Christmas Suggestions...

Overcoats, \_ Dress and Business Suits, Smoking Jackets. White and Fancy Vests, Full Dress Vests. Dress Suit Protectors,

Keys & Lockwood Neckwear, Dent's and Adler's Gloves, Scotch Wool Gloves. White and Fancy Shirts, Night Shirts and Pajamas, Men's and Boys' Sweaters, Spaulding Sweaters, Suit Cases and Bags, Vmbrellas.

Boys' and Children's Clothing.

## GREENWOOD.

Plenty of snow for the holidays. The mercury registered 10 degrees below zero Sunday evening.

The dancing party at Johnson's Hall scheduled for Wednesday evening, Dec. 31st, has been changed to Tuesday evening, Dec. 23. Music will be furnished by Merriman's full orchestra. Bill, including supper. \$1.25. Mrs. George Brundage is on the sick list.

Mrs. Ellen Young and daughter Nora visited at Canisteo last week. Mrs. Frank Van Fleet and son vis- thing else for Indigestion. ited her parents Saturday.

Van Fleet at Rexville Friday and Sat-

Watt Smith and wife were in Greenwood Monday. Frank Hovey is hauling lumber for

his new house opposite the M. E.

has secured a position as overseer of a Hannah J. Freeland and Mary H. Hovey are negotiating to settle the nellsville Saturday on a visit.

differences between them. H. Gurnsey has moved in town and town last week. now occupies the Scribner house. Floyd and Flay Pease of West Hil.

were in this village Monday. Postmaster Frank Watkins is suffering with grip.

Emory Chilson of Canisteo was a caller in Greenwood Monday. Byron Ruger was home over S

day from Whitesville. The donation for Rev. Eugene Piles. For blind, bleeding itching and Hayner Friday evening netted about Saive has no equal. This has given)

Lee Plaisted of Shingle House was feits. Ask for DeWitt's-the genuin in town Monday enroute to Buffalo. Moses Ruger was taken violently ill THE LILY AND THE PRINCE. Monday while riding in a cutter near cutter and was taken to Mr. Atwell's. where he lies in a precarious condi

Rev. W. H. Adams entertained th

ministers' association Monday. Eight clergymen were present.

in town Wednesday on business. Fred Burrell and Charley Peckham M. E. Tucker and W. G. Tucker

Daniel McGinty of Andover was 1. our city Thursday.

stand on Friday last.

S. A. Ryan made a visit in our cu. up to-date, giving you new ideas, i and supplies exactly what you want. the first of the week.

Liveryman Hyland is to occupy the

Miss Mellie Van Fleet, who has been sick, is convalescing. If you feel ill and need a pill

Why not purchase the best? DeWitt's Early Risers Are little surprisers.

Take one—they do the rest.

`\_\_\_<del>\_\_</del>\_ HOLIDAY SHOWINGS.

Burrows, Andover.

Bigger and Better than Ever. \$1.00 Trial bottles free. Stocks were never so large and at-ROOSA, opportunities for Christmas buying— the Poor, Angelica, N. Y.

180 MAIN ST., HORNELLSVILLE, N. Y. selected with care, and are now placed way Pine Syrup. Nature's remedy for States, and it is calculated that there on sale at prices that are as low and coughs and colds. ever had. We have started out to make this season's holiday business the greatest in our history. The past week's business is the best evidence of ). success. It could not be otherwise with such wonderful values as we are Randall Stephens is quite sick with giving. Our offerings are unmatched in any particular and we want to put emphasis upon this fact—any article purchased here for a present can be exchanged if the size or color is not Dr. Miles' Nervine Cured

> buying, as it may prove an advantage. ERLICH BROS., 148 Main St., Hornellsville

Bear this in mind when

Question Answered. Yes, August Flower still has the larness. Doctors were scarce and they I took treatment daily from my family phy-seldom heard of Appendicitis, Nervous sician, but could gat no relief. My condition to go west, make an entry at a govern-Our January thaw is a little premature, as much too early as the wintry season was late.

Season was late.

Seldom neard of Appendicitis, Nervous sician, but could get no relief. My continued to grow worse and at I had office, sign several papers, continued to grow worse and at I had office, sign several papers, continued to grow worse and at I had office, sign several papers, continued to grow worse and at I had office, sign several papers, continued to grow worse and at I had office, sign several papers, continued to grow worse and at I had office, sign several papers, heard of Dr. Miles when I purchased a bottle of Dr. Miles return home.

Season was late.

In due season, by virtue of the entry Miss Amy Streeter visited Maude ic action of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad this time was one hundred and twenty-four signed, the land allotted to her bewith headaches and other aches. You pounds. At the end of the second week I comes the property of those who put only need a few dises of Green's August Flower, in liquid form to make control, my sleep was refreshing, my strength up the job. Of course, it is all a barethe matter with you. You can get this my life than I do at this writing. I take war widow is serenely unconscious reliable remedy at O. E. Vars & Son's, great pleasure in recommending Dr. Miles that she is being used as an instru-

ELM VALLEY.

Plenty of snow and good sleighing. Last Thursday and Friday, robins John Harden of Rexville made a were seen flying about. Who ever Standard American Annual. business visit to Greenwood Monday. see robins in December before?

Hiram Covel has bought the Ed. patronized, as this place is in need of a good blacksmith.

Mrs. Mary Burdick went to Hor-Ed: Arnold of Hornellsville was in

A. B. Beebe and daughter Lorena 'attended a dance on the Vandermark riday night. Mr. and Mrs. Graves and two daugh-, ters visited in Whitesville Saturday.

What's In a Name? Everything is in the name when i. some years ugo, how to make a salve from Witch Hazel that is a specific for protruding piles, eczems, cuts, burns, bruises and all skin diseases DeWitt's

L. A. Burrows, Andover.

the Atwell place. He fell out of the At Shuttuck's Opera House in Hornellsville Dec. 18. Mildred Holland's new play bids fair to rank among the really worthy creations of the year 1902, and to become one of the triumphs of the present sea-"|son. It promises to place the author, Carina Jordan, and popular Mildrea Holland several rounds higher on the

The Buffalo Courier in reviewof Canisteo called in town Thursday. ing The Lily and the Prince, said: "Mildred Holland's initial perform-] ares of The Lily and the Prince, el Elm Valley were in Greenwood with the complete scenic and musical lon Brery. effects, on the stage of the Teck These

hetter advantage. Her surroundings beauty and action of

tay were only equaled by the exquisflowers and numerous curtain calls with a large degree of success. count for anything, they measure the ticularly is this true of live stock prodsuccess that was deservedly meted ucts. to Miss Holland and her company. To the soft melody of curtain music

A. H. Ruger was in Hornellsville and the rippling of fountain water the curtain rose to this new play, written, by Carina Jordan."

Order your seats by mail.

Fight Will Be Bitter. Consumption, will have a long and bit- about one-half as great as the Amerter fight with their troubles. if not end- lean. d Little Early Riser Pills in ed earlier by fatal termination. Read To their use I am indebted say:"Last fall my wife had every symp. at once and four bottles entirely cured

Home Wanted

ractive as they are at the present time. For a nice bright boy, 4 years old. We have surpassed every previous ef- Good references will be required of therefrom." fort in the matter of quantities and parties wishing to take him. Apply | Gauged by the productive capacity of values. This season presents unusual to D. C. Grunder, Superintendent of the country, the future development of

ment is filled with bright new goods hold medicine chest—and the first bottle in it should be Dr. Wood's Nor—more than one-third that of the United mother and said innocently:

Shattered My Nervous System.

Stomach Deranged, Liver Dormant.

Me Completely.

eyes water and a soreness seems to permeate | der the homestead laws the widow of | ning of Grip's deadly grasp. The danger of a gift of 160 acres of land from the follows in the shattered nervous system and hve weeks. My nervous system was com-pletely shattered, stomach hedly deranged and liver in an almost dormant condition. when found they have been induced reserved and my weight was one hundred faced swindle; but, womanlike, the

Alenzo Knight and family are going to Hornellsville, where Mr. Knight
has secured a position as overseer of a

has secured a position as overseer of a

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SPECIAL FEATURES.

Review of the Coal Strike; the Trusts in Platforms of Political Boses of the National AB State and abor horis-letion; Our Insular Statistics, raternal, Military and Parr et c Secieties: Information on Poteign Conneries, Their Rulers and Governments; Pelar Exploration: Review of Scientific Achievements; The Selsmic Ments; The Selsmic Reconstitution of 1902 (Florat Pelae); Reconsti

¿ Condensed Information for the '

Beef Product of Argentina. now reaching out after foreign .

market, and statistics are presented which show that whereas our exports use the semicolon as an interrogation greater in 1902 than they were in 1898 have been introduced about 1485, the of beef are likely to be but 10 per cent . those of the Argentine have increased about 1570. In Sir Philip Sidney's "Arsome thirteenfold between the two cadia" (1587) all the punctuation points Those who will persist in closing their dates. It appears, moreover, that the appear, including the note of interroation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Argentine exports have risen to be gation, asterisk and parentheses.

In recent years Argentine ranchmen what T. R. Beall of Baell, Miss., has to have greatly improved the local stock She took Dr. by crossing with imported thorough-King's New Discovery after everything breds, and the cattle are said to else had failed. Improvement came be quite equal for beef purposes those on North American ranges. On ing" the present time it is estimated that i consists of improved stock or crosses

> the Argentine beef industry must bo very great, as the total area of the are 240,000,000 acres of arable land, or ] 375,000 square miles, of which only about 6 per cent is under cultivation. The total population of the country is

less than 3,000,000. With the present high prices of beet Cough Remedy for almost all obstinate. in this country, whether due to short- constricted coughs, with direct results. age in cattle or the manipulations of le the packers' combine, the average con- and seeking relief from colds and sumer of live stock products will not coughs and bronchial afflictions. view with especial alarm the growth non-narcotic and safe in the hands of the beef industry in Argentina, even the most unprofessional. A universal Pullman Cars to New York, Boston, if it should become a respectable rival la to that industry in the United States.

Soldiers' Widows and the Land Grab. The soldier's widow cuts a rather sorry figure in the latest expose of land ache, backache; when the nose runs and the grabbing from the government. Un- financial standing the marrow of the bones; this is the begin- a soldier is permitted to avail berself the derangement of the heart or the digestive government without living on the prop-The last week in January I contracted erty. So the big ranchmen bave or confined to my bed for ganized a systematic search of the

Remedies to the afflicted. If anyone doubts the above statement I am ready to confirm ment. She gets a pleasant trip, with it."—D. C. Walker, U. S. Treasury Dept., and a bonus be-

science is thus satisfied. Meanwhile this sort of game has say about any of them." Suc. been going on at the rate of some- was a remark heard in the thing like 500 entries a month, and the store. cattlemen have been doing a correspondingly rushing business. The sol- Vinol because we have found dier's widow is doubtiess in most cases } some means ought to be speedily devised to bring the land grabbers to

\_\_\_\_\_ Upon investigation Lady Henry Som- ] erset has come to the conclusion that we are rather temperate people as compared to those of the United Kingdom. has been suspected all along that Lady Henry was making a mistake . Igoing so far away from home to her missionary work.

The Duke of Marlborough having desided to forgive the Boers, the burghers elprocate and forgive the duke the terdown the kopje with his light house.

In the earliest Latin inscriptions and

have furnished the mark. The Greeks

stopped the falling and making my

Hair hunger, for instance.

needs:hair vigor--- Ayer 4-

Hungry hair needs food,

This is why we say that

Model Dyspopole One

Boydston, Atchison, Kappan, 1987 It was decided that Mr. Wright must administer a stern lecture to his fouryear-old daughter Florence. The little I than that of the stomach. girl had been naughty, but she did n seem to appreciate the fact, and Mr.

He hated to make the tender little reau of American republics says, "At | heart ache and to see the dear child cry. but he forced himself to speak judi-50 per cent of the cattle of the country | clously and severely. He recounted her misdeeds and explained the why and wherefore of his stern rebuke. Mrs. Wright sat by, looking duly impressed. Finally Mr. Wright paused for breath and also to hear the small culprit acknowledge her errow. The scolding was ) continued. Florence turned a

Wright reluctantly undertook a "scold-

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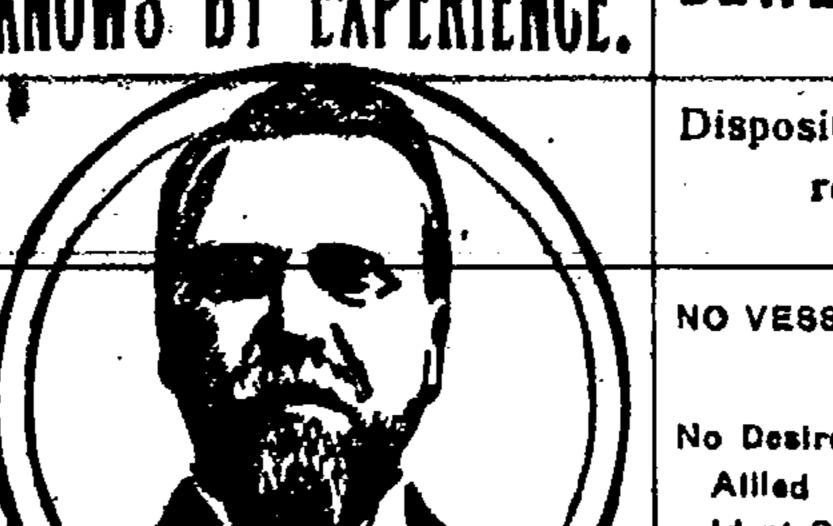
We answer: We advertise women and children, old New York Express via Wayland, leaves Ho. people and run-down folks.

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It's pleasant to take. dible fright he gave them when he slid LOWELL A. BURROWS. Mail orders supplied, \$1 per bottle, express

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profits from the advertising

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9 21 a. m. No 102, daily, accommodation for No. 4, daily solid Vestibule train, for Hornells-ville, Corning, Kimira, Binghamton, New York and Boston, connections for Philadelphia and Washington, also connecting for points on But alo and Rechester Divisions. Stops at Wellsdison, Corning, Elmira, Waverly, Owego, Bing-hanton and New York. 4 21 p. m. No 18, daily accommodation for Hor-nelisville, connecting for potats on Buffale and ng, Rimira Binghamton, Boston and New York. No. 6. daily, New York special stopping at Hornellsville, Corning, Elizabe, Binghambe, arrive at New York 800 a.m. Puliman Vestibule

Central N. Y. & Western Division.

TIME TABLE. Takeseffeçt Sept 15, 1906. NORTH nellsville at 6,00 p m, arriving at Wayland at Buffalo and Wayland Accommodation, leaves Hornellsville at 1.00 p. m., arriving at Wayland

New York and Buffalo Express, leaves Wayland at 11.00 e. m., arriving at Hornellsville Waylan 18,30 p. m., arriving at Hornellsville resAngelica at 7.00 a. m., arriving st8.50, Hornellsville at 9.55, D. F. MARONEY, Vice Pres., CHAD & MANHOND, Gen. Pass, Agent.

N. Y. & P. R. R. CO. Taking Riflect Nov. 19, 1900.

No. 10. Way freight and accommodation. leaves Shingle House 5: 05 a. m., arriving at Certes at 7: 10 a. m. No. 8, Way Freight and Accommodation Leave Oswayo at 11.15 a. m., arriving at Shingle Loave Canisteo at 6.30 a. m., arriving at Greenwood at 7.15, Rexville 8.18, Whitesville 9.08, Genesce 9.35, Oswayo 18.56, ..... No. 4. Mail. Leave Erle Junction at 5.20 p. m. Rezville 6.43, Whitesville 6.45, Genesee, 7.68 Rillioury 7.17, Oswayo 7.42, Miliport 7.43, and a No. 2, Mail. Leave Hrie Junction at 8.51 a. m., arriving at Canisteo 9.15, Greenwood 8.44, Rexville 9.55, Whitesville 10.16, Genesee 10.50, Milisburg 10.47, Oswayo 11.12, Millport 11.57, Shingle House at 11.40, P.S.&N. Junction 11.53, Ceres 11.55

Programme statement that year is straight

No. 1, Mail. Leaves Shingle Mouse at 6.30, a. m. arriving at Miliport at 6.44, Oswayo 7.40, Ellisburg 7.40, Genesee?.41, Whitesville? 58, Rexville 8.18, Greenwood 8.30, Canisteo 6.54, Erie Juneezulan cannon fire. No. 8, Mail. Leave Ceres 12.55 p. m. arriving at P. S. & N Junction at 19,57, Shingle House 1.4 Millport at 1.54, Oswayo 1.56, Miliabura 01, Genesee 3.18, Whitesville 9.38, Rexville Greenwood 3.12, Canisteo 8.40, Brie June. & Way Preight andAccommodation. Leave Oswayo at 11.30 a. m., Eilisburg 19.17
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Leave Cries at 1.30 a. m., Erriving at Designatives. B. Brown, General Manager,

Disposition of Ships by Secretary of the Navy.

> Aliled Powers or Encourage Ident Castro In His Deflant Attitude. Fiset Will Be Kept in Easy Range. Italian Minister Leaves. Washington, Dec. 17.—Disposition the ships of Admiral Dewey's fleet dur-

the direction of the secretary of the sary for Italy to follow suit with Ger mollahed, his five children instantly navy, in view of the increasing compli- many and Great Britain and join it cations arising in connection with the allied naval demonstrations. Venezuela and the wishes of this gov-Dr. Devid Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the street cure for all diseases of the Kidneys, Liver, cure for all diseases of the Kidneys, Liver, consider and Bloed, Rhaumatism, Dyspepsia, Consider and Bloed, Rhaumatism, Dyspepsia, Consider and the sicknesses peculiar to women.

All druggists sell it in the NEW 50 CENT SIZE naval force to Venezuelan waters. Admiral Dewey cabled the depart- sist each other in the pressing of the ment Monday regarding the orders for | claims against Venezuela, there is his fleet during the Christmas holidays, feeling that the reply of Germany

though Secretary Moody did not an- Great Britain and Italy should nonnce the receipt of the dispatch | manimous. until yesterday. Orders are in prepa-Demonstration In Caracas. ration for the various vessels and in-New York, Dec. 17.-E. Consales) structions will be forwarded to the Esteves. Venezuelan consul admiral in a day or two. No reflection upon Admiral Dewey York, received the following cablegram

is intended by the pavy department in | from Mr. Ferres Cardensas, President, preferring to draw up the orders for | Castro's secretary, dated Caracas, Dec his ships instead of giving him a free | 16. "A solemn meeting organized by the hand in the matter, as it was expected honorable patriotic board of citizens. That there may be a thorough co- presided over by Don Juan Esteven operation of the navy with the state Linares, a prominent merchant, \

"Over 10,000 people marched from Washington square to Bolivar square where President Castro and cabinet more satisfactorily settled here. It is unlikely that men-of-war will be acknowledged the manifestation. Pres. Mr. Compers Asserted That Coal Come sent to La Guaira, the feeling being ident Castro received a unanimous) that the presence of American war- ovation. "The purpose of the meeting was | to approve of the patriotic stand

On the other hand the situation has enthusiasm throughout baffles des more witness, the entire two sessions fient ettitude. grown so acute within the past few cription. days that both state and navy department officials are agreed that it will Sunk Because They Were Worthless. the men. not be unwise to rendezvous the fleet washington, Dec. 17.—Advices re individual operator; Rev. Dr. Peter in ports within easy range of the Ven- ceived at the German embassy yester. Roberts, who is assisting the miners,

Unwilling to Arbitrate With an Un. reliable Government

official the "Totumo" and "General Crespo" ; tognizance of the attitude of the were of 137 tons. is convinced unofficially that Washing. Restaurador now flies the German bringing immigrants to the coal reton is anxious that further hostilities ling. The other vessels, it is claimed, glons. When one of the lawyers for It is known that the foreign office the voyage to Trinidad, nor was it knew it from personal knowledge he

has made inquiry as to whether the possible to tug them to port, as the said he could prove it if necessary. United States would be willing to aquadron was in search of Venezuelan The hours of labor of the workmen guarantee the fulfilling of Venezuela's men-of-war. The German commander, pledges, either at the immediate ces- it is added, realising the ships were sation of the present European action, of no value, decided to sink them. I or pending the award of arbitrators. The inquiry resulted in a direct megative from the United State. With the guarantee of the United

States the foreign office says arbitrabe an immediate probability, but with |\_ look the word of a government hithsuch a method of settlement.

' Judging from statements given out by the foreign office the Venezuelan with Great Britain. situation does not appear to be any nearer a settlement. No suggestion bad been made that Great Britain mitting its claims to arbitration and later to Venezuela, Senor Gaston De organized labor. The employer, he the foreign office points out that Vene Ayels, and the Beigian charge d'af- said, has no moral right to refuse to suela's offer to arbitrate to extremely

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The same of the claims of other
foreign powers are paid by Venezue's,
foreign powers are paid Gardeners, so that a live man cannot help but vides no guarantee that the rights that the same treatment given these Mr. Gompers was then cross-exam. succeed, as he has the facilities to compete for all kinds of trade and with different classes of at British subjects in Venesuela will powers be accorded to Spain and Bellined by James Torrey, counsel of the last kinds of trade and with different classes of at British subjects in Venesuela will customers. Write at once for terms to The foreign office claims that some matters are impossible to arbitratate, ) In this locality to work under confidential instructions. We teach you what to do and pay
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To arbitrate the financial received orders from Rome to leave
To arbitrate the financial received orders from Rome to leave MAN WITH RIG WANTED contract. Weekly pay. claims, however, will meet with no op Caracas immediately. He will go on bership in the union. erm years or age and and to recommend position in official circles in London, board the Italian cruises Giovanni ) ner is there any desire to stir up op Bausan at La Guaira.

> to arbitrate comes very late." GERMAN OFFICER KILLED.

Both British and German Cruisers Hi.

by Shots From Plaza. Puerto Cabello, Dec. 17.-It bas been 1. learned here that during the bombard- The statement is made that a number ment of Puerto Cabello, Dec. 13, by the of Chinese have been brought into the D. W. Cook, Ceneral Passenger Agent] British cruiser Charybdis and the Ger- United States in this way. man cruiser Vineta the Charybdia was struck in the bow by a shot fired from ! We promptly obtain U. B. and Foreign Cann cannon on the Plaza Bruzal. The

The Vinets left this port suddenly jury to render a verdict for the de-

Cormen craiser west to Willemstad for court.

Pending a reply to this note the Ita.

When the reply came it was foun

to be not only a rejection of all Italy's

So far an Secretary Hay's proposa

Sour on Their Partner.

Italian Minister Leaves Carzons.

Verdict For Defendants.

the allied powers have agreed to

tic measures.

authorities did not resort to draw

Rome government at first to reach

MOTHER'S LIFE DESPAIRED OF Acetylene Gas in Cellar Blow Up and

Demolished House-Children Who Were Killed Had Just Returned From School-Mother Was Thrown 200 Fest From the Place. Fort Lee, N. J., Dec. 17.—By the ex

demands, but its tone was wholly dis plosion of an acetylene gas tank the ing the holidays is to be made under pleasing and it was therefore neces residence of John Puglughi was de killed and his wife so seriously injured that her recovery is despaired of The dead are: Ida Puglughi, aged 14 years; Tilke

> 12 years; Irene, 10 years; Adeline, 7 source that in view of the fact that years, and George, 5 years. The mother was found 200 feet from where the explosion took place, her right arm almost torn from her body. Just returned from school, the child dren were at the lunch table, when the explosion occurred. The roof of the house was blown out.

An adjoining cottage was also partially destroyed. The debris imme. diately took fire and the bodies of the dead were badly charred. Mrs. Puglughi, who was waiting on the children at the table, was blown through the side of the house and was i found in the road. The father was away from home.

The acetylene tank which exploded, was in the cellar and supplied the illuminating gas for the building. ASSISTED IMMIGRANTS.

panies Brought Them to State of Pennsylvania. Scranton, Dec. 17:-Notwithstand. taken by the government. A battalion ing the fact that the mine workers and of students voluntarily formed acted nounced that they had closed their as a body-guard to the president. The case with the exception of calling one of the strike commission were con-

sumed in hearing three witnesses to They were John C. Haddock, and fleet bring important details about principal point in Mr. Haddock's test-It seems of the three Venezuelan imony was that he favored giving the men of war captured by the German tain conditions.

tons displacement and the two others, expert in the trade union movement He created a stir when he strongly implied during his examination that Manned with German sailors, the the coal companies are responsible for were not seaworthy enough to make the coal companies asked him if he senerally throughout the country, he continued, have been meterially reduced by the trades union movement, Regarding trade agreements, Mr. Gompers said they have always been

Berlin, Dec. 17.—The newspapers advantageous to both the workman and here print long dispatches indicating his employer. that British public opinion is against | Chairman Gray, who is taking an tion in the Venezuelan matters would the partnership with Germany in con-especial interest in boycotts, asked Mr. nection with the coercion of Vene Gompers what he thought of such swels, and the papers are evincing a methods. tree unreliable arbitration is difficult certain amount of pique. They sug- The witness said he would beyont of accomplishing even upon the points gest that Germany would have done any person that is unfair to the workwhere international relations admit of better to act alone and say the German men, but would not boycott a man who government must think twice on a chooses to do business with the person

future occasion before agreeing to act that is boycotted. The question of recognition of the union was then taken up and Mr. Gom-Belgium and Spain Have Claims.

pers said that employers made a mistake when they refused to recognize

Christmas Caracas, Dec. 17.-The Spanish min- take when they refused to recognize faires, M. Van der Hoyde, have pre-conter with a committee of his emsented a joint letter to the Venezue- ployes. Cash paid weekly for services either on salery President Castro, in the communi-

maked the witness if he did not believe that members of the United Caracas, Dec. 17.—The Italian minis- Mine Workers of America should be To this the witness replied: "Yes, i

ten years from now and when the companies stop bringing illiterate forsarily the present armed compact with | Chinese Smuggled Across the Lake. | eigners to this country. They are Germany; but, quoting from the for- | Cleveland, O., Dec. 17.—Jerry Brown, brought here by the companies and | eign office, "At the same time there local United States immigrant inspect the labor union must protect them is not the slightest inclination to let tor, is inspecting the alleged smuggling, and see that they get their rights." Venezuela so unpunished for her re of Chinese into the United States Mr. Torrey asked him if he could posted insults and injuries. The offer scross Lake Erie and into this city, prove that coal companies were According to reports that have reached guilty of such a thing, and the wit-Inspector Brown, Colchester, Ont., is ness replied that he felt certain it made the point of embarkation for was true, because he had seen copies Chinese, who are carried into Ameri. of circulars which have been 86. can waters on a sand scow, which around in Southern Europe until dark, when a small boat is sent baying there was plenty of money to

out to bring the Chinese into this city. be earned in the mines. Mr. Torrey asked if the steamship. those circulars, to which Mr. Gompere replied that he had seen 10, 20 and 30, men huddled together in huts in the Huntingdon, Pa., Dec. 17. — The anthracite coal fields, and he neted that Vineta was struck twice by the Ven- | case of Dr. I. N. W. Irvine, the de- It was not long after they arrived here posed rector of St. John's Episcopal that they were given employment in the Huntingdon for \$25,000 damage, ended give the facts to the commission. He the defense, the court instructed th

' tendants. Counsel for both sides made. Judge Bailey was imperative to the shall be held in this city for the late She is at present at Willemstad, Cur- jury and they rendered a vertict as in Mrs. U. S. Grant and that the remains ) acao, where she arrived with her flag structed. Dr. Irvine and his counsel will be placed by the side of those o. Tying at ball mast. It is believed the say they will appeal to the supreme her husband in the some at Miver , side park, New York.

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