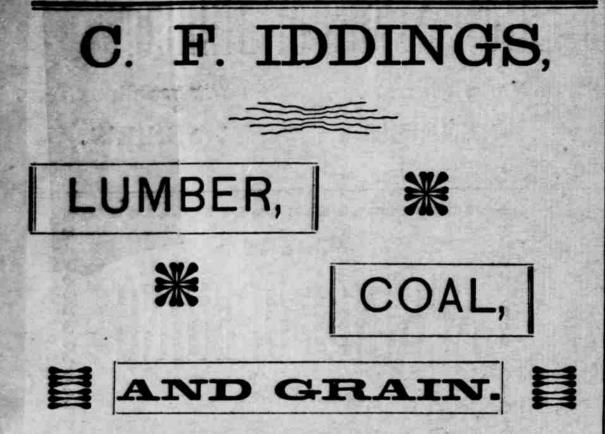
THE NORTH PLATTE SEMI-WEEKLY TRIBUNE: TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 16, 1895.

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The Semi - Weekly Tribune. RA L. BARE, EDITOR AND PROPRIETO UBSCRIPTION BATES

WHEN the Telegraph is the means soldier: therefore, of bringing about a much needed reform THE TRIBUNE will probably family of our late comrade our deep pects an apportunity to make the affliction.

POSTMASTER GENERAL BISSELI was the first to leave President Cleveland's Cabinet, but he has followed the example of many other Cabinet officers. In the first century of our national existence there were 207 Cabinet officers appointed and seventy seven of them resigned before the expiration of their terms of office.

The supreme court has set the case of the state against ex-Treasurer Hill, for the recovery of \$236, 000 lost in the Capital National bank, for trial on the 29th inst. Messrs. Munger and Harlan, commissioners appointed to draw a jury Platte Wednesday. to try this case, have been ordered coln, on the 16th inst., the venire precinct. to be returnable on the 29th inst.

THE bicycle manufacturers intend to double the output of their factories for last year by the manufacture this year and they expect the people to expend \$40,000,000 for wheels. This may be an indication of better times for everybody but the horse raiser. The bicycle and the

REBOLUTIONS. At a meeting of S. A. Douglas No. 69, G. A. R., on April 13th 1895, the following resolutions were adopted.

> WHEREAS, It has pleased the Great Commander to promote into the Grand Army above our late comrade Wm. Emerson, and, WHEREAS, S. A. Douglas Post

No. 69 deplores the loss of a good Resolved, that we extend to the

howl with envy, but it never ex- sympathy in this their hour of Resolved, That this Post drapes her charter for thirty days; that a

copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our late comrade, and the same be spread on our minutes, and also a copy to our city papers for publication.

> G. A. HESSE, T. C. PATTERSON, } Com FRANK PEALE, SOMEKSET SNAP SHOTS.

A fine rain and snow in this locality recently was much appre-

ciated. Spring seems to have arrived in earnest, grass is getting a fine start.

M. H. McDermott was in North

A car of corn has arrived from to meet for that purpose, at Lin- Missouri for distribution in Kem

> Miss Hannah Smale, of Curtis, is visiting at Mrs McConnells this

week. A Green was a North Platte visitor Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Latimer are reported to be improving. Dan Jolliff was in North Platte Tuesday and Wednesday, Meetings have been in progress

President Cleveland's Reply to the Chicago Commission. LINE OF BATTLE IS DRAWN.

ers of a Great Nation.

WASHINGTON, April 15 .- The following is the text of President Cleveland's reply to the Chicago committee:

WASHINGTON, April 18. GENTLEMEN-I am much gratified by the exceedingly kind and complimentary invitation you have tendered me on behalf of many citizens of Chicago to be their guest at a gathering in the interest of sound money and wholesome financial doctrine. My attachment to this cause is great, and I know so well the hospitality great, and I know so well the hospitality and kindness of the people of Chicago that my personal inclination is strongly in favor of accepting your flattering invita-tion; but my judgment and my estimate of the proprieties of my official place ob-lige me to forego the enjoyment of partici-pating in the occasion you contemplate. I hope, however, that the event will mark the beginning of an express the beginning of an earnest and aggres sive effort to disseminate among the people safe and prudent financial ideas. Nothing more important can engage the attentio

of patriotic citizens, because nothing is so vital to the welfare of our countrymen and to the strength, prosperity and honor of our nation.

ambidextrous, using either hand with The situation confronting us demands that those who appreciate the importance of this subject and those who ought to be dexterity. BATTLE BETWEEN BEAR AND BULL the first to see impending danger should no longer remain indifferent or overconfi-Grizzly Caused a Panic Among the Sp tators by Trying to Escape. LAREDO, Tex., April 15.—The fight between the California grizzly and the dent. If the sound money sentiment abroad in the land is to save us from mischief and disaster, it must be crystalized, combined and made immediately active. Mexican fighting bull, Panther, took It is dangerous to overlook the fact that a vast number of our people with scanty opportunity thus far to examine the quesplace today as advertised in the bull ring in New Laredo, Mex., but though it pleased the crowd it was not much of tion in all its aspects, have nevertheless a fight after all. The bear died an hour been ingeniously pressed with specious suggestions, which in this time of misforprepared to give credence to any scheme which is plausibly presented as a remedy

Enough Evidence to Convict Him of Murder of Misses Lamont and Williams. SAN FRANCISCO, April 15.—The net is tightening around W. H. T. Durant, the dental student in jail for the mur-Insurgent General Taken Prisoner by der of Blanch Lamont and Minnie Williams in Emanuel church. Chief of Police Crowley claims to have evidence CUBA'S LAST HOPE IS GONE. enough now to convict him beyond a doubt. Durant had been attentive to both girls. Each girl regarded him as a lover. They were both members of the church and were friends. Both belonged to the same class in Sunday school. The young man was librarian of the church and assistant superintendent of the Sunday school.

DAMAGING PROOF AGAINST DUBANT.

Other circumstances which against him are that he had the key to the church; was seen conducting Miss Williams into a private door of the church Friday evening: was late arriving at the Vogel reception, and upon arriving there showed a nervous condition and disordered attire. There is rumor that there was blood on his hands. In his overcoat pocket was found the girl's missing purse. Miss Williams was to have gone to Dr. Vogel's Friday evening, started for the house, met Durant and was never seen alive again. The sleeve of the man's white shirt rolled up in a wad as though it had been stripped off the arm, was found. It was soiled and had blood stains on it but they were old. An-other significant fact is that Blanch Lamont, who was murdered first and carried to the church belfry, was strangled by a left handed man who used the left

hand in choking the girl. Durant is

.HAVANA, April 15.-Maceo is captured and Cuba's last hope is gone. Crombet has been killed. Without these two leaders all is chaos in insurgent ranks and liberty's most ardent friends admit that the Cuban cause is lost. The Spanish party are posting bulletins and the loyalists in Havana are celebrating the ending of the revolution. Without Crombet and Maceo there can be no real war. On Saturday the Cuban army and Spanish soldiers met at Palmarito. The rebel forces numbered 2,000 men, while that of the Spaniards was 3,000. A desperate fight followed, and according

the Spanish.

obels Without a Leader

Loyalists Celebrating the Ending



to official reports lasted two hours. At after the fight. Great consternation tune and depression find willing listeners, was caused at one stage of the game the end of that time the rebels rewhen the bear, "Ramidan," being pur- treated, were pursued by the Spanish red. His The battle was a hand-to-hand conflict. and a number of Cuban officers, one of whom was a colonel, were killed. Maceo was a leader of the rebel forces with Gomez during the last revolution. Though but a youth he achieved considerable distinction. Maceo's fate is known in advance. It would be far better for him if he had been killed. as was Crombet, than to be brought here to Havana and put in old Morra castle's gloomy prison. He will be kept there for some time, and then possibly he will be given a mock trial. It is certain he will be garroted. "We have no need of Campos and his troops now," said a Spanish officer, when he heard of Maceo's capture and Crombet's death. **Consul General Williams is preparing** for an early departure, and Vice Consul Springer assumes the duties of the office at once. Calleja, captain general of Cuba, who is in supreme authority until the arrival of Campos, who, by royal proclamation, is commander whenever he lands, was seen at the captain, general's palace and was asked if the news of the capture of Maceo was true. He confirmed the news, and added that all of the filibustering was nearly at an end. Calleja seems to be highly gratified that the revolution has been put down without the aid of Campos' troops. "When you Americans see how easily we can crush out the rebels here in the island without the aid of home troops, or with only a few of them, you will realize that the amount of anarchistic sentiment in this island has been exag-"Tell your people," he added, "that Cuba is loyal to Spain, and that Spain has never oppressed the island as represented." Resuming the discussion of the battle at Palmarito, Calleja said that he had official information concerning the capture of Maceo and the killing of Brigadier General Flor Crombet. He also



ued in one of the corners by mad

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 15 .- The Rev. J. M. Jessup, an aged primitive Baptist preacher, met death in a horrible manner at Sandy Ridge, Ala. While delivering his sermon he saddenly fell to the floor in spasms and died with his awe-stricken congregation about him. It afterwards developed that he had taken a large quantity of strychnine which he carried in his pocket on bread crumbs to poison En-