a

great distance a dead thorn bush.

Running thither he crouched behind it

and while still shivering he saw a wild

For a Bad Back.

Sabra, Montana, Oct. 19th .- A great many men in this neighborhood used to complain of pains in the back, but now scarcely one can be found who has any such trouble.

Mr. Gottlieb Mm is largely responthe official announcement that the most powerful British element. Aris- along the Yukon and transformed the for this Backache. He has recommended it to all his friends and neighbors, and in every case it has had wonderful success.

> Mr. Mill says:-"For many years I had been troubled with my Kidneys and pains in the small of my back. I tried many r edicines but did not derive any benefit until last fall, when I bought a dozen boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills. After using them a few days I began to improve, my back quit aching and I felt better and stronger all around.

> "I will keep them in the house right along for in my opinion they are the best medicine in the market to-day. and if my back should bother me again, I will use nothing else."

Hold Gen. Macdonald Guiltless. Six "commissioners" who went to Ceylon to investigate the charges laid against the late Gen. Sir Hector Mac-Donald, who committed suicide under sensational circumstances in Paris a few months ago, have made their report. They declare that the suggestions of crimes were prompted by some of Sir Hector's enemies through spite. Upon oath it is asserted that the accusations against him were absolutely groundless. The commission was sent to Ceylon by the late sol-Gier's friends in Scotland and some of them had known him intimately since boyhood.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. We, the und reigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to earry out any obligations made by their firm. WEST & TRUAY, Wholesale Progglets, Toledo, O. WALDING, KINNAN & MARTIN, Wholesale Drug-

gists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure to taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and morous sortaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 750 per bortle. Sold by all Bruggista. Hall's Family Pills are the best,

Locomotive's Great Speed.

The announcement is made that a new engine traveling between Paris and Havre has achieved at many points on the route a speed of 120 miles an hour. This engine has ten wheels and is of enormous size and weight. The driver states that it fulfilled all expectations, and went through the high-speed experiment without any breakdown.

Lewis' "Single Binder" straight 5c cigar. No other brand of cigars is so popular with the smoker. He has learned to rely upon its uniform high quality. Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

The postoffice of New York city has thirty-two stations and 159 substations. In it is handled daily 450 tons of mail matter. Fourteen stamp canceling machines each handle 28,000 letters an hour.

What do you think of Mrs. Austin's New Dress!

There is a subtle difference between the suppression of truth and the open falsehood, but it isn't visible to the naked eye.

No chromos or cheap premiums,

more of Defiance Starch for the same price of other starches. The profit to the government on pennies pays the entire expense of

but a better quality and one-third

the mint. You can do your dyeing in half an hour with PUTNAM FADELESS

Like attracts like; an empty purse

usually means an empty stomach.

Piso's Core is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs. -- WM. O. ENDSLEY, Vanburen, Ind., Feb. 10, 1900. Solomon was the wisest man of his

day, yet he was hopelessly married Many who formerly smoked 10c cigars. now smoke Lewis' "Single Binder" straight

5c. Lewis' Factory, Peorla, III. Was there ever a pair of shoes made that would fit a woman?

Firs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.'
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces in-flammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. Hes lottle.

once a grand prince, four times margrave and the multitude of the titles Nature and wisdom always say the same,-Juvenal.

What do you think of Mrs. Austin's New Dress? he hears the title of "most apostolic, which is one of the four honors be-The heathen have no monopoly on vain repetitions.



dered a decision giving a sweeping victory to the United States. The denial to Canada of even a single port for the Klondike gold fields roused the wrath of the entire Dominion, and annexation to the United States was urged by many as a relief from Great Britain's repeated repudiations of Cana-

da's interests. Dispatches from various points throughout the Dominion indicated that the Alaskan defeat had inspired general rage against the mother country, and this was emphatically expressed by leaders of all parties.

Among the most incisive utterances were those of Mr. Gourlay, member of parliament from Nova Scotia, who said that "all the United States have to do is to make a claim for Canada and they will get it by boastfulness and dishonest effort. The last two generations of Englishmen are degenerates and cowards."

British Columbian officials regarded the decision as another instance where Canadian interests were sacrificed on the Moloch altar of "diplomatic arrangements for the benefit of Great Britain."

J. Israel Tarte, who speaks at all times with the voice of all the French Canadians in the Dominton, declared that if it were true that Canada had been given no port there was a strong likelihood the nation would not accept the decision, no matter what the outcome might be.

LONG HISTORY OF SUCCESS.

How Vast Portions of the Earth Have Become British.

When Austerlitz avenged the loss of a French fleet at Trafalgar and placed the coalition at Napoleon's mercy, Pitt exclaimed, "Oh! my country," and died. On hearing of this supreme sigh the great emperor remarked, "Yes; a country of shopkeepers."

because truth engenders hatred, but her prosperous history of imperialism talks shop in every chapter With Clive's victory in India, a corration of British merchants, guided

England still resents the definition,

don grasped the financial meaning of imperialism and urged the uitlanders to claim political rights from the Boers and conquer the mining fields. The Jameson raid in open violation of international law failed to seize Pretoria. Kruger's generosity spared the raiders, but the extreme tension was ·····

HE STIRRED UP WALL STREET.

Financier Who Revealed Shady Meth-

ods of Promoters. O. Leroy Dresser, whose revelations in regard to the Wall street methods in unloading "water" stock on the public have created a sensation and caused many investors to sell their industrial holdings, was until recently president



ordid selfahness, was granted the W. Vanderbilt,

his own use coffee, a fact mentioned by Evelyn in his diary of May, 1637. In Oxford, too, the first coffee house was established in England by a Jew named Jacobs, in 1650; two years later the first in London was opened. Preserving Cut Flowers. To preserve cut flowers, they should be taken out of the vases every day and a tiny piece cut off the end of each with a sharp knife, not with scissors, as the object is to keep the pores of the stems open, and this can only be done with a very sharp instrument. The vase should be kept per fectly clean. A small piece of charcoal placed in the bottom of the vase will help keep the blossoms fresh for many days. The water must be changed every day if the vase be of clear glass. A pinch of borax may take the place of the charcoal. Austrian Emperor's Honors. Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria

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of the Trust Company of the Republic of New York, is a former president of tion. In addition, as king of Hungary, the Merchants' association of New York, and is a brother-in-law of George