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BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

W. J. Bryan delivered two addresses at Albuquerque, N. M.

The queen has decided to prolong her stay in Ireland until April 27.

Ohio legislature is in deadlock over the \$1,000,000 Toledo exposition bill.

In consequence of the poor crops wheat prices are advancing in Chile.

A fire in the business section of Burlington, Vt., caused a loss of \$60,-

Admiral Deweys' candidacy is re-

garded rather humorously in dreat Britain. South Omaha avoided a lynchng by

taking a prisoner to the penitentiary temporarirly.

A law has passed the Ohio legislature that adds 29 vilages to the city of Cincinnati.

The Chinese government has sent 7,000 troops to Shang Tung to suppress the "Boxers."

Secretary Long informs his friends that he would not refuse vice presilential nomination.

Murat Halstead has accepted the presidency of the new college of journalism at Cincinnati.

The Citizens' State Bank of Yates Center, Kan., was closed by Deputy Bank Commissioner Waterman.

Dr. Alice H. Luce of Wellesley college, has been elected dean of the woman's department of Oberlin college.

It is officialy announced that 111 cases and 38 deaths from bubonic plague have occurred at Sidney, N. S.

The home of Peyton Ruble, postmaster at Daisy, W. Va., burned and Mrs. Ruble and 6-year-old nephew were cremated.

"The "hello girls" are being displaced by men in Paris. During the fair crush the work is said to be too heavy for girls.

Rudyard Kipling and Sir John Henry De Villiers, chief justice of Cape Coloney, have sailed from Capetown for England.

John J. Owsley, Sr., one of the fore-most pioneers of Western Wisconsin and South Dakota, died at Mendota, Wis., aged 81 years.

Eight men are on trial simultaneously in the circuit court at Belleville, Ill., for the murder of Sheriff Hermann Barnickol.

The contest for a senate seat in Texas between Senator Chilton and Congressman Bailey has apparently been won by Bailey.

Judge Steele in the county court at Denver, Col., declared the will of the late George Tritch void and refused to admit it to probate.

Mrs. J. S. Sinington, colored, an'l twin babies, were burned to death at Denver, Colo. The fire was caused by the explosion of a lamp.

Richard Croker was presented in



in Seven Days.

BANDS OF INSURGENTS ARE ACTIVE

Loss on American Side is Only Slight-Pilar Engages Garrison at San Miguel-Thirty-Fifth Infantry Gets Three Hours of Night Fighting.

MANILA, April 23.-Last week has been one of the bloodiest of the war since the first day's fighting around Manila. Authentic reports, mostly official, show a total of 378 Filipinos killed, twelve officers and 244 men captured and many more wounded. The number wounded is hardly guessable, as a great majority of the wounded will die. Probably the week's work finished 1,444 insurgents. The Americans' loss was nine killed and sixteen wounded. Two sergeants and one private were killed in ambush and while escorting provision trains.

The insurgents have been aggressive in almost every province of Luzon. Geenral Pio del Pilar's band, numbering 300, which was out of sight for three months, the leader being reported killed, has reappeared in its old field about San Miguel.

Pilar is supposed to be again in command. He gave the American garrison at San Miguel, consisting of three companies of the Thirty-fifth infantry, with a gatling, a three hours' fight, during a night attack. The loss of the insurgents in this engagement is not included in the foregoing total, as they removed their dead and wounded, but presumably considerable. Twenty Filipinos in the province of

Satanges attacked Lieutenant Wende, who, with eight men, were scouting near San Jose. The lieutenant and five men were wounded and one private was killed.

Sergeant Ledous of the Thirty-fifth infantry, with seventy men, had a five hours' fight with 400 insurgents in the Neuva Caceras district. Twenty of the insurgents were killed. Colonel Smith of the Seventeenth in-

fantry, who captured General Montenegro, and brought him to Manila, is in the isolation hospital, suffering from smallpox, presumably caught from the Filipinos.

Colonel Smith's command captured 180 officers and men with Montenegro. The officers were brought to Manila. Montenegro, one of the dapper officers in the Filipino army, looks worn and haggard. He says he led a terrible life for months, and he has offered to return to the north with Colonel Smith, to endeavor to persuade his former comrades of the usclessness of opposing the Americans.

One hundred escaped Spanish prisoners from the province of Tayabas, South Luzon, have arrived at Manila. The insurgents have 400 more Spaniards in that district. Recently the Filipinos destroyed several rods of the

ratiroad line near Paniquo, in an unsuccessful attempt to wreck a train.

Big Money in Electricity.

TURKEY REPLIES

Americans to Be Compensated Same as Other Foreign Subjects.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 23.-The porte has replied to the American demands, stating that Turkey will compensate American missionaries under the same conditions as in the case of other foreign subjects.

The United States legation has joined the other embassies in protesting against the increase of import duties.

The porte has not yet replied to the last colective note, but the changed tone of the Ottoman officials leads to a belief that a settlement has been reached in conformity with the demands of the foreign republics. It is now fully expected that the porte will invite the embassies to discuss the proposed changes.

There is general interest in political circles regarding the attitude of the United States in the indemnity claim and it is believed that the powers having similar claims will support

American action. WASHINGTON, April 23.—Neither Secretary Hay nor the Turkish minister has been advised of the reported action of the porte in replying to the American demands. In the absence of official information and of the specific conditions of the reply, officials here prefer not to discuss the matter, but express the hope that a satisfactory and amicable settlement of the differences between the two countries may be reached.

BATTLE IS RAGING

Boers Fiercely Attacked Dalgetty's Po

sition to Anticipate Relief.

MASERU, Basutoland, April 23.-Evening-Four Boer guns have been hard at work all day on Colonel Dalgety's position. Ine British guns have replied at intervals.

The Boers are divided into three divisions, two being in positions to repel the relief columns, the distant roar of whose artillery is audible.

General Brabant's relief force is reported to be today in the neighborhood of Bushman's Kop, twenty miles from Wepener.

The Basutos are posted on the border for defensive purposes. They are behaving in orderly fashion, but are showing the most intense interest in the outcome of the developments of the next twenty-four hours.

MASERU, Basutoland, April 23.-General Brabat's guard reached Bushma's Kop last evening. The Boers held a strong position there, with two guns. The engagement opened at sunrise

with heavy rifle fire. At 6:30 a.m. cannonading began and continued for several hours.

General Brabant's forces are on the plain and have fairly open country all the way to Wepener.

Evidently the Boers reattacked Dalgety today.

Colonel Dalgety heliographs: "All well. Boers fired 300 shells yesterday with doing much damage."

BRYAN'S AID WILL BE ASKED

NEW YORK, April 23.--The annual Good Offices of Silver Leader Sought to



State Department Proceeding With Can tion in Its Work-There are Others Having Claims Which the Turkish Government llas Thus Far Ignored-Uncle Sam to Take the Initiatory Toward Collection.

WASHINGTON, April 21.-Secretary Hay returned to Washington today from New York. An accumulation of departmental business awaited him, but nothing in the nature of an ultimatum directed to the Turkish government was included in the mass of correspondence.

It is apparent that, though determined upon positive action, the State department is proceeding decorously and with due precautions against being led into any position which it cannot maintain. It may be stated by authority that the State department is entirely satisfied of the accuracy of Minister Starus' statement relative to the promises made to him by the porte, notwithstanding the attempted explanations and efforts to becloud the issue by declarations that the sultan's promises were conditional.

The minister's dispatches, sent while he was in Constantinople, are couched in exact terms; his written statements were fully confirmed by his oral explanations to the department upon his return to the United States, and, moreover, the pledges he secured were similar to those made to the two preceeding United States ministers to Turkey. In the opinion of the State department officials it is inconceivab.e that three United States ministers should be consecutively deceived in the terms of a promise or should have reached similar misunder-

standings. The approval which the State department's latest action seems to have received in Europe was anticipated, it being realized here that several of the continental powers having claims similar to our own against Turkey, being themselves prevented from imitating any forcible demand upon the Turkish government by reason of the jealousy of their neighbors, are entirely willing that the United States government shall act as a pioneer in this matter and clear the way for a

prosecution of their own claims.

sioner Herman of the general land office, reporting upon the bill "for the relief of homestead settlers on that portion of the great Sioux reservation lying and being in the state of Nebraska, formerly in the territory of Dakota, now South Dakota," says that the design of the bill is to amend all laws in force respecting that portion of the great Sioux reservation in Nebraska, so as to relieve the homestead settlers thereon from the payment of \$1.25 per acre. That the settlers shall receive patents for their homestead entries on the payment of the usual land fees, without being required to pay any other or additional sum. This, Mr. Herman says, would be a discrimination in favor of these settlers and against those in South Dakota upon

TURKEY MUST PAY UP Prosecution of Claims for Damages to

American Missionaries.

WASHINGTON, April 19.-The news of the firm attitude assumed by the state department toward the Turkish government in the prosecution of its claim for damages to American missionary property caused something of a sensation in diplomatic circles today.

Three successive American ministers have prosecuted these claims; each has received a promise of prompt settlement, and yet not a dollar has been paid. With European diplomats that is an old experience and they have consequently been somewhat surprised at the announcement that the United States government is actually going to insist upon performance instead of promise. Minister Angell, after trying

his hand at collecting for two years, recommended that a united States war ship be sent to seize Smyrna and collect revenues at the custom house there sufficient to meet our claims. This suggestion was not seriously

entertained, nor is it now. In the first place, according to the state department officials, most of the important down his business interests in Smyrna are in the hands of foreigners, not Turks, and a bombardment by a United States fleet might result in a pretty bull for damages against us.

Then, as there is still a remnant of a Turkish navy, the United States would have to send a squadron instead of a single war ship. Such a movement would, without doubt, be resenter by the remainder of Europe, wuich could not contemplate with equanimity an action by the United States unat would perhaps destroy the truits of many years' work of the greatest European statesmen by precipitating a final crisis in Turkey.

Therefore the next step to be taken by our government will not be warlike, but will suggest in a most dignified manner the indignation felt by the United States at the betrayal of Turkish promises. How this attude will bear upon the Turkish minister in Washington cannot be forecom at this moment. He is so far absolutely unentangled in the negotiations of these American claims, but that fact might not save him from being made the immediate victim of his country's lacues. The minister, ...owever, is very popular in Washington.

BLUNDERS ARE TO BE PAID FOR

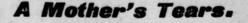
Generals Buller and Warren to Be Re-

called From Battlefield. BLOEMFONTEIN, April 19 .-- (New York World Cablegram.)-Observation might profitably be kept on the intentions of the Boers respecting Swaziland. Their alternative plan of operations, following on defeat at Pretoria, iscludes the employment of Swaziland for the retirement of half the Boer forces, while the other half falls

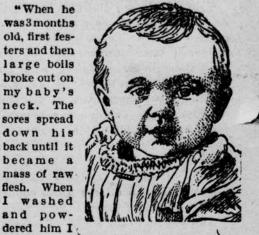
back to Zoutpansberg. Boer emissaries are already in the country endeavoring to purchase secret information concerning the cavrns in the Greystone country, which is known only to the natives, with the object to accumulate provisions and ammunition.

Every old maid is a living monument to some woman who didn't make a good man miserable.

"Uncle Dan" Whipple of Traverse City, Mich., recently celebrated his 100th birthday there and has just been initiated a member of McPherson post, No. 13, G. A. R. He is believed to be the oldest Grand Army man in the country. In the same past is John I. Cummings, who is perhaps the youngest, having joined the army at the age of 11. He served about officers' headquarters three years and was mustered out at the close of the war.



"I Would Cry Every Time I Washed My Baby."



would cry, realizing what pain he was in. His pitiful wailing was heart-rending. had about given up hope of saving him when I was urged to give him Hood's Sarsaparilla, all other treatment having failed. I washed the sores with Hood's Medicated Soap, applied Hood's Olive Ointment and gave him Hood's Sarsaparilla. The child seemed to get better every day, and very soon the change was quite noticeable. The discharge grew less, inflammation went down, the skin took on a healthy color, and the raw flesh began to scale over and a thin skin formed as the scales dropped off. Less than two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, aided by Hood's Medicated Soap and Hood's Olive Ointment, accomplished this wonderful cure. I cannot praise these medicines half enough." MRS. GUERINOT, 37 Myrtle St., Rochester, N. Y.

The above testimonial is very much condensed from Mrs. Guerinot's letter. As many mothers will be interested in reading the full letter, we will send it to anyone who sends request of us on a postal card. Mention this paper.

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WASHINGTON, April 20.-Commis-

MUST PAY FOR THEIR LANDS Binger Herman Rules on the Bill to Give Nebruska Settlers a Lift.

London with a proposition to support. Dewey for president. Being practical he has the matter under consideration. The 180 employes of the Acme Machinery company at Cleveland, O., who have been on a strike, have returned to work on a compromise agreement.

Silas B. Cobb, by his will, which was filed for probate at Chicago, left \$87,500 for charitable purposes. The will disposes of an estate valued at approximately \$2,500,000.

Secretary of agriculture directs that advantage be taken of the rural free delivery by having carriers on such routes distribute to the farmers cards containing the latest weather forecasts and warnings.

Clad in silks of gorgeous hue and brilliant with gold trimmings, Phya Prasiddhi, envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of Siam, laid his credentials before President Mc-Kinley at the White house on the 17th.

The official correspondence which has reached Ottawa, Canada, from Trinidad shows that the legislature there has rejected the offer of Canada for reciprocal trade and adopted the convention with the United States by a vote of 13 to 5 in favor the United States. The reason for this is largely due to the nearness and unlimited market of the United States compared with the small business done with Canada.

The fact that St. Louis devoured 14,000,000 cabages last year, after their being churned up into sour kraut, is to be used by Chicago to show that the people of St. Louis would be purified rather than injured by the Chicago drainage canal.

Mary Henry, faithful nurse of Mrs. Nellie Dent Grant, is slowly dying at her home in St. Louis.

President Kruger never goes out of his house without wearing a big major general's scarf over his coat, on which he wears the Prussian order of the Red Eagle of the fourth class and a Portuguese medal.

Wiliamsburg, Brooklyn, was visited a \$400,000 fire. One man was killed and a boy fatally injured.

Ohio woman suffragists, backed by the national association, have begun a campaign for equal suffrage in Ohio that is to be carried on in many counties.

Jacobus Hope, of Philadelphia, having perfected the organization of the snake trust, is made president of that combination.

James W. Phillips, Sr., of Middletown, N. Y., one of the original gold miners, and a graduate of West Point military academy, has died, aged 68 years.

The president has sent a message to the senate, asking that \$25,000 be placed at the disposal of the secretary of state for the payment of the expenses of a conference of the republics constitutiong the union of American republics, which he recommended in his last annual mesage.

A billboard war is on in Chicago. It is proposed to take something to clear away the billboard irruptions on the face of the town.

Hugh Jennings, who has been with the Cornell team as coach since Jannary, has finished his engagement, and gone to New York to join the Brocklyn term for the season.

report of the General Electric company issued today shows gross receipts for the year ending January 31, 1900, of \$23.248.170. Of this amount there was a total profit for the year of \$5,479,130. The sum of \$1.282670 was absorbed in paying dividends on preferred and common stock and interest on outstanding debentures, the patent account was reduced by \$2,000,000 and an addition to the surplus account was made of \$2,196,459. This leaves a pres-

ent surplus with a balance of \$156,570 carried forward from last year of \$2,-353,030.

Jumped From the Brooklyn Bridge.

NEW YORK, April 23 .- Miss Marie Dinse of this city jumped from the Brooklyn bridge without serious injuries. Many men have made this leap into the waters of the East river since the bridge has been completed. Most of them have perished, but Miss Dinse is the second woman who has ever attempted to end her life in this way. On September 6, 1895, a Mrs. McArthur jumpod from the bridge and was but slightly injured. She was discharged when arraigned in a police court. On August 30 of the same year Mrs. Mc-Arthur made a second attempt to jump but was stopped by the bridge police.

General Rivera to Resign.

HAVANA, April 23.-General Rius Rivera, secretary of agriculture, has had a long interview with Governor General Wood regarding the letter which he wrote urging a union of political parties and unanimous demand of independence by the end of 1901. General Rivera will probably resign early this week from his official position. The Cubano predicts that the remaining secretaries will do likewise, as it is recognized that General Rivera holds a powerful influence. Other secetaries of agriculture will not affect them. They give it as their belief that the party will be benefited by rivera's resignation.

He Has One Wife Too Many.

TACOMA, April 23 .- howland P. Hill, professor of mathematics at the Puget Sound university, and formerly mining speculator and business man of Blaine, Neb., was arrested here on a charge of bigamy. He is accused of marrying a mebraska girl five years after he deserted a wife in England. Hill does not deny he has another wife living, but he claims he read a statement in a Nebraska paper to the effect that desertion of a wife in a foreign country for five years bad been construed by the Nebraska courts as a divorce. His English wife is an actress and Hill says that they never lived tozether.

End of Goebel Investigation.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 23.-While the Franklin county grand jury has not adjourned it is understood that the investigation of the Goebel asassination has been completed. The indictment against republican Governor Taylor, charging him with being an accessory to the murder, will be held up till after the argument of the governorship contest case, which is docketed for bearing before the supreme court at Washington, April 30, and it is said by persons in the councils of the prosecution that no such warrant will be issued or other steps taken in the case till after that time.

Settle the Differences.

TOPEKA, Kan., April 23.-While W. J. Bryan is in Wichita this week his good offices, will it is said, be sought to settle differences existing between the populists and democrats in the Sixth and Seventh districts, where fusion is split wide open on account of the attitude of rival nominees for congress

The fusion politicians are very much concerned by the situation in these districts and they also look forward to the Third district democratic and populist conventions, set for May 21, with much alarm, for if a democrat be not given the united nomination in that district a split will, it is predicted, be inevitable between the two state conventions to be held later at Fort Sscott. The district is now represented in congress by Hon. E. R. Ridgely, populist. Mr. Bryan is booked to speak at Wichita on Tuesday.

GERMANY UNABLE TO HELP

See No Reason Why Boer Delegation Should Visit That Country.

BERLIN, April 25 .- The semi-official Berkiner Post publishes an inspired article in which it is stated that the sentiment regarding the Boers still remains friendly throughout Germany, but that the government sees no reason why the Boer peace delegation should come to Berlin, since no good could be gained from such a visit. Germany being unable to render the slightest service, either in friendly offices to both sides or in intermediation so long as Great Britain remains determined to reject both.

Brosts Up the Generals.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23.-The senate committee on military affairs reached an agreement to report the bill for the reorganization of the army with a number of amendments. The bill confers the rank of lieutenant general upon the senior major general and that of major general upon the adjutant general of the army.

Said to Be a Nebraskan.

CHICAGO, April 23 .- The Chicago police say they have eighteen cases against C. O. Charleston, under arrest on the charge of getting small sums of money from various persons on worthless checks. Charleston is said to be a former justice of the peace and a former member of the Nebraska legislature.

Last year the American people consumed 2,000,000 tons of sugar, of which 1,385,000 tons were made by the sugar trust.

DEWEY SCHEDULE ARRANGED

Dates for Admiral and Party on Their Trip Through the West.

WASHINGTON, April 23.-Admiral and Mrs. Dewey will leave here in a special train over the Baltimore & Ohio railroad Sunday, April 29, on their trip to Chicago, St. Louis, Memphis, Nashville and Knoxville. They will arrive in Chicago at noon Monday, April 30. Wednesday morning, May 3, the Chicago & Alton railroad will take the special to Jacksonville, Ill., where a three-hours' stop will be made. St. Louis will be reached in the evening.

HAVOC IS WROUGHT BY FLOOD

the former Sioux reservation.

Millions of Dollars Worth of Property Destroyed in the South.

NEW ORLEANS, April 22.-The flood which commenced the early part of the week has alread caused, at a conservative estimate, fully \$3,000,000 loss in central and southern Mississippi, to say nothing of the damage sustained by the railroads. The extent of the losses have not yet been fully realized, and it may be some days yet before an accurate total canbe reacehd, for mail communication has been totally cut off between those localities which have suffered most and the outside world.

Will Support Mr. Bryan.

NEW YORK, April 21 .- The democratic state committee met at the Hoffman house today for the purpose of naming a time and place for holding the state convention to elect four delegates-at-large to the national convention at Kansas City. It is said that Mr. Croker will join hands with ex-Senator Hill to send an uninstructed delegation to Kansas City. The leaders disclaim, however, any hostility to Mr. Bryan. Ex-Senator Hill is now, so it is declared, ready to suppert Bryan and will be with Bryan this fall, the politicians say.

To Report Grand Army Bill.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21 .--After extended conferences the house committee on invalid pensions, of which Representative Sulloway of New Hampshire is chairman, finally determined today to report to the house senate bill 1477, which is known as the "Grand Army bill." The final draft of the bill aggregates the disabilities under which applications may be made for pension under the act of June 27, 1809. The other radical change in existing law is the changing of the rate of income of a soldier's widow from the present rate of \$96 per year to an "actual net income of \$250 per year."

Rules as to Branding Cattle.

WASHINGTON, April 21.-Congressman Burke of South Dakota, in behalf of the stockmen of th estate, has requested the Indian officials to frame rules and regulations requiring stockmen and Indians on reservations to comply with the state law with reference to the branding of catttle. It is asserted that many brands used on reservations are similar to those registered under the law, and that this condition of affairs has created considerable confusion. It is probable that such a regulation will be adopted. | be secured.

ANDREWS WILL ACCEPT POSITION Favorable to Assuming Chancellorship of

the Nebraska University.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 19 .- Dr. E. Benjamin Andrews will accept the proffered chancellorship of the University of Nebraska, unless conditions which have not entered into his consideration present themselves. He stated tonight that he was favorable to acceptance of the position, but had not notified the regents of the university of his decision, preferring not to consider it final yet. Aside from questions of taste Dr. Andrews said his attitude was forced by the state of his health.

REBEL GENERAL GIVES UP

Despair of Making the Filipinos Fight and Surrenders.

MANILA, ...pril 19.-General Montenegro, one of the insurgents' best fighters, has surrendered to Colonel Smith in the mountains near Camaling, in the province of Pangasinan, where, with General Macabulos, he had been trying to reorganize the Philippine army. Colonel Smith, with nve companies of the Seventeenth regiment, surrounded the free of Montenegro, who, discour-

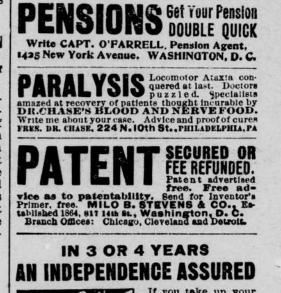
aged by the impossibility of making his men stand against use Americans, surrendered. Macabulos escaped.

Manilia Customs Receipts.

WASHINGTON, April 19.-According to a statement made today by the division of customs and insular affairs of the war department the receipts in the Philippine islands for the months of January, February and March, 1900, were: January, \$563,509; February (cable), \$426,423; March (cable), \$679,446.

Ex-Soldier Becomes Murderer. PHILLIPSBURG, Kan., April 19 .-John Trimble, a young man about 20 years of age, shot and killed his brother, James, a married man about 25 years of age. The shooting took place about ten miles south of this city on a piece of land the right to the use of which was in dispute. This dispute was the cause of the tragedy. John Trimble, who did the shooting, was a member of the First Nebraska regiment and served with that gallant body all through the Philippine campaign. He returned with his regiment last August and has made his home with his parents here since.

Moves of the G. A. R. Veterans. CHICAGO, April 19.-The Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic held a meeting at ...e Sherman house today to arrange for the entertainment of the wives of the veterans who will attend the national Grand Army of the Republic encampment to be held in this city in August. . ne plan adopted is to house the visiting ladies in the homes of veterans throughout the city, but until it can be estimated the number of women who will attend it cannot be determined whether sufficiept accommodations of this kind can



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