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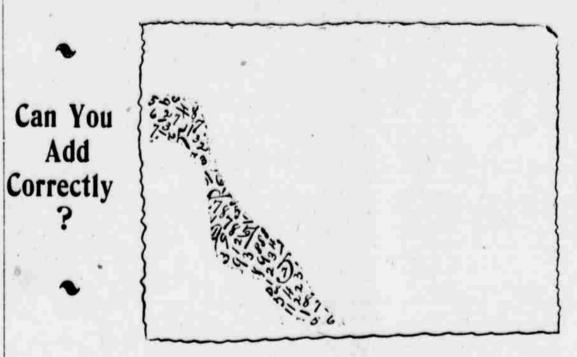
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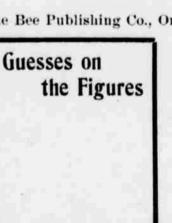
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Methuen and Rawlinson Hurrying Toward Delarey's Boers.

BABINGTON TOO WEAK TO ATTACK THEM

Men in the Hills Are Five Thousand tn Number and British Forces in the District Have to Await Reinforcements.

JOHANNESBURG, May 3 .- General Delarey, the Boer commander, has now 4,000 or 5,000 men in the hills around Hartbeestefoutein. General Babington, in command of the British forces in the district, is without a sufficient force to attack and is observing Rawlinson are converging hither. A battle appears imminent.

VON MIQUEL TO BE HONORED German Minister of Finance Who Re-Higher Rank.

BERLIN, May 4.-Theodore Moeller, national liberal member for Brackwede, has been appointed minister of commerce, in

succession to Herr Brefeld. It is understood Dr. von Miquel, who has will be elevated to a higher rank. He has as finance minister. received the newly established Prussian order of merit.

Emperor William's wish to appoint Count von Zeedlitz-Truetschler, president of Hesse-Nassau, to succeed Baron von Rheinbaden as Prussian minister of the interior, is meeting with serious obstacles. His majesty has now asked Count von Bethmann-Hollweg, president of the province of Brandenburg, to become minister of the interior.

Coal Miners May Not Quit. LONDON, May 4 .- There are further indications that the coal owners and merchants are wavering in regard to the advisability of urging the miners to close the pits. The divisions among the men, too, are becoming more marked. The Derbyshire Miners as sociation, the membership of which is 30,-000, unanimously passed a resolution against the export tax on coal, but by a small maformy decided not to stop work.

On the other hand, the Northumberland delegates, at a meeting at Newcastle, nuanimously decided to support the strike. The Durban miners, at a meeting, agreed to abide by the decision of the national

The Lancashire and Cheshire miners took up a similar attitude, while those of York- Lackawanna & Western road at this place being expressed that if the men agreed to of their number who were discharged beshut down the pits the owners should con- cause of their activity in forming a union. tinue paying their wages.

LONDON, May 4.- The War office has received the following report from Lord Kitchener, under date of Pretoria, May 3: Ten Boers have been killed, three wounded, thirteen have surrendered and 280,000 rounds of small arm ammunition, 500 wagons and 2,070 horses have been captured since last report.

Troops to Suppress Plague Riots. CALCUTTA, May 4.-Three hundred troops have beer dispatched to the Siakat district to suppress plague riots. Twentyfive villages are in revolt in the district and several hospital assistants have been

Goluchowski, president of the imperial by May 1

BATTLE APPEARS IMMINENT council; Dr. von Koerber, the Austrian premier, and President Koloman de Sant council; Dr. von Koerber, the Austrian MANILA BAY BATTLE RELIC of the Hungarian cabinet summoning the delegations to meet May 20.

TALK ABOUT THE CABINET

Emperor William's Selection for Minister of Interior Causes a

BERLIN, May 4 .- In well-informed quarters the representative of the Associated Press hears the sensational news that Emperor William wants Count Sedlitz Trudhler to become Prussian minister of the interior. The count is now chief president of Hesse-Nassau, in deset, and was formerly Prussian minister of education. It was under his administration that the famous school law was framed at the special instance of the Boers, while Generals Methuen and it aroused in liberal circles, whereupon the

> His being summoned here is generally reign in the new cabinet. Count von Buelow will, it is considered certain, avoid decided to remove it, partly as a relic and everything that will offend the centrist or conservative parties and no change in the system will be inaugurated, since the government needs both the conservatives and

centrists in the Reichstag. The Associated Press hears further that Baron von Rheinhaben, Prussian minister resigned the office of minister of finance, of the interior, will succeed Dr. von Miquel

MACHINISTS WILL STRIKE

Roderick Says No Alternative but to Quit Work on Illinois entral.

CHICAGO, May 4.-Practical admission was made today by an officer of the International Association of Machinists that a strike will be declared on the Illinois Central early next week. "There will be no compromise," said Business Agent D. W. Roderick of the Chicago lodge. "We have told the company what we want, the company has refused our demands and there can be but one result, and this is a strike." Mr. Roderick said he would make no effort to have further conference with officials of the Illinois Central company.

THOUSAND WORKMEN GO OUT

Employes of Lackawanna Insist on Reinstatement of Two of Their Number.

SCRANTON, Pa., May 4 .- More than 1,000 employes of the car-shops of the Delaware, shire voted against the strike, the feeling went on strike for the reinstatement of two

Machinists Threaten to Strike. ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 4.-A general sentiment for strikes exists among laboring men in this city. It is asserted that nearly 800 machinists will go on strike May 20 if their demands are not acceded to. Early last fall a demand was made on the mas ter machinists for a nine and a half hour day, a reduction of thirty minutes, and on November 36 last the demand went into effect. Now the machinists demand that the working day be reduced to nine hours. This week every member of the association received a little slip of paper from the International Association of Machinists, ago decided an organized effort would be Summons Imperial Council. made to obtain a shorter day, in which it Bartlett did not attempt an elaborate ex-VIENNA, May 4.—Emperor Francis Joseph was stated that a strike would be declared planation or combat the government theory has written autograph letters to Count if the nine hour-day is not put into effect that the killing was done by a center-fire

Navy Yard Men Find the Olympia Carrying a Becret Scar.

INDENTED PLATE MAY BE SENT TO DEWEY

Section Bearing Mark of Spanish Shell that So Nearly Cost Him His Life Likely to Become His Property.

WASHINGTON. May 4.-Tangible evidence of the peril to which Admiral Dewey was exposed during the battle of Manila bay was forwarded to the Navy department the emperor. This law, however, was finally in the shape of one of the starboard dropped because of the intense indignation plates of the admiral's flagship Olympia. The plate is about three feet square and count resigned. He is still a great favorite in its middle is a heavy indention 1% with the emperor, the conservatives and inches deep, made by a large fragment from a five or six-pound Spanish shell.

The Olympia is now at the Boston navy interpreted as a sign that reactionism will yard undergoing repairs and when the constructors came acros this plate they also to replace it with a solid plate. In forwarding it to the Bureau of Construction a letter was sent stating that the plate was taken from the starboard side of the Olympia's superstructure, approximately under the forward bridge and very close to one of the five-inch guns. While the battle was in progress a shell burst very near the officers on the bridge, one of the fragments whizzing by the admiral. The deeply indented plate gives a more forcible reminder of the narrow escape appeared. The plate either will be placed at the Smithsonian institution or given to

> Admiral Dewey. PENSIONS FOR WESTERN VETERANS.

War Survivors Remembered by the General Government. WASHINGTON May 4 .- (Special.) - The following pensions have been granted:

WASHINGTON May C. Coperat.) Table following pensions have been granted:

Issue of April 18:
Nebraska: Original — Nois E. Bilven, Homer, 38. Additional—Virgil Stuart, Fairmont, 310: William N. Babcock, Exeter, 38. Increase—James M. Hill, Fairmont, 314: Charles W. Orr, Lynch, 310. Original widows, etc.—Sarah Carlisle, Lexington, 38. Iowa: Original—Charles T. Bromley, Plaintield, 38: Alfred Barrows, Nashville, 36. Additional—William Reed, Persia, 38. Increase—Samuel R. Strong, Marshalltown, 317; John A. Charles, Wiota, 310. Original widows, etc.—Rachel Carper, Athelston, 38; (special accrued, April 29), Lydia M. Leisenring, Mount Pleasant, 38; Anna Burger, Ballas Center, 38; Agnes Plummer, Chester, 38; Abigail A. Royer, Algona, 38.
Wyeming: Reissue and increase—Samuel M. Breckinridge, Sheridan, 312.
South Dakota: Original—Charles Miller, Rockford, 36. War with Spain, original—Matt Schueler, Yankton, 38.
Colorado: Original widows, etc.—Ellen Gleason, Denver, 38. War with Spain, original—Harry M. Dunkin, Emma, 356; Charles S. Carty, Denver, 38.

EASTMAN VERSION DIFFERS Attorney for Defense Says Discharge

of Revolver that Killed Gro-

gan Was Accidental. CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 4.- The defense at the Eastman murder trial today completed the outline of its case and during the half day's session placed four witnesses

on the stand to support its contention that the relations between the two men were not only intimate but cordial. The interest of the day, however, was in the outline of the principal portion of the which in general conference some months case made by Mr. Bartlett and his explanation of how the shooting occurred. Mr.

bullet, except to say that the bullet which was forced to procialm him a genius."

was produced at the trial was at the request of the defense shown to a cartridge expert last October and that the experplaced a private mark on the bullet which cannot be found on that produced in court. Regarding what actually took place be tween the two men Mr. Bartlett said that Eastman was examining the old rim-fire revolver when it suddenly exploded and Grogan threw up his hands. Eastman, supposing Grogan had been shot, went towards him at the same time Grogan's revolver went off. A struggle took place between the two men, during which Grogan's revolver went off two or three more times. Eastman got hold of the revolver and threw it

FIRE AT BASE BALL GROUND

Interrupts National League Game at St. Louis and Causes \$30,000 Loss.

ST. LOUIS, May 4 .- A fire, probably started by a careless smoker, broke out underneath the center of the grandstand at the National league base ball park at short time the grandstand, pavilion and office of the company were ruins. The fire spread with amazing rapidity, but the spectators acted coolly and got out of the grounds without injury. The flames were fanned by a high wind and for a time threatened to spread to other buildings in the vicinity.

The races were on at the fair grounds just across the street from the ball park, and the sheets of flame and huge billows of smoke created consternation-among the race patrons. The race track fence caught fire, but before the flames could spread to the palatial clubhouse and big grandstand from bursting shells than has heretofore the fire department arrived. The loss will amount to fully \$30,000, partially insured.

Close Call at Nashville.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 5.—Fire in the wholesale district of Market street at an early hour this morning damaged three firms and at one time threatened a disastrous conflagration. Monigomery, Moore & Co.'s wholesale saddlery, in which the flames were discovered, suffered considerable damage, but no estimate has been placed upon a ge, but no estimate has been placed upon the land. Since man level freedom and contended for it upon fields of fame the heroes and patriots of all ages have been mourned in poetry and 200%, wholesale grocers, will reach \$50,000, while scroggins. White & Co.'s loss is placed at \$40,000. All are covered by insurance.

Plow Repository at Dallas.

DALLAS, Tex., May 4.—The repository of the Southern Rock Island Plow company. Business Houses at Lufkin.

LUFKIN, Tex., May 4.—Fire this afternoon swept away twenty-two business in houses and their contents, entailing a loss of about \$85,000, on which there is little insurance.

Ferris Stove Company.

ST. LOUIS, May 4.—Fire which broke out at a late hour tonight in the building occupied by the Ferris Stove Manufacturing company, 803 to \$66 North Main street, did \$50,000 damage to the structure and \$50,000

Robot St. The loss is fully covered by the Menorial day. May 300:

**Molesale district of Market street at an early hour this and respected three firms and at one time threatened a disastrous observance of Memorial day, May 300:

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\$50,000 damage to the structure and \$50,000 to the stock. The loss is fully covered by

Suppress Russian Press. LONDON, May 4 .- According to a dispatch from St. Petersburg the minister of the interior, M. Sipiaghin, prohibited the sale of the Rossiya on the streets for a month in consequence of the paper's liberal tendenctes and because just after the appointment of General Van Novski as minister of public instruction the Rossiya awakened the wrath of the authorities by remarking that

"no sooner was a man of mediocre ability

appointed a minister than the Russian press

President, Secretary and Organizer of the United Workers Confer and Organize Details of the Unique Pilgrimage.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., May 4.-National Organizer Dougherty, Secretary Hartlin of the Ninth district and President Duffy of the Seventh district held a conference here today and arranged for a march of mine workers to Harrisburg for the purpose of

by the United Mine Workers. It is proposed to rendezvous the miners from Hazleton, McAdoo, Panther Creek Valley and Schuylkill regions at Pottsville on Tuesday. They will take six days' rations each and will march to Millersburg, where they will be joined by those from North Cumberland and Columbia counties. least 10,000 men will leave when the orders to march are given. They will camp in Agricultural park.

NEBRASKA'S MEMORIAL DAY

Commander Reese Issues His Order for His Comrades of the Grand Army.

LINCOLN. May 4.- (Special.) -- Commander Reese of the Nebraska departmen of the Grand Army of the Republic has is sued the following orders for the observ

ance of Memorial day, May 30:

cises especially appropriate to the day and occasion.

4. Post commanders will see to it that the Memorial day committee make proper arrangements with the school officers for patriotic exercises in the public schools on the Friday preceding Memorial day, and that comrades be secured to visit each school at the hour agreed upon to conduct the services. Comrades, see to it that our flag is raised at half-mast over every school house in the state, and, wherever possible, on all public buildings on May 34. Interest the people in our Memorial day; even if your post is small in numbers, make your services so interesting and your devotion so sacred that your neighbors will join you in paying homage to the heroic dead.

5. Post chaplains will make full report of memorial day proceedings upon blanks promemorial day proceedings upon blanks pro-vided for such purpose.

6. We should all remember that Memoria day is sacred to the memory of our dead comrades. The day should not be lafamed

MINERS TRY COXEY'S PLAN by games of sport and amusements and all posts and comrades should use all their influence to discourage, and as far as possible prevent, such desecration of the day. The thirtieth national encampment provided that the reading of President Lincoln's address at Gettysburg be made a special feature in all Memorial day exercises held under the auspices of the Grand Army of the Republic. The address is published herewith. Commanders of posts will direct that it be read in connection with the exercises of the day. By order of with the exercises of the day, By order of JOHN REESE, Department Commander. JAMES D. GAGE, Assistant Adjutant General. TELEGRAPHERS PUSHING IT TELEGRAPHERS PUSHING IT Another Rumor of Attempted Revival of Railway Brotherhood. SCOPE TO BE BROADER THAN BEFORE JAMES D. GAGE, Assistant Adjutant General.

FOUR MILLION COAL DEAL Pittsburg Syndicate Buys Thirty-Five

Thousand Acres of Mining Land. PITTSBURG, May 4 .- Probably the larg-

est coal deal ever carried through has been completed by James Drape & Co., and involves almost all of the Murraysville vein urging the passage of bills recommended of coal located in Allegheny and Westmoreland counties. The total acreage of coal privilege sold approximates 35,000 acres and the price was close to \$4,000,000. The company which has acquired this vast coal deposit is made up of Pittsburg capitalists almost entirely, and will be known as the Black Run Coal syndicate.

New Man from the Bast. Frank N. Hibbits has been appointed mechanical engineer of the Union Pacific, the appointment taking effect yesterday.

This is a new position created at the it stance of Superintendent Higgins, the work devolving upon the new engineer having been attended to by men in the office of the superintendent of motive power and machinery and by special draughtsmen. Mr. Hibbits comes to the Union Pacific from the Erie road, his former headquarters having been at Carbondale, Pa

Will Launch Constitution Monday. BRISTOL, R. I., May 4.—The finishing touches are being placed on the Constitution and the launching will probably occur at about 2 o'clock Monday morning.

Employes of All Railroads in the United States, Exceeding Deba' Organization.

CHICAGO, May 4 .- The Record-Herald tomorrow will say: Railroad officials in Chicago have received information that an attempt is being made to revive the American Railway union under the name of the United Brotherhood of Railway Employes and to

make it even more far-reaching and power-

ful than in the days previous to the Pullman strike. he movement, both by the men supposed to be engineering it and by the railroad offilals. So far as could be learned the movement criginated with the employes of the Southern Pacific and the Order of Railway

Telegraphers is thought to be the moving spirit. The avowed purpose is said to be to band together all the employes of railroads in the United States in an organization similar to the one that went to pieces under the ad-

ministration of Eugene V. Debs.

Anarchists Start a Riot. LONDON, May 4 .- A serious riot is reported to have occurred Thursday in Barelona, says the Madrid correspondent of the Daily Express. Two hundred anarchists invaded a Catalonist meeting and a terrible fight followed. Revolvers and knives were used and many people were shot and otherwise wounded. Turmotl continued in the streets throughout the night.

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