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URGE THE CUBANS TO REBEL.

Spanish Seek to Create Trouble for the

United States.

HAVANA, Oct. 25 .- The Cuban gen-

Puerto Principe and is preaching in

the Havana cafes and the insurgent

has urged the carrying on of war

against the Americans if independence

The Cuban colonel, Torrente, has

also arrived at Havana from the east

and is carrying on a strong campaign

against the Americans and Calixto

Garcia, whom he professes to look upon

as a traitor to the Cubans and as

bribed by American gold. Colonel Tor-

rente, in an interview with the editor

of one of the leading newspapers of

Havana, made all sorts of declarations

against General Calixto Garcia and the

Americans, but the censor would not

allow an account of the interview to be

published, fearing that it might give

About fifty Cuban patriotic clubs

have been organized in Havana under

the management and in a large major-

ity of cases by physicians, lawyers and

other professional men. Many of the

members of these clubs attended the

first meetings wearing the Cuban and

American flags crossed. The presid-

ing officers of several of the clubs,

noticing the insignia in the button

holes of the coats of the members, or-

dered that in future only the Cuban

flag should be worn. In many in-

stances this order was complied with.

A secret circular has been sent to

the presidents of all the Cuban patri-

otic committees denouncing a large

number of Cubans who are looked upon

as traitors to the cause of Cuban inde-

pendence and are charged with being

aitached to the Americans. The circu-

against not only Spanish residents,

but against Americans as well, "who

are endeavoring to steal the Cubans'

The Spanish colonel, Cervera, mili-

tary governor of Marinano, pays daily

island is declared. Colonel Cervera is

an intimate friend of General Parrado,

president of the Spanish evacuation

During the last two weeks several

sent from Havana, it is presumed by

some of the Spanish chiefs. The Span-

ish residents, manufacturers, mer-

chants and planters, are some-

very severe terms the behavior of some

of the Spanish chiefs, who, it is

alleged, are acting suspiciously

in many places and are working

in favor of Cuban independence

advising the Cubans to persist in their

revolutionary attitude. For this rea-

son many of the Spanish residents here

have written long letters to friends in

Madrid in order that the home govern-

ment may be acquainted with what is

happening in the island, and have re-

quested that on behalf of Spain's in-

terests and the part of Spanish resi-

dents the evacuation may be completed

as soon as possible so as to avoid pro-

WHITES AND NEGROES FIGHT.

Forest, Miss.

Forest, Miss., Oct. 25 .- As the re-

suit of an attempt to arrest a negro

near Harpersville, Scott county, in the

eastern part of the state, one white

deputy was killed, three wounded and,

according to the latest report, nine

negroes have been killed by the cit-

izens of the Harpersville neighborhood

The pursuit of about fifty negroes,

who had joined the original offender

with the avowed determination to pre-

vent his arrest and capture, and who

ambushed the party making the ar-

rest, continues, and the number of fa-

talities will undoubtedly have assumed

The whole country is terribly

aroused, and the sheriff's posse has

been reinforced with men from all the

neighboring towns. Governor McLaurin has gone to the

scene, which is about ten miles north

The posse is operating in the swamps, about a mile from Harpers-

ville, where most of the fugitives are

Indiana Are Guilty.

DULUTH, Minn., Oct. 25 -The eleven

Bear Island Indians brought here

Thursday from Walker were found

guilty by the jury at 6 p. m. Saturday,

and were immediately sentenced by

Jude Lochron to spend from sixty days

to ten months in the various county

tails, and in addition to pay fines of

Dung-Wonce-Shish and May-Mauch-

Kow-Aush were the only exceptions.

Their fines were only \$13. The jury was out thirty-five minutes. The

charge against each was resisting as or of the United States court

supposed to be concealed.

of Forest, the nearest railroad point.

larger proportions.

and the sheriff's posse combined.

tion of affairs.

victory."

commission.

rise to disturbances.

is not at once granted to Cuba.

#### TOOK TO THE WOODS.

Láncoln, Neb., Oct. 25, 1898.-Hon, E. J. Burkett, Lincoln, Neb.-My Dear Sir: The chairman of my committee some weeks ago addressed to the chairman of your committee a challenge to joint debate. That challenge has failed to receive even the scant courtesy of a reply. Perhaps your chairman has neglected to call the matter to your attention.

I now desire to address you at first hand. I am told that you are publicly declaring the silver issue to be a dead issue. I notice that your organ, the Nebraska State Journal, so adjudicates it. I am further informed that you take the position that the only issue of this congressional campaign is whether or not the hands of the president of the United States are to be upheld by the election of congressmen who agree with him on all questions. That you declare that whatever McKinley is for that you are for

On this statement I challenge your position. I declare the American congress to be a co-ordinate branch of government. I believe that congressmen should be elected not to go to any man or combination of men to learn what they are to favor and what op-pose, but to represent the opinion and interests of their constituents.

But I will meet you on this ground. I challenge you now to a series of joint debates, seven in number, one in each county seat in this district, on the Gage currency bill. This is not a dead issue. It is an administration measure drafted by Secretary Gage, approved by President McKinley, and favorably reported by the republican majority of the committee on banking and currency. It is designed to retire the greenbacks, to make all silver dollars redeemable in gold, and to surrender to the national banks general control of the currency of the country. It creates a division in the treasury department to be known as the division of issue and redemption, onsisting of three comptrollers of the lar recommends vigorous contest currency to be appointed by the presdent for a term of twelve years and removable only with the consent of the senate for cause stated in writing. To these comptrollers shall be surr-endered all the functions of the treasury department of the United States "pertaining to the issue and redemption of notes and certification, and to the exchange of coin." It provides for the exchange of coin." It provides for the establishment of branch banks, and a system of clearing house dis-tricts which will enable the larger banking institutions to monopolize the entre banking business of the United

I believe this bill is vicious and a menace to the business and laboring hundred Remington carbines and large interests of the country, and if elect- quantities of ammunition have been will work and vote against it.

I ask you to meet me in a joint de-bate upon this bill before the votes of this district. If you will debate neither this measure nor the silver question I ask you to name the issue of what alarmed and criticise in this campaign as you understand it, and I shall then be glad to meet you in a discussion of that issue.

Yours respectfully JAMES MANAHAN.

### GAGE'S VILE SCHEME.

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nipulators to get themselves so firmly established in the control of the government that it will not be in the power of the American people to disturb

NO DISCUSSION OF THE BILL. 10. This bill is not being discussed, although one of the most important longing the existing dangerous condiever brought before congress. to be sneaked through as the gold standard was sneaked through.

Mr. McCleary, the member of the committee that reported this bill, and who is said to be the father of it, went A Bloody Battle in the Swamps Near to the Omaha monetary discussion on purpose to discuss paper money, but he carefully and studiously avoided any reference to this bill, and when specifically questioned about it he declined to answer the questions. The only reason the bill was not passed before adjounrment is that some of the republican members were afraid of their constituents. As soon as re-elected they will be ready to sell their country and betray their people, and this new curse will be upon us.

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### COALING THE MARIA TERESA.

The Spanish Cruiser Expected to Start

for Her New Home Thursday. CAIMANERA, Cuba, Oct. 23 .- The armored cruiser Maria Teresa is coaling. The cement worked in over the patches will be hardened by Tuesday, and all points will be water tight. count of the wrecked dock beams. heavy chain cables carried around both urrets and hove taut amidships will be employed to take up the fore and aft strain, and in heavy weather extra wire hawsers will be carried from the mainmast head to the dock. All the earpenter work is done, and all other tempory repairs are so nearly com-pleted that 100 Cubana of the working force have been discharged. The curines are in a satisfactory condition, d it is now confidently expected that Maria Torona will start for the Calted States Thursday.

#### SHIPS READY TO MOBILIZE and Retail.

England's Naval Preparations Continue at Home and Abroad.

FRENCH PRESS MORE HOPEFUL.

Lord Salisbury's Answer to France ! the Blue Book Pleases the English Press-Papers Against Allowing Any Discussion of the Nile's Possession.

LONDON, Oct. 26. -The English papers are full of particulars of naval news, but the only fresh development eral Rego, has arrived at Havana from is an order received at Portsmouth to prepare all the ships of the fleet and the reserve for immediate mobilization. Eight additional war ships camps near the city a holy war against the Americans. He has interviewed there, in consequence, began coaling this morning, and working parties many of the leaders of the Cubans and were immediately sent on board the other reserve war vessels at Ports-

> All interest to-day is centered in the Marquis of Salisbury's addition to the Fashoda correspondence, contained in the publication of the British blue book on that subject.

> The conservative newspapers declare that the book dispels the idea spread by the dispatch here of the French ambassador, Baron de Courcel, that the British premier, was willing to negotiate on the whole question. The Liberal and Radical organs still consider that the Marquis of Salisbury's attitude admits of negotiations promising a friendly arrangement. The entire press however, scouts the idea of the possession of the Fashoda coming within the sphere of the discussion.

St. James' Gazette says: "We are prepared to negotiate the question of the western frontier of the Bahr-el-Ghazel district. But we must control the Nile, both banks and water sheds, from its source to the sea."

The London Globe thinks the Marquis of Salisbury has made it clear that Major Marchand must quit Fashoda without conditions. "Until that is done," the Globe says, "there can be no discussion of the French claims in Africa." The Globe points out the significant announcement in General Kitchener's report that he sent gunboats south from Sebat, towards Meshraor-Rek, the principal trading center of the Bahr-el-Ghazel region, with instructions to establish necessary outposts and that before he left Sebat he completed arrangements for the maintenance of those stations.

The Pall Mall Gazette concludes, from the publication of the blue book. that the French government has been given to understand that, wholly apart from the Fashoda question, its title to the territory abutting upon the left bank of the Nile is "rejected as utterly untenable, and France must accept the position or take the consequences."

The Westminster Gazette suggests as the solution that the French be granted "way leave" and "enclave" for commercial purposes in the Bahrel-Ghazel district. "Way leave" is the right of way over another's ground; "enclave" is a territory enclosed within the territories of another power.

The French papers to-day are more hopeful and believe that a pacific solution of the dispute will be found.

The Paris correspondent of the London Daily Chronicle claims to have authority to say a decision has already been taken by the French government speedily to evacuate Fashoda, and that M. Delcasse, the French foreign minister, will do his utmost to facilitate a pacific solution.

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia, Oct. 26.-The British war ships Pallas and Talbot arrived to-day from Bermuda. General Lord William Seymour, commander of the troops in British North America, will return from Ottawa at once, his visit having been cut short by the unusual activity in military and naval circles at this station.

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 25.-The preparations at Esquimault, the naval depot of the Northern Pacific squadron, continue unabated. The Amphion, which it was understood would go into dry dock until after another steamer already booked had been dealt with, received instructions to-day from the admiral of the fleet to begin the necessary work immediately, and she entered the dry dock. The officers do not deny that the preparations now going on are due to the strained relations of France and England.

### A \$12,000,000 Brick Trust.

Massillon, Ohio, Oct. 26.-William G. Hipse of the Massillon Fire Brick company has secured options on the plants of all the leading fire brick companies of this county and they will the scheme.

Must Ship Cutton Subject to War Hisks DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 26. - Cotton buyers of Dallas on foreign orders say that owing to the threatened war between England and France they have killed one of the men. received cables saying: "All ship-ments from this date until otherwise instructed must be made subject to war risks."

Troops Slowly Leaving Caba for Spain. HAVANA, Oct. 2r. Senor Girauta, secretary of the Spanish evacuation commission, delivered two notes to the United States evacuation commission bpanish troops who left Neuvitas by the steamer Miguel Caliart, the other the number of those who left Gibare by the steamer Montserrat. The total from both ports exceeded 2.000, all of whom were from the Holguin division. The French mail steamer Charibon sailed this afternoon for Spain with see troops and seventy-one officers and the families of the laiter. yesterday. One gave the number of

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FUNSTON TO WED IN OAKLAND

His Bride Will Pollow the Kaneas Colonel to Manila in a Few Days. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.-The mar-

Colonal Frederick Funston the Twentieth Kansas regiment to Miss Edna Blankart, at Oakland, will take place to-night. The marriage will come as a surprise, for every effort was made to keep the engagement secret. The ceremony was originally set for Wednesday night, but the receipt of orders for the sailing of the Indiana hastened the event one

The ceremony will take place at the home of Miss Blankart. Prof. Vernon
L. Kellogg, formerly of the University
L. Kellogg, formerly of Leland Stanof Kansas, but now of Leland Stanford university, will be best man. The ceremony will be attended only by the immediate members of the bride's family and two or three of the officers of the Kansas regiment.

Colonel Funston will sail with his regiment to-morrow, leaving his wife to follow on the Dorie, sailing for Manilla October 29, by way of Hong Kong. Colonel Funston became acquainted with Miss Blankart only a few weeks ago. Miss Blankart is well mother, Mrs. Teresa Blankart, and her sister, are also musicians,

Farmer Killed by a Bull.

OLATHE, Kan., Oct. 26.-T. A. Hudson, who recently purchased a farm adjoining this city, was killed in his barn by a bull last evening. He had pressed him against the barn. He died in a few minutes.

Missouri Girl Killed.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Oct. 26 .- Miss Fredia Duffner, 16 years of age, was shot and instantly killed last Saturday at her home in Dallas county, near the soon be purchased and operated by a Dade county line, by a hired man trust. It is claimed that Eastern capital amounting to \$12,000,000 is behind at the time, and Powell claims that he picked up a revolver from a table and the weapon accidentally discharged, striking the girl in the head, passing through her brain. She was the daughter of Charles Duffner, the farmer who was murdered by robbare five weeks ago in his yard after he had

Peace Cummission

Pants, Oct. 26.—The American peace commissioners were in session yesterday from 10 a. m. to almost 1 p. m., when they repaired to the joint seasion. They took with them a carefully prepared written answer to the proposals of the Spaniards regarding Cuba. It is understood that the Amerlean reply is, to a certain fegree, in

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KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 26.-Frank James spent most of yesterday in the corridor of the county courthouse close to the cigar stand of his nephew, Jesse James, jr. His presence augmented to a considerable degree the mixed and staring throng of gaping spectators that had almost impeded travel through the courthouse corridors since Jesse James was arrested for the Leeds known in local musical circles. Her train robbery and was released on bond. Hardly an hour has passed since then that the throng of persons who wanted to "see Jesse James" has not numbered at least half a dozen. At times it has swelled to fifty. It stood at about that all day yesterday. Jesse treats the crowd as a joke. It is a profitable joke to him. too, for just cut a tumor from the animal's many men in order to get a better look neck when it plunged upon him and at him buy eigars at his stand, and the young man, with a crafty eye to busi-

ness, does most of his standing these that contains the ten cent cigars. A large part of the throng is composed of soldiers in their uniforms. Nor is the curiosity to see Jesse elgar. It is a common sight now to see women, young and old, before the cigar stand, purse in hand, occupying as of selection. And he likes women cus and clean Screening. tomers. They nearly always buy ten cent cigars. And these are not women of the lower classes who visit Jesse

others bring their chuma. Many of the young mon visitors undertake, for the benefit of the envious erowd, to renew a pretended acquain-Those Jesse James snubs cruelly. His memory is excellent and

James, either. Finely dressed, beauti-

ful girls of 18 to 25 come with women

who are apparently their mothers;

he relies on that solely. "Don't know you, never saw you before," he says and he makes it convenlent to be busy at the other end of his counter. Any further advances are met by absolute silence. But he is pleasant enough with acquaintances. His dietain for the merely curious has put a habitual sneer on his face in the

# Glistens.



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