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REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE MEETING.

o'clock in the afternoon, for the ters of 1776 if they did otherwise. purpose of determining the manner of selecting delegates to the state convention to be held at Omness as may properly come before Eagle. the meeting. A full representafore the committee.

G. C. McAllister, Chairman.

THE SIXTH DISTRICT. The Congressional Committee of the Sixth Congressional district is hereby called to meet in the city of Kearney on Wednesday, March 11, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the transaction of such business as may properly come before it.

G. H. CUTTING. Chairman. P. T. LAMBERT, Secretary.

THE latest extended estimate o republican presidential preferences - \$50,000.00. is one which is published in the Pittsburg "Dispatch." It is based \$22,500.00 on telegrams from all the states and territories, and according to the Philadelphia "Iuquirer," Senator Quay says the estimate is fairly | breathed a spirit of liberty. representative of the situation at gives McKinley 335 votes on the opinion of congress a state of public war break up in the city's history-John low, who attempted to arrest him at Dun- the consulate and shouting: "Long live first ballot; Reed, 215; Morton, 67; Allison, 80; Quay, 76; Cullom, 38; Bradley, 26; Davis, 22, with 18 scattering or undecided. The only change Quay would make in these figures is that he thinks McKinley's vote will not go above 300 on the first ballot, instead of the 335 which the "Dispatch" gives him. The number necessary to a choice is 459, which would make McKinley lack at the outset 159 votes of the number required to give him the nomination.

THE one striking teature of the ocal situation with reference to the ! presidential preference is the strong sentiment among the masses for Major McKinley. The laboring men of Fremont who have voted the republican ticket in times past are. almost to a man, for the great apostle of protection and prosperity. And there is abundant evi dence that many men who have not hitherto been voting the ticket who will hereafter do so and they are strong in their preference for Mc-Kinley. If we mistake not there are yet greater surprises in store for the enemy than they have had up to date in the eventful as well as fateful political occurrences of the past eighteen months. The laborer believes himself worthy of his hire and he is of the opinion that he will be hired if McKinley is elected.-Fremont Tribune.

#### THE SENATE NAVY BILL.

The bill passed by the senate for strengthening the naval force of the United States is timely. The British House of Commons is considering, and is sure to approve, a budget in which the enormous sum of \$109,-110,000 is appropriated for the naval service. This is at an increase ot \$15,610,000 over last year's esti-

The air is full of rumors of wars, and the one way by which the United States can avoid enforced participation in some of the possible struggles is through readiness to participate in them with probability of success. The strong watchful man seldom is assailed; the thief and bully seek the weak, the timid or the unprepared; and as it is with men so it is with nations. The large armaments of Europe. are maintaining the peace of Europe If England were sure that Russia is unprepared; or if Russia were sure that England is unready, or were France certain that Germany is ill armed, war would break out instanter. The ability of each of the great powers to resist attack is the cause of freedom from attack.

The interests of the United States now are the world-wide; millions of United States capital are vested in Cuba. The Southern and Central American republics are full that passed by the senate. of citizens of the United States who are engaged in trade, agriculture or manufactures. United States trade with China, Japan and other nations of the Orient grows apace. Hawaii is a possession that we cannot afford to permit under any European protectorate. In every quarter of the world we have interests that will be imperilled by the event of war between any of the great powers and that will require

protection.

The Semi . Weekly Tribune. States is its chief and cheapdefense. The senate has done well in providing for its growth and maintenance. -- Inter Ocean.

CUBANS are not fighting specially oppression; it is the galling chains that hung about their fathers and grandfathers and were welded on to their own limbs by Spain that they desire to break and unloose. They The members of the republican have resolved to do it or die. Is i county central committee are re- any wonder that Americans, conspectfully called to meet at the versant with their history. deeply court house, in North Platte, on sympathize with Cuba? They Saturday, March 14th. 1896, at one would not be the sons and daugh- EVENTS OCCURRING IN ALL SECTIONS

The difference between the Roman Nero and Grover is that the aha on April 15th, 1896, and for former can fiddle; Grover can't. He the transaction of such other busi- has no music in his soul .- Witchita

If Spain gets too gay over those tion is desired, as important busi- resolutions, we may conclude to reness reaching through the cam- lieve her of those sugar plantations pended—Rev. William Grace has been Penn. Penn has escaped—The Royal spign of '96 is liable to come be- altogether —Kansas City Journal. appointed bishop of Sacramento—The Yacht squadron at a meeting upheld Lord paign of '96 is liable to come be- altogether. - Kansas City Journal.

RESOLUTION FOR COMPLETE RECOG-NITION IS PASSED.

had a field day in the house. Despite a buggy at Lexington, Mo., and seriously with suicidal intent and may not recover explained as one of protest against the the war talk from Spain, the struggling hurt-The United States Leather compatriots in Cuba were eulogized and pany's report shows a surplus after paying sympathized within a 2-hours' debate dividends of \$6,470,000—The 3-year-old tally shot by a friend while hunting and senate. The spirit of the crowd took on Monday, and the rules were then by the overturning of an oil stove at Fort can, was shot and killed by Evaristo Rod- States consulate. The leaders who had suspended and the resolutions by the Scott, Kan.—The first convention of riquez, superintendent of the Aurelia house foreign affairs committee were the Republican State league of South Da- mines at Jiminex Mex. -- Five prisonadopted as a substitute by those of the kota will be held at Huron. March 25senate by an overwhelming majority, General David Morrison, who went into tempted to break jail at Tepic, Mex. They might follow upon a demonstration that 236 to 17. An analysis of the vote the war at the head of a Scotch volunteer shows that 188 Republicans, 7 Democrats | regiment from New York, is dead at New and 5 Populists voted for the resolutions and 9 Republicans and 8 Democrats against them. The debate which pre- Knapp, a coal miner, has sued the com- at Sannicola's ranch. He had been murceded their adoption was animated and pany at Mowcaqua, Ills., for \$15,000 for in- dered and robbed of his ill-gotton gains-

The resolutions were as follows: United State: should observe a strict neu- gun in his hands three weeks ago -trality between the belligerents.

destruction of life and property caused by Hammond, Ind., has sue. I for \$10,000 the war now raging in the island, and be- damages-The centennial census regovernment of the United States should -The bank examiner of South Dakota

whelming vote of 64 to 6, the senate granted articles of incorporation for the Friday adopted a concurrent resolution favorable to Cuban belligerency and independence. The resolutions adopted

are as follows: Resolved, By the senate, the nouse of ritory of the United States.

voted in the negative were: Caffery, Chilton, George, Hale, Morrill and

Overrides the First.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 .- The senate amendments to the army appropriation bills were concurred in by the house today and the bill was sent to conference. Mr. Lacey, chairman of public lands, then called up the bill to lease certain companies operating lot ey schemeslands in Arizona for school purposes Billy Smith, the Boston welterweight wholesale grocery houses in Chicago have veto by a vote of 200 to 38. FOR AN INCREASE OF THE NAVY,

Senate Bill Passed Authorizing the Addition of 1,000 Enlisted Men.

reported it from the naval committee, made a full confession that she with M:s. said that while he did not believe the Mary A. Davidson plotted together to United States would be involved in wat | ruin the character of Rev. Dr. Brown by as a result of the present trouble, yet blackmail-John Mackin, who murhe considered it desirable to give the dered his wife and mother-in-law, tried to president authority in case of emergency commit suicide in his prison cell at Jersey to call out the naval militia and charter City, N. J. private ships for naval transports. The bill as passed authorizes the addition of 1,000 enlisted men to the navy, the enlisting for not more than two years of the naval militia forces in case of emergency and the chartering of transport Albuquerque, N. M., and e caped. Two at one time a society lady at Detroit, died ships in case of emergency. The bill of the gang were murderers - The cattle- in poverty at Kansas City, where she had passed under the 5-minute rule and by men of Arkan as are endeavoring to get been working as a cook - The election at

Pass the Agricultural Bill. Washington, March 4 .- The senate gave most of the day to the agricultural bill and passed that measure carrying Congressman Joe Cannon of Illinois, \$3,262,000, without material amendment. Another bill passed during the into a horse and carriage and was thown | St. Louis and instructed them for McKinday changes the limitations of fourth from his wheel-There were 16 cases of ley-Fifty out of 99 counties in Iowa class mail matter so as to free the postal smallpox and seven deaths at the have already held their conventions and service from bulky articles heretofore sent free by the government departments. Mr. Wolcott, in urging the bill, said roller top desks and electric motors were among the articles sent as mail by the departments. Late in the day word | ward Morris, who was assaulted by Ed- embezzlement of \$100 at Kalamazoo, came from the house that the error con- ward Pyle, the Manitou, Colo., saloon- Mich., has been arrested at Sedalia, Mo. cerning the Cuban resolutions had been corrected. In its corrected form the house resolution is an amendment to

Debating the Fee System. WASHINGTON, March 4.- The house spent the entire day Tuesday in debating the amendment to the legislative appropriation bill to abolish the fee system in the case of United States district attorneys and marshals. The salaries of trustees of Drake university, Des | -- Congressman Bankhead of Alabama fixed by the amendment range from Moines, passed a resolution condemning will be a candidate for United States sen-\$2,000 to \$5,000. The amendment was the desecration of graves and urged that ator on a silver platform to succeed Mr. indorsed by almost every member of the grave robbers be punished -- As a re- | Pugh -- James P. Edie, aged 78 years, the judiciary committee. It was argued sult of the fight of the Des Moines Com- died suddenly at Rockford, Ills. He was the amendment would reduce the ex- mercial exchange against the Rock Island | receiver of the United States land office penses of the United States courts railroad at Des Moines the road has agreed at Omaha under President Lincolnwhich have doubled since 1878 at least \$500,000 for the first year and result in H. Hadden was run over and killed by a ceiver for the Interstate Packing comstopping the pernicious padding of the Southern Pacific train at Houston, Tex. pany, a branch of which is located in

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TOLD INAFEW WORDS

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Friday, Feb. 23.

an apportionment bill -- The Daily News a Washington evening paper, has susduced in the Iowa legislature taxing foreign companies 10 per cent on gross receipts, other state companies 3 per cent, -The membership of the League of York, aged 73 years—An iron pump stack at Jeff-rsonville, Ind., fell upon Ernest Buckley, killing him-John Maeri Mattug, whose son lost a hand in Resolved, That congress deplores the the Illinois Steel company's plant at lieving that the only permanent solution turns give Dayton, O., a population of of the contest equally in the interest of \$5,000, not including the soldiers' home Spain, the people of Cuba and o her na 6,000 and outlaying suburb :- lowa tions would be in the establi-hment of a courts have decided that the insurance government by the choice of the people of policies of Richard Combs of Des Moines Cuba, it is the sense of congress that the must be paid to his legitimate children use its good offices and friendly influence has announced that the First National bank of Mitchell is solvent and will re-WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.-By the over- open March 1-Chicago men have been Elk Creek Mining company at Deadwood,

S. D., with a capital of \$5,000,000. Saturday, Feb. 29. Susan B. Anthony has gone to California to help in the woman suffrage camrepresentatives concurring, that in the paign-The Iowa senate by a vote of 49 war exists between the government of resolution to give women the right to vote | Stationery company of Kansas City as-Sprin and the government proclaimed at all elections - The United States signed. Liabilities, \$30,000; assets, \$50,and for sometime maintained by force of senate pas ed the resolution giving bellig- 000-The Rosehill tannery in Bolton, arms by the people of Cuba; and that the erent rights to Cuban insurgen's by a county of Lancaster, England, was de-United States of America should main. vote of 64 to 6-A child named Edna stroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at tain a strict neutrality between the con- Kausman was run over and killed by a £150,000 - Four masked men entered the tending powers, according to each all the street car at Cincinna i-Bernard Kruse- house of John P. Jones, a farmer living Ferdinand Bergmeyer at Santa Barbara, just as he was about to retire-Saloon-Resolved, That the friendly offices of the Cal. - The 5-year-old son of Charles keeper Bledsoe, converted at a revival at United States shall be offered by the pres- Frazier fell into a post hole at Wa hing- | Cen erville, Ind., emptied all his liquors ident to the Spanish government for the ton, D. C., and died from suffocation by into the street and burned his licenserecognition of the independence of Cuba. | mud -- Frank Owens, postmaster at | The Providence ho iery mill at Bristol. The vote on the resolutions resulted: Liberty, Ills., accidentally shot himself Pa., was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$125,000; Yeas, 64; nays, 6. The senators who through the head in climbing over a fence covered by insurance - Ex-President while out hunting -- The di-covery of | Harrison has announced that his marriage gold on the farms of Dr. Gates and A. P. with Mrs. Dimmick will take place Ap il Cooper, near Guthrie, O. T., has caused a 6in St. Thomas church - During a bull large number of people to flock there - | fight at the El Rosario hacienda, Mexico, The postal law forbidding the specimen one of the enraged animals jumped over germs of cholera and disease. I tissues to the board wall and gored four victims to be sent by mail has been mollided to as to death-Henry Lund, con-ul of Norway allow specimen germs to be sent to the and Sweden, has received official com-United States and municipal laboratories | munication from Washington announce -Postmaster General Wilson is pushing | ing that Professor Andree will start next which was vetced yesterday. The bill pugilist, is lying dangerously ill in Lon- been notified of a 3-cent per pound cut in was then passed over the president's don, England-Pre ident Cleveland will one of the brands of plug tobacco, which pre-ide at a mass meeting of the home is a blow aimed at the tobacco trutmission board of the Presbyterian church at Carnegie hall, New York-W. W. Hamilton will endeavor to break all world's paced and unpaced bieyele records | Baltime:e for printing his name among a | to make amends to the United States Washington, March 3. - The bill for short distances at Coronade, Cal., passed by the senate Monday for the in- next month - A petition has been sent crease of the navy attracted consider. to the Prince of Wales by prominent Caable attention in view of the tension | nadian; asking that the Royal Canadian | Italian force, in Abyssinia routed and regiment now in England be sent back to 3,000 killed. over Spanish-Cuba affairs. In explain- Canada, where it was organized—Miss ing the measure Mr. Hale (Me.), who Mary Overman of San Franci co has by a train at Hutchinson, Kan .- Miss

Monday, March 2.

while riding a bicycle to the Capitol ran Missouri. Kansas and Texas railread stato receive and transfer stock to the side B D. Meyer, of the First National bank tracks connected with the yards-W. of Dubuque, Iz., has been appointed re--The Bank of Belle Plaine, Kan., a Prairie de Chien, Wis.

private institution, with a capital of \$20,-000, is closed—Two young children of windows. Police dispersed the rioters. Tuesday, March 2.

Many farmers around Graf.on. Neb. sowed oats last week-The veterans who fought at Shilon will hold their annual reunion at Milford, Neb., April 6 and 7-The general executive offices of the Van-The Wisconsin legi lature has passed Terre Haute to St. Louis-Robert Purdon was fatally shot and killed in the postoffice at Rollings, Ky., by M. W. Massachusetts Republican convention has | Dunraven on the position he took regardbeen called for March 27-The Duke ing his trouble with the New York Yacht and Duchess of Marlborough have arrived | club-Irene Raymond, member of the CONGRESS' DUTY DONE and Duchess of Mariborough have arrived club—frene Raymond, member of the and Iowa companies 1 per cent on profits wife through Mexico-The Transmissouri Freight association is in session in American Wheelmen now exceeds 40,500 Kansas City-Miss Couy Elliott, resid-WASHINGTON, March 3.-Cuba libre -Ex-Sheriff Mitchell was thrown from ing near Salisbury, Mo., took morphine son of Maggie Scott was burned to death | died-Thomas B. Rickford, an Ameri- fire and they set out for the United ers, among them two Americans, atpress company at Allende, Mex , who ab and the crowd set off for the United sconded with about \$3,000, was found dead | States consulate. juries - Burglars blew open the safe of David Petty, who killed James Chandthe McFarlane Grain company at Luther, ler in Muskogee, I. T., last summer, has police was sent to the consulate. The Resolved, By the house of representa Ia., and stole \$300-Ice is going out of been arrested in Montague county, Texas. the present time. This showing tives, the senate concurring, that in the the Missouri river at Omaha, the earliest Petry also killed Deputy Marshal Thur- this show of force from gathering at exi-ts in Cuba the parties to which are Hostetter, aged 19, of Carlyle, Ills., died | can, I. T., for the crime-Suits against | Spain," and "Down with the Yankees." entitled to belligerent rights and the of lockjaw, caused by the explosion of a the Burlington road under the uncarned These verbal missiles did not long satis land grant law will be filed at Omaha.

Wednesday, March 4. George Dixon and Jerry Mi chell have

agreed to box 15 rounds in Boston March 17. They will weigh in at 122 pounds at the ringside-The city council of Macon, Ga., has reduced the insurance rate of that city just 15 cents per \$100 by doing orders of their officers and roughly dismaking it only \$50-Mr. Gladstone had as learned there were no fatal results. an interview at Cannes, France, with President Faure, who was accompanied by Premier Bourgeois-John V. Crum. Iowa's famous sprinter, has been elected city attorney of Bedford, Ia .- The number of deaths in London last year was 85,138, equal to an annual rate of 19.4 per 1,000 -- Constable George Miller died of a broken heart at Reading, Pa, because he failed of re-election-Attacked with -Tobacco jobbers in the country and Ex-Congressman John M. Glover has secured a verdict of \$150,000 against the American Casualty Insurance company of list of alleged embezzlers and defaulters | for the outburst of mob violence at Bar--Salaries of all Fremont, Neb., school teachers have been reduced 5 per cent. -

Thursday, March 5. John Veneman was run over and killed

Nina Medill of Leavenworth, Kan., is endeavoring to break her father's will-It is reported in New York that Maher will become Fitz-immons' sparring partner -Governor Morrill of Kansas has refused to subscribe to the temperance fund of his state-The congregation of Ox-Admiral Albrecht von Stosch died at ford university refused to confer the de-Oestrich, Wiesbaden -- While in a des- gree of bachelor of arts upon womenpondent mood John Zidensky attempted St. Paul, Minn., ice dealers have conto take his life at St. Louis-Eleven tracted to supply St. Louis and St. Joseph prisoners dug their way out of jail at | with 500 cars of ice-Mrs. A. Gaffinette, Secretary Morton to change the cattle Seattle resulted in the election of the Requarantine in that state - Governor publican ticket-Colonel Otis of the Los Greenhalge of Massachusetts, who has Angeles, Cat., Times denies he is a candibeen ill of nervousness at Lowell for some date for vice president-The official dock time, is reported to be beyond recovery --- trial of the torpedo boat Ericsson was commenced at New London -The four Arkansas districts have elected delegates to hospital at Cairo, llis. There are declared for Allison-Mrs. Rebecca Henalso 15 cases at Duquion and the dry, widow of a former judge at Lawrence, citizens are very much alarmed - Kan., is dead at Lawrence - Kansas City Thomas Armstrong, a farmer, residing in railroad line: have voted down a propo-Adair county, Iowa, was knocked down sition to establish a union ticket office in by his team and trampled to death-Ed- that city-Fred Keyes, charged with the keeper, has died of his injuries-The -Fifty-four doctors were graduated at the College of Physicians and Surgeons at tion at Walker, Mo., was robbed of an ex- Keokuk. The address was delivered by press package containing \$77.70 - Con- Judge John Gibbons of Chicagogressman Maguire of California has in- Milwaukee and St. Paul earnings for troduced a bill for establishing postal sav- the fourth week in February were \$717,ings banks -- Hon. W. W. Rice, ex-con- 415, an increase of \$120,039 as compared gressman and brother-in-law of Senator | with the corresponding period last year Hoar, died at Worcester, Mass-The |-Populists in the Second Kansas district farmers around No th Bend, Neb., will have decided to tender the nomination for raise 200 acres of chicory this summer- congress to ex-Governor John P. Si John. The executive committee of the board Prohibition candidate for president in 1884

folk, Neb.

#### ANGRY SPANISH MOB.

ATTACKS THE UNITED STATES CON-SULATE AT BARCELONA.

Spaniards Aroused by the Action of the United States Senate In Determining to Recognize the Cubans as Belligerents. Squadron to Be Prepared to Sail.

BARCELONA, March 2 .- The fever of Indignation and hate against the United States which seems to take possession of the heart of all Spain over the action of the United States senate in recognizing the provisional government of Cuba as Howard Allen were burned to death at belligerents and in calling upon Presitheir home in Shanghai, Ind .- An an- dent Cleveland to use his good offices gry Spanish mob attacked the United | with Spain to secure the independence States consulate at Barcelona, breaking of Cuba, culminated in violent scenes here Sunday and an attack upon the United States consulate. The trouble did not arise out of the spontaneous formation of the mob which did the violence, but was the outcome of a public meeting which had been influenced dalla railroad are to be removed from | by fervid speeches. The public demonstration to protest against the United States senate's action was organized by the political leaders, including Republicans and men of all shades of political

Broke Away From the Leaders. It was 3 o'clock in the afternoon when the meeting had assembled and there committed suicide at Guth-ie, O. T., by fully 15,000 people present, all in a state taking morphine - Lord Sholto Douglas of high patriotic enthusiasm and ripe is mapping out a tour for himself and for any manifestation of the emotions which possessed them. There were addresses by the orators provided for the occasion and the purpose of the meeting -Miss Belcher, a prominent young bus- recognition of the Cuban government as iness woman of Taylor Tex., was acciden- a belligerent power by the United States originated the meeting seemed to have realized the serious consequences that were captured and two Mexicans and one | took this direction, and they made every American were ordered shot-J. H. effort to dissuade the mob from its pur-Goodwin, agent of the Wells-Fargo Ex- pose. But their efforts were of no avail

The authorities of this city had, by this time, taken alarm, and a force of excited crowd was not intimidated by fy the aroused passions of the mob and in a short time stones began flying from the crowd, which broke a number of windows in the consulate. The force of police waited for no further manifestation, but charged the crowd under the away with the license tax of \$100, and | persed them, wounding several. So far

SPANISH AROUSED AT MADRID.

Seem Determined to Go to War With the United States Forthwith.

(Copyrighted by Associated Press.) MADRID, March 2 .- If one may judge by things that have been said and some of the things that were done Sunday, the Spanish people are enthusiastically neauralgia of the heart, ex Governor Ire- determined to go to war forthwith with land is dying at San Antonio, Tex., where | the United States and to speedily avenge opinion of congress a condition of public nays to 44 years defeated Senator Funk's he was visiting-The Brown Book and the insult which, it is fancied, has been offered to the haughty pride of Spain the United States senate in determiningto recognize the Cuban provisional government as a belligerent power and to ask the president to use his good offices with Spain to obtain recognition of rights of belligerents in the ports and ter- meyer shot and killed Father Superior near Perry. O. T., and robbed him of \$500 Cuban independence. Some of the organs of public opinion declares that the bankruptcy of the Spanish government would not prevent the Spanish people from taking up the quarrel on their own account and fitting out expeditions and maintaining themselves at their own expense while combatting the insolence of the assertions of the United States. The day was characterized by many manifestations of public wrath and excitement and in Barcelona the Spaniards have gone to the extreme of using violence upon the consulate of the United States and storing it, breaking several windows in the building. No the fight against the bonl investment July on his balloon trip to the north pole | bodily harm was done to anybody, except to certain members of the crowd, which was charged by the police when the stones were thrown at the United States consulate.

Spain Takes Prompt Action. WASHINGTON, March 3.-The Spanish government took steps very promptly celona. This action, and especially the fact that it was taken immediately upon the news of the fact reaching the government, and without waiting for any suggestion from the United States, doubtless will tend greatly to relieve the situation and prevent a serious outcome of the mob's attack on our consulate. The intelligence of the disavowal by Spain reached the state department early this morning in a caplegram from Hannis Taylor, United States minister at Madrid. The cablegram was dated yesterday, and says the Spanish minister of state has expressed deep regret at the Barcelona affair and has offered emplete reparation. The dispatch adds that measures have been taken to accord the United States legation protection.

Bombarded Mon Managua, Nicaragua, Feb. 29.-A government gunboat today threw 10 shells into the town of Momotombo, on Lake Managua, which had declared for the insurgents. The inhabitants fled. No landing party has as yet been sent ashore from the gunboat. The town of Nagarote has been taken by a government force, which is now advancing on

Three Children Cremated. MONROE, Mich., March 3 .- News was received here of the cremation of a boy aged 4 and two girls aged 2 years and 10 months respectively, in Bedford township. They were the children of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Rose, whose home containing the little ones was burned while the parents had gone away, leavng the doors locked.

Conference on Cuban Resolutions. WASHINGTON, March 5 .- The senate Wednesday began the consideration of the Dupont election case from Delaware. Mr. Mitchell spoke in favor of seating Mr. Dupont, but no action was taken. The Cuban resolutions went to conference as a result' of a report from the committee on foreign relations and Messrs. Sherman, Morgan and Lodge were named as senate conferees. Bills were passed for the purchase of sites for public buildings at Hastings and Nor-