

ALLISON VERY WELL PLEASED

Iowa's Champion Expresses Gratification at the Confidence of His Constituents.

FORT OMAHA BILL'S WAY IS CLEARED

Secretary Lamont Retires His Statement that the War Department Will Not Object to the Transfer to Nebraska.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Senator Allison was greatly pleased today over the action of the state convention in Des Moines yesterday.

The cordial and evident sincerity of delegates in expressing themselves proved highly gratifying to the senator, and his sentiments were echoed in the house among members still here.

Senator Thurston, in a talk with the secretary of war today, received assurances that the War department would not antagonize the Fort Omaha military reservation bill, which has passed the house.

Representative Andrews got a report from the committee on the bill, and the bill is now in the hands of the committee.

Union Pacific matters will be up for discussion tomorrow before the senate committee. Recipients S. H. H. Clark and Oliver W. Mink are both here, and will be called on to testify.

Indiana is not inclined to accept the proposition that officials of the Indian office to whom Secretary Smith entrusted negotiations for a settlement of differences between the Ohio and Indiana.

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PEN PICTURES PLEASANTLY AND POINTEDLY PUT.

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SHERMAN INSISTS ON ACTION

Pressing the Conference Report on the Cuban Resolutions.

HILL OBJECTS TO THE HOUSE MEASURE

Resolutions Favoring Belligerent Rights for the Insurgents Discussed Pro and Con Between Hill and the Ohio Statesman.

DAY SPENT ON ELECTION CONTESTS.

Case of Aldrich Against Robbins Still Unsettled.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—In the house today, during the morning hour, on motion of Mr. Johnson of Indiana, a resolution was adopted by which the claim of Mr. Coleman of the Second Louisiana district to the seat of Mr. Buck was decided in favor of the latter.

Mr. Moody denounced in forcible language what he termed the crimes against honest elections in Alabama. He was applauded frequently and in concluding declared it the duty of the house to those persons who were striving for an honest ballot that no man shall come here and hold a seat without first having earned it.

Mr. Bartlett defended Mr. Robbins, going into the testimony in detail. The speaking in favor of seating the contestant was the feature of the day. His denunciation of election frauds was most vehement.

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PENNY HIDES THE SUN—CASTING OF REFLECTIONS.

Upon the Kimmel never rests in anything but good for our feet plans—if you'll reflect just for a minute you'll plainly see that if such were not the case we could not have sold thousands of them during the last quarter of a century.

Mr. Hill held up a bunch of telegrams which, he said, he had received from New York. One of the telegrams read substantially as follows: "Present attitude of United States toward Cuba sections of our island commences with that island. Merchants flock. Today it is reported that one Cuban general is within a stone's throw of Havana. It is idle to shut our eyes to these conditions."

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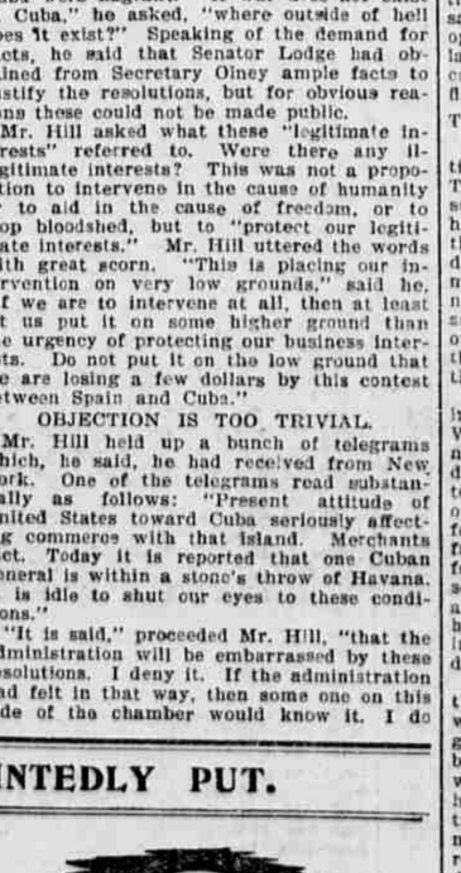
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CHANGE IS LIKELY TO OCCUR SOON

Unlike Foreign Governments, the United States Observes No Precautions Against the Publication of All War and Navy Details.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—European army and navy officers who have visited the United States have frequently expressed surprise at the publicity with which all the operations of our War and Navy departments have been conducted, in marked contrast with the practice in Europe, and especially on the continent, where the greatest precautions are always observed to prevent foreigners from obtaining any information that can possibly be of value and can be concealed from them.

Authorized a Railroad Bridge. WASHINGTON, March 12.—The senate has passed the bill authorizing the Hammond & Blue Island Railroad company to construct a bridge across the Calumet river, Illinois.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balances, \$285,611,631; gold reserve, \$128,716,901.

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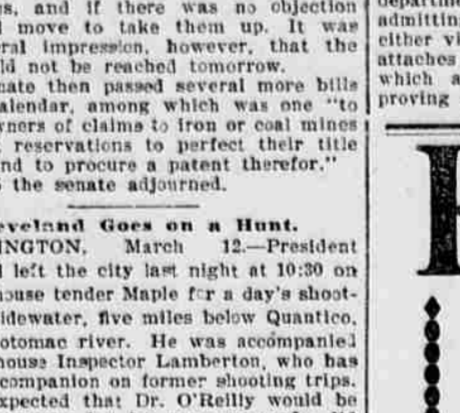
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