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Easter Gloves

For men, women, boys and Revolution Now on in Colombia Degirls. The new shades in women's gloves are beauti-

ful—they are from two of the best makers— Trefousse in clasp, and Foster in the new hook lacing.

Our \$1.50 Pique Street Gloves are made of a little heavier stock than our dress gloves and are very soft and pliable.

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Thursday morning we sell a line of fancy striped ribbons, four and five inches wide, regular prices 85c and \$1 yard, your choice

Thursday at 25c a yard. They are good weight and all silk.

Jewelry-Turn your luck. We have the popular horseshoe or good luck brooch pin, in all sizes.

Sterling eilver and jeweled at \$2.25. \$1.50, \$1.35, \$1.25 and some plain or with a few jewels at 65c, 35c and 25c. Pulley Belt Buckles and Rings in sets or separate pieces in the new designs, in silver, gun metal, oxidized and Roman gold. Prices, 15c, 25c, 50c, 60c, 75c and \$1.00.

Fancy Hose-

in all the new spring fancies, including lace lisles, in stripes, figures and shell patterns.

Misses' black lace liste hope, 50c per DRESS SHIELD SPECIAL-Violet Floral Dress Shields manufactur-

ed by the Warner Bros. Co., pure gum, light weight, muslin covered, sold at 15c or 2 pairs for 25c. Thursday morning at special price, be per pair. Here is a chance for dress makers.

Women's Neckwear-

Our neckwear counter is the brightest and contains the richest and most novel beauties

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plique, plaited and fringed effects.

\$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.50 and \$5.00

Lace Ties, narrow, very late style in beautiful patterns, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

Vells-Supply yourself with pretty, becoming veils, then winds won't annoy you

Fancy black dotted veiling from 15c a yard up to \$1.00 a yard. Fancy black bordered veils from 75c up

to \$3.50 each. Cream washable bordered veils from 25c up to \$2.50 each.

Maline Net or Illusion veiling, 20c and Sewing Silk veiling 25c and 30c a yard.

Chiffon veiling 50c and 60c a yard. Grenadine veiling 15c a yard. These and others

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KING GIVES LANDS TO NATION

Leepold of Belgium Celebrates His Birthday Man Arrested in Paris for Offering in an Unusual Way.

GIFT INCLUDES ALL OF HIS ESTATES

Prolonged Cheering in the Chamber of Deputies When His Majesty's Letter is Read-His Sixty-Fifth Birthday.

desired on the occasion of his sixty-fifth by communicating bogus documents. birthday (he was born April 9, 1835) to present to the country all his estates, which will contribute to the beauty and charm of the localities where they are situated. He pointed out the necessity for open spaces and gardens near growing cities for the benefit of hygiene and artistic effects and expressed the hope that these naturally adorned spaces would not be allowed to de

A bill has been introduced in the chamber

Dyspepsia 20 Years Could Eat Only Stale Bread - All

Else Caused Distress.

"I have derived so much benefit from Hood's Sarsaparilla, after having been a sufferer for more than 20 years from a bad stomach trouble, that I was obliged to live on stale bread and the juice of beefsteak. I had a great deal of inflammation and gastric trouble and was twice at death's door. A friend told me of Hood's Sarsaparilla and I decided to try a bottle. I derived so much benefit from it that I got three more, and after taking them felt that I was entirely cured. I am now 85 years old and enjoy excellent health for one of my years, but every spring I take a bottle of Hood's so that I may feel strong and well during the summer, and I recommend it to anyone who suffers from dyspepsia or indigestion." Mrs. A. G. Marson, 12 Mason Street, Salem, Mass.

All Run Down - Torpid Liver.

"Every spring I suffer from torpid liver and the debilitating influence of the change from cold to warmer weather. Last spring found me unusually run down, having nursed four of my children, unassisted, through a siege of scarlet fever. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and passed through the trying months without any inconvenience whatever. I believe for persons having an inactive liver and poor blood Hood's Sarsapais a good medicine." Mrs. E. B. GRoss, Findlay, Ohio.

It is because Hood's Sarsaparilla is Peculiar to Itself that it effects such remarkable cures. Try it.

to permit the country to accept his majesty's GAGET OFFERS INFORMATION

Germany Important Military

Documents. PARIS, April 11.-Regarding the case of eon Gaget, who was arrested on Sunday, charged with having relations with Germany, it now appears that Gaget was a clerk in a big banking establishment and that the ocuments. He was discovered through BRUSSELS, April 11.-In the Chamber of of insufficient postage. Its contents were liquor dealers' license. The conclusion of crop is feared if a freeze sets in, the warm

Deputies today the premier, M. de Smet de thus ascertained and the letter was for- the officials is that a certain deputy collec-Nater, read a communication from King warded to the ministry of the interior, where tor is responsible for the storing of liquors Leopold, in which his majesty presented to search of his apartments revealed a state-ployes had full knowledge of it. the nation the whole of his real estate. Pro-longed cheering greeted the reading of this document.

Search of his apartments revealed a state-ment of the amounts of money which he had received from Germany, totaling \$50 marks.

The prisoner claims he intended simply to make money out of the German green, and the contract of the German green, and the contract of the German green, and the contract of the green green, and the contract of the amounts of money which he had received from Germany, totaling \$50 marks.

FRANCE REMAINS NEUTRAL

Delense Says that Country Alone Cannot Guarantee Neutrality of Other Powers.

PARIS, April 11.-The question of the ports during March as follows: other powers. France, he added, cannot be are given as follows: expected to undertake alone such a guar- Breadstuffs, decrease, \$29,700,000; cattle anty while the other powers hold back, and hogs, decrease, \$8,200,000; provisions, incapital invested in Mozambique would be 000,000; mineral oils, decreased, \$1,400,000. endangered, but if such a condition arose would like to tell about. For years I the government would not fail to furnish

BIG NAVAL DEMONSTRATION

Affair to Be of an International Character-Warning to China.

BERLIN, April 11.-The Berliner Tageblatt learns from Kiel that an international naval demonstration will take place Taku. The German squadron, consisting of the cruisers Hertha, Gefion, Irene and the Kaiserin Augusta and the gunboats Jaguar and Iltis, under Admiral Bendemann, is at present stationed conveniently so that within a few days the ships can be concentrated in the gulf of Pe-Chi-Li.

Hodgson Reports to London

LONDON, April 11.-The colonial office has received reassuring news from the governor of the Gold Coast, Sir Frederick Mitchell Hodgson, announcing that the situation at Kumassie has much improved. He members of the commission are expected to adds that apparently there is now no danger of the trouble spreading and he is hopeful of a speedy restoration of peace.

Amenity by Francis Joseph. Joseph has awarded the Order of the Golden Fleece to the Austro-Hungarian ambassador o Germany, Count von Zoegyeny-Marich This microing at 8 o'clock Emperor Wiliam called at the Austro-Hungarian em-

barsy to tender congratulations, being the

first to do so. Queen Stays Indoors.

Expedition, Aided by First Nation, Lands on Isthmus of Fanama.

SEEKS TO ACQUIRE THE ENTIRE ISTHMUS

termines Nicaraguans in Making Move-Admiral Kautz Guards American Interests.

risings in Nicaragua and Costa Rica.

sumed, but rather that the invasion is resolution was unanimously adopted.

Senor Caldon has heard nothing of the invaders since their appearance on Colomthe acquirement of the entire isthmus.

The fact that a revolution is now engaging the attention of the Colombian government probably decided the Nicaraguans in acting at the present time.

BRINGS OUT LEGAL TENDERS

One Result of the Passage of the Currency Bill Pointed

WASHINGTON, April 11.-The comptroller of the currency, in answer to inquiries to day, said: "Under authority of section 5.193 U. S. R. S., national banks have heretofore been permitted to deposit with any assistant treasurer of the United States lawful money in sums of not less than \$10,000, and to receive therefor a certificate of deposit which certifies they were authorized to count it as part of their lawful money reserve.

known as the 'currency bill,' repeals this entire section of the revised statutes and in consequence the banks will hereafter be prohibited from counting such certificates as part of their lawful reserve.

entirely by the banks in the principal cities their reports as United States certificates of

FIND LIQUOR IN CUSTOM HOUSE

Officials of Government Building Ignorant of the Storage of the Casks.

investigation of the reported use of the custom house at Charleston, S. C., for the storage of contraband liquors for illicit sales. custom house disclaimed having any knowlspecific charge on which he was arrested was night watchmen, who admitted having aloffering to communicate to the German lowed some of his friends to keep it there. war office a number of important military The officers making the investigation believe the liquor belonged to a certain inthe return of one of his letters on account dividual in Charleston who has a wholesale

action in the matter.

Breadstuffs, Cattle and Hogs Show Heavy Decrease-Cotton Large Increase.

mission of Portugal was brought up in the and hogs, \$2,171,016, decrease, \$500,000; Chamber of Deputies today by two interpel- provisions, \$13,366,535, decrease, \$1,000,000; lations. The minister of foreign affairs, M. cotton, \$33,096,758, increase, \$22,000,000 Delcasse, in refusing to discuss the matter, mineral oils, \$6,494,981, increase, \$1,200,000. said that France bad declared its neutrality | During the last nine months the increase at the opening of the war, but that it was or decrease in the exports of these articles not expected to guarantee the neutrality of as compared with the same months in 1899

There was no reason to suppose that French crease, \$5,000,000; cotton, decreased, \$13. PENSIONS FOR WESTERN VETERANS.

> Survivors of the Civil War Remembered by the Government. following pensions have been granted:

186 to \$8. Original—John Mitts, Council Bluffs, \$8; William Wells, Dubuque, \$8; Albert C. Eastman, Hawarden, \$1. Henry C. Curry, Lake Park, \$8; Silas B. Ireland, Olin, \$6; John Brandon, Melrose, \$6. Additional—William T. Hooper, Dallas Center, \$1 to \$8. Restoration and Reissue—William McCoy (deceased), Brooklyn, \$6. Reissue—Thomas J. Sloane, Des Moines, \$8. Original widows, etc.—Sarah F. Knight, Oskaloosa, \$8; minor of William McCoy, Brooklyn, \$10; (special, March 28) Mary F. Sawyer, Onawa, \$8. South Dakota; Increase—Alonzo Goss, Elk Point, \$14 to \$17.

Judge Tatt at San Francisco. liam H. Taft, president of the Philippine commission, accompanied by his family, arrived from Cincinnati today. The other arrive in the city tomorrow or the day after. on the transport Hancock next Monday. The party will number in all forty-five persons. including clerks and other attaches of the BERLIN. April 11.-Emperor Francis commission, and the families of those who

Department Denies Reports. WASHINGTON, April 11 -- Inquiry at the state and War department discloses the absence of any reports, official or unofficial. connecting Captain Reichmann with active participation in the Boer campaign. Therefore the officials basing their opinion on Cap-

NICARAGUA HITS COLOMBIA the neutrality to which he was bound by END OF TARIFF FIGHT

OUESTION USE OF GARROTE Senate Wants to Know the System of Exceution in Porto Rico.

WASHINGTON, April 11.-When the senate convened today a resolution was adopted calling upon the president, if not incompat-

ible with public interest, to inform the senate whether any persons have been executed secure order, while the vote was taken. by garrote in Porto Rico since the United States authorities have been in control of save time a yea and nay vote was taken the island, and if so, why the system of exccution was employed. Methodists Endow Professorship. WASHINGTON, April 11 .- At today's ses-

Philadelphia, at San Juan del Sur, Costa sion of the Baltimore Methodist Episcopal Rica, where it was ordered from San Fran- conference—the supernumerary preachers cisco for the protection of American inter- were considered and a number were fixed ests, said to be endangered by political up- in relationship. Rev. L. T. Townsend, pres-

Panama. Both Senor Caldon, the Colombian Baltimore conference pledge itself to conminister, and Senor Calvo, the Costa Rican tribute or secure \$50,000 to endow a profesminister, agree upon the fact that the move- sorship of English literature in the Woman's

> Nominations by President. WASHINGTON, April 11 .- The president today sent the following nominations to the

Navy-To be second lieutenant in marine corps, John P. V. Gridley of Pennsylvania. Lieutenant Colonel Retires.

War department for his retirement from the military service.

Weather Bureau Predicts Frost as Far South as the Ohio River.

CHICAGO, April 11.-The whole west and southwest, including the states of Colorado, Wyoming, Nebraska, Kansas, Missourt, Iowa, Iflinois, Indiana and Ohio, is experiencing a series of rain and snow storms. accompanied by temperatures ranging from 15 to 30 degrees below normal, with heavy frosts over a large section of the wheat belt. At Denver this morning thermometers registered 8 above and at Dodge City, Kan. 18 above. According to the United States weather bureau the storms are a continuation of the recent cloudburst that caused the Austin, Tex., disaster, and swollen streams certificates now outstanding, which are held are reported from all over the west. Several minor washouts have occurred, but so far of the east, with the exception of two or the railroads have not experienced any three western cities, and are indicated in serious trouble. Weather bureau officials say the frost line will extend tonight as far south as the Ohio river, at least.

be the reappearance in circulation of the RED RIVER RISES TEN FEET Coming Up at the Rate of Eight Inches an Hour-Lowlands

Overflowed. DENISON, Tex. April 11.—High water is reported at all points in the Red river ter-

ritory. The Red river has risen ten feet within the last twenty-four hours. The Washita is on a big boom and an overflow is threatened. Advices from Texarkana say that the Red river has risen eight feet and is increasing

eight inches an hour. The rise comes from the upper tributaries and will be augumented by the heavy water spouts of the last twenty-four hours in this section. The Sulphur river and Little river are also booming, the latter being out of its banks

Snow Falls in Missouri. ST. LOUIS, April 11.-Rain today turned into snow, which fell for several hours, but soon melted. The weather here and throughout the state is very cold for this time of the year and the destruction of the fruit spell of last week having brought out the

Reports received here state that about three inches of snow fell in central Missouri last night. The farmers in that section have considerable corn already planted and this unusual weather will likely make much Balley (Kan.), replanting necessary replanting necessary.

Texas Rivers Falling. WASHINGTON, April 11.-The monthly territory and northern Texas. Reports to statement of the export of domestic products the railroad telegraph headquarters at Dalissued by the Bureau of Statistics shows ex- las state that the conditions in southern and southwestern Texas are very bad. It will make permanent repairs.

Rain and Snow in Illinois. PEORIA, Ill., April 11.-A mixed rain and Clarke (N. H. now storm with driving wind from the Cochrane (N. north and northwest struck Peorla at 5 Connell. o'clock this morning. The thermometer Cooper (Wis.), stands at 34 degrees above, one degree lower than at 6 o'clock this morning.

Snowfall at Chicago. CHICAGO, April 11.-A light snow fell here all day and promises to continue tonight. Light enow falls are reported from Peoria, Ill., Burlington and Des Moines, Ia., and Lacrosse, Wis.

TRIBUTE TO GREAT JURIST Arrangements for Memorial Celebra-

Howe, chairman of the committee of the Gardner (Mich.)
American Bar association on John Marshall Gardner (N. J.)
day, announces that the day will be day, announces that the day will be the city of Washington, in co-operation with Graff.
the Bar Association of the District of Graham.
Columbia. There will be a public with Granam. Columbia. There will be a public meeting at which the chief justice of the United States the president of the United States has promised to be present. The oration will be delivered by Hon. Wayne MacVeagh, formerly attorney general of the United States and minister to Italy. It is also expected that on the same day there will be local celebrations by the bar associations of the different states and territories. The bar association of Louisiana, has already arranged to have a celebration on the same

Finest in the Land. The observation cafe car on the C., St. P.,
M. & O. Ry. to Sioux City, leaving Webster
street depot daily at 3:40 p. m. Two trains
daily for Sioux City, all points in northeastern Nebraska, South Dakota and northBartlett. western Iowa. Direct connections at Sicux

Kellogg Gets Seven Years. DUBLIN, April 11.—Owing to the inclement weather Queen Victoria was compelled to seven years and six ment weather Queen Victoria was compelled to seven years and six months in state prison.

NEW YORK, April 11.—James B. Kellogg, the head of the E. S. Dean company, was today sentenced to seven years and six months in state prison.

(Continued from First Page.) States and Porto Rico; second, a civil government for the territory of Porto Rico, re-

publican in form." The speaker ruled that as the previous question had been ordered on the rule, Richardson's motion was not in order. "Vote! Vote!" came from many quarters and the speaker beat a lively tattoo to

The viva voce vote was indecisive and to on the adoption of the rule.

The voting was followed with intense interest. The "whips," Long and Underwood, hovered about the desk, seeing that every possible vote was recorded. Test Vote is Republican.

The announcement of the adoption of the rule-ayes, 158; noes, 142 (present and not ident of the Freedman's Aid and Southern woting, 11-was greeted with salves of applause on the republican side. The majority was a general surprise. It was regarded as a test vote. It was socided that the time remaining, three and a half hours, the Pacific side of the strip of Colombian thank offering, through the president of the should be equally divided between the two territory, which forms the Isthmus of college, Dr. Goucher, recommended that the sides, Payne and Richardson to control the time on their respective sides. Payne yielded to Watson of Indiana, who opened the debate.

McCall of Massachueetta said that the proposal to tax the products of Porto Rico had aroused indignation everywhere. It had transformed the whole country into a Boston tea party (democratic applause).

Hopkins of Illinois asserted that the bill when enacted into law would be far more advantageous to the people of Porto Rico than the United States laws in force in New Mexico, Arizona or any territory of the United States. No money was taken from the treasury of the United States for building school houses or reads in any of the territories.

In Accord with Miles' Promise. He claimed that the bill was in strict ac- ket with Burke of Texas, Mahon with Otey, cord with the humane promises made by General Miles.

side. He aroused great enthusiasm among the democrats.

Dolliver of lowa followed. In all generosity and charity, he said, he conceded the Boutelle of Maine with Cochran of Missouri. right of every man to hold his own opinion. Much had been made of the fact that changes had been made in the opinions of men on the government and the final eloquence on the other side, he said, had been the reading of the opinion of a "law clerk who thought he could overrule the great lawyer who presides over the War department."

Dolliver said he would prefer the opinion of lawyers like McCall or Littlefield to the opinion of a law clerk. Proceeding, he asked Richardson pointedly whether would accept the opinion of General Davis. "Which opinion?" asked Richardson. "Give us both opinions and I will take my choice." (Laughter) "This is his official report," said Dolliver.

"Did he not in his sworn testimony before the insular committee recommend free trade?" asked Richardson Dolliver read General Davis' opinion and

also the opinion of Dr. Carroll, the president's confidential agent. "Did not Dr. Carroll recommend free trade?" asked Richardson.

For Ultimate Free Trade. "Ultimate free trade," responded Dolliver, just as this bill does." In conclusion he dismissed as beneath conthis bill. He had as well accuse Mr. Richardson of corruption for introducing a resolution to place raw sugar on the free list. This was a republican measure, he said, indorsed by the republican president and the

Payne, the floor leader of the majority. closed the debate with a vigorous speech, in which he said he was ready to submit the esue involved in the pending bill to the ommon people of the country. "The proudest act of my life," said he is my connection with this bill from start

to finish." (Prolonged applause on republican side.) At 5 o'clock the house, under the terms of the special order, proceeded to vote The roll call was followed with intense interest. The only demonstrations occurred when Henry C. Smith of Michigan voted 'no" and when the eneaker directed the clerk to call his name and answered "aye." When the speaker announced the passage of

the bill, ayes 161, nays 153, present and not voting 11, the republicans cheered for several minutes. The roll call was as follows Final Vote in Taken.

Lacey, Landla awrence, Littauer. Loudenslager Lovering, McCleary, McPherson, Mann, Mar**s**h, Mercer. Mesick. Metcalf. Metcair, Miller, Mondell, Moody (Mass.), Moody (Ore.), Morgan, Morris, Mudd, Needham, O'Grady. Olmsted.

Cushman, Dahie, Dalzell,

Bingham,

Davenport (Samuel) Davidson,

Jack, Jenkins Jones (Wash.),

Bell, Bellamy,

Brantley.

McCall. McCiellan. McCulloch, McDowell, McLain, McRae, Maddox,

lark (Mo.), layton (Ala.), layton (N. Y.), Norton (O.) Norton (S. C.) Pierce (Tenn.) Quarles, Ransdell, wherd, lrawford. rumpacker, ummings,

Autter, Naphen

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obb, obinson (Ind.), obinson (Neb.), ucker,

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Sparkman,

tokes, ulzer, utherland,

Swanson. Talbert,

Warner. Wheeler,

pight, tark. tophens (Tex.).

Tate.
Taylor (Ala.),
Terry.
Thomas (N. C.),
Turner.
Underhill.
Underwood,
Vandiver,
Warner.

Davis, De**Arm**ond, De**Graffe**nreid, Seidler. Shackelford. Fitzgerald (Mass.), Fitzgerald (N. Y.), Fitzpatrick, Silayden. Smith (Ky.). Smith (Henry C.), Snodgrass.

driggs. dentwo!e

Wheeler,
Williams (J. R.),
Williams (Wm. E.),
Williams (Miss.),
Wilson (Idaho),
Wilson (N. Y.),
Wilson (S. C.),
Zenor—153. The pairs were as follows, the first named

being in favor of the bill: Hull with Hay, Packer with Polk, Barney with Allen of Mississippi, Weymouth with The internal revenue laws of the United Broussard, Gillett of Massachusetts with States were in full force in the territories. Thayer, Hawley with Cooper of Texas, Bur-Minor of Wisconsin with Rixey, Lybrand with Gaston, Kerr with Carmack, Davey Richardson concluded the debate on his (dem.) with Crowley, Meyer (dem.) with Robertson of Louisiana, Otjen with Brenner, Wachter with Small, Stewart of New Jersey with Salmon, Esch with Bailey of Texas.

LEAVING A STRICKEN ISLAND Many Native Inhabitants as Well as

Americans Departing-Condition

Unpaired-Stallings.

of the Poor. PONCE, P. R., April 4.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) - At no time since the hurricane of August 8 last has the condition of the poor of Porto Rico been as bad as it is today. About 95 per cent of the island may be placed in the peon class, which is made up of a mixture of all races. In the other 5 per cent are included the well to do educated people, such as merchants, planters and professional men and their families This better class is able to pass through such times as are now prevailing without actual physical suffering, but their business

affairs are at a standstill and have been for a long time and this deprives the majority of the large laboring class of a means of livelihood. This large body of laboring people furnishes the very cheap and effective labor which is needed for agricultural and other works, but at all times they have been in an underfed and poorly nourished condition. Their hardships have been greatly tempt the charge of bribery as a motive for added to by the scarcity of fruit since the hurricane and its consequent increase in

Salt fish, rice and beans have been imported free of duty since the hurricane, but little of the benefit of this has gone to the peons, and now when there is a prospect of 15 per cent of the Dingley tariff being placed on those articles the price has been greatly advanced. Merchants hesitate to import large stocks because of the prospect of free trade and the present scarcity is also the cause for the advance in prices.

No one who understands the situation here will deny that much of the good feeling between Porto Ricans and Americans has been lost. Besides Americans are fewer in number in Porto Rico today than at any time since shortly after the troops first landed and those departing have left a long list of defunct companies, bankrupt business, bankrupt schemes and anxious creditors, who in some cases hold choice collections of worth-

less notes and checks. Not only are Americans leaving the island, but large numbers of Porto Ricans have gone to Venezuela, to Santo Domingo and to Cuba. Three days ago more than 300 natives sailed for Cuba, to obtain employment there and at least 1,000 have sailed from this port alone during the last three months. Much live stock is also being shipped to Cuba. The greatest loss to Porto Rico in this respect is the large cargoes of magnificent cattle, which it will take years to replace.

General Davis is being deluged with petitions as well as visits from committees of citizens from all over the island, all asking that part of the \$2,000,000 appropriation be spent in its particular locality. The sugar planters of Cabo Rojo think \$200,000 should be spent for a central factory for their benefit, while the municipal council of Ponce has appointed a committee to ask for part of the money for improvements for the Ponce waterworks.

Municipalities in Porto Rico are mostly in a state of absolute bankruptcy and have been so for months. The alcaldes, councilmen and other officers do not relish attempting to run towns without funds and resignations have been so numerous that General Davis has found it necessary to issue an order on the subject, giving causes for which resignations will be accepted.

TOBACCO SHORT OF STAMPS Next AMATEUR Show, Friday, Arril 13 St. Louis Firm Guilty of Defrauding the Government of Large Sum

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11 .- Five hundred pounds of plug cut tobacco were seized in various local stores by internal revenue agents because the packages were insufficiently stamped. This tobacco, manufactured by a St. Louis firm, had been put up in packages weighing from an ounce and three- | the stage. quarters to two ounces and the packages had been uniformly stamped as weighing an ounce and two-thirds.

Collector Thomas, who made the discovery of this revenue law violation, says that the fraud has evidently been carried on very extensively and he estimates that the cost to the government has been fully \$50,000 a year. A general search for unstamped packages has been begun and all tobacco found to exceed the weight indicated by the stamps will be confiscated.

Two Burned to Death in House Fire. PARKERSBURG, W. Va., April 11.—The residence of Peyton H. Ruble, seven miles below this city, was completely destroyed by fire today, together with all its contents and two of its inmates. The dead

MRS. RUBLE, wife of Peyton Ruble.
GORDON DAVIS, 9 years old.
Peyton Ruble was seriously burned and
cannot recover.
The fire started in the second story
and in a short time the building burned
to the ground.

Malt Nutrine called malt products some breweries put It is not beer and "burnt sugar, See that the name Anheuser-Busch Brew

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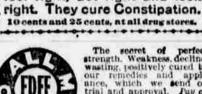
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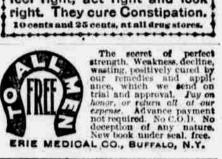
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Dee, April 11, 1900

WASHINGTON, April 11.-Word was received at the Navy department today of the arrival of Admiral Kautz's flagship, the

Nicaragua, sailed down the western coast of of the south Costa Rica and landed at David, a point on ment was not made as a means of attack- College of Baltimere. ing Costa Rica on the south, as was as-

directed against Colombia. The fact that the invading band sailed down to David in a boat loaned by the government of Nicaragua is regarded as significant, particularly as the boat was returned senate: to that government, after the landing of the expedition.

bian soil, but believes that they contemplate General Herrarra, the leader of the invading force, Senor Caldon says, was formerly a musician in one of Colombia's military bands, who left that country for Venezuela and afterward went to Nicaragua,

where his rise in military affairs evidently has been very rapid.

"Section 6 of the act of March 14, 1900, "There are about \$14,500,000 of these

"The result of this repeal of section 6 will legal tenders against which the certificates

WASHINGTON, April 11.-The secretary of the treasury has received a report from the special agent who has conducted the The search of the building resulted in the finding of a cask containing about fifteen gallons of rum and thirty-nine ten-gallon kegs from which the liquor had recently been taken. Officers and employes of the in the lower lands. edge concerning the liquor except one of the

The treasury officials have as yet taken no MONTHLY EXPORT STATEMENT

transport of British troops across Portu- Breadstuffs, \$16,868,270, decrease, as com- require from ten to fifteen months' time Burke of guest territory to Rhodesia with the per- pared with March, 1899, \$3,000,000; cattle and expenditure of large sums of money to Burton.

WASHINGTON, April 11 .- (Special.)-The Issue of March 26: Nebraska: Increase-Woral C. Smith Fairbury, \$6 to \$8; Timothy Collins, Omaha 56 to \$8

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11 .- Judge Wil-The commission is scheduled to leave here compose the latter body.

A revolutionary expedition, under com- Educational society, gave a brief account of mand of General Herrarra, issued from the improved condition of the colored people The committee on the twentieth century

The sum of \$20,015 was pledged and the

War, Artillery-To be captain, First Lieutenant I. N. Lewis, Seventh. To be first lieutenant, Second Lieutenant F. Bottoms, Infantry-To be first lieutepant, Second Lieutenant William K. McCue, First.

WASHINGTON, April 11 .- Lieutenant Colonel Webb C. Hayes of the Thirty-first infantry, son of the late President Hayes, has been honorably discharged from the United States army at his own request. He has been serving in the Philippines with Colonel Pettit, but is now on his way to San Francisco. No reason is assigned at the

LOW TEMPERATURE IN WEST floor and in the executive branches of the

DALLAS, Tex., April 11.—Reports today Bishop, state that all the rivers of the Texas flood Bouteile district are falling but the Red river. It is rising and a flood is feared in the Indian

tion in Honor of John Marshall. NEW ORLEANS, April 11.-William Wirt Gamble supreme court will preside and at which

City for St. Paul and Minneapolis.

Kahn, Ketcham, Knox,

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