How They are Getting Along in a Away Country.

A GOOD TIME IN HONOLULU

are Left Behind - Deaths Recorded in the Regiment.

Honolulu (H. I.) correspondence of the Omaka Bee: The United States transport Senator arrived here on Setober 22 with a battalion of the Iwcuty-third infantry and recruits for the First Oregon It was followed by the Valencia on the 27th, which carried a battalien of Washington volunteers and two batteries of California heavy Both transports are still in port, but expect to sail for Manila in a few days. The Arizona also arrived from Hong Kong on the 27th. after a twenty-five days' trip. There was considerable mail returned for the dressed to Manila and afterwards forwarded and for awhile the boys had the pleasure of reading a number of old letters, some dated as far back as June 22

Sunday company B of First Nebraska was again called to mourn the loss vate George R. Neiman, who died 3aturday morning after one day's illness of acute gastritus. The home of the deceased was Geneva. Neb., where his brother at present resides. It is not known whether his parents are living. He was an excellent young man and a good soldier, always ready for any duty he might be called upon to perform. His sudden death was a severe shock to his many friends. The fun eral was held from the undertaker's Chaplain Karl Schwartz conducted the services, which were attended largely companies. The body was interred in Nuama cemetery, in the plot allotted to the soldiers. This is the second death of company B in almost a week The first, Private Julius G. Miller of Beatrice, died on Friday of the preced-

The First Nebraska has many the mention of Omaha will strike thertender spot. They are all loud in their hospitality of the citizens in tenderon their way to the west. Among the ones left behind at the hospital when Francisco was James Fanning. He enflor. He shortly afterward became con-Twenty-third United States infantry and is now with them on the Senator. In all probability he will reach Manila before the balance of the recruits. At 8 o'clock yesterday morning the on the big trucks that were provided for each company. At 10 o'clock, headed by the band of the First New York

teered by them, the troops took up the march to the Pacific Mail wharf. They port Arizona, bound for Manila, Short-Arizona slowly steamed out into the bay and dropped anchor about two miles from shore until ready to sail, which was generally understood would

The following Nebraska soldiers will A company-Captain G. H. Haide-Martin, Privates Willard M. Girton, Calvin E. Girton, Ralston Patmore, Albert Boltz, Louis Friesz, Emil Forca. B company—Captain Lincoln Wilson. commanding: Privates John H. Arm-

field, Wilbur E. Camp. William A. Coon, Jesse I. Farling, Edwin M. Finley, Charles B. Foster, Charles Franklin, William B. Johnson, Robert Morris, Ira C. Rowland, Edward M. Shopp, Eimer H. Schoelter, Ira Ston. Bertram Wight, George W. Wilson, Winfred Cebb, Thomas James and

C company-Captain Julius N. Kilian, commanding; Privates Charles Frank Walla, Fred Strong, John An-Bowers, Harry E. Burke, William Johnson, John E. Hedlund, Henry Westbrook Patrick Fitzgerald Fred Cilmore, Charles Fisher, Norman G-iffiths Stapley Egnosche George Nizon, Henry Schroupa, Lewis M. Ga- any regiment here. Yes, I may say ble, Herbert H. Hay and Walter F.

Dr. Sherman A. Yule of A company has been appointed assistant surgion and will remain in Honolulu on duty at the hospital.

From Poverty to Wealth.

Omaha dispatch: James Doyle is at the Merchants. James Doyle is the discoverer of the famous Portland mine at Cripple Creek. He has been the directory of the Portland Mining company at Council Bluffs, which was held yesterday, the company being organized in Council Bluffs five years

Doyle was a mechanic in Portland, Me. Seven years ago he went west, | nual meeting of the academy of scidiscovered the first gold in Cripple ences. A letter has just been issued Creek six years ago and named his by President H. B. Ward and Secretary mine the Portland. A year ago he sold | G. D. Sweezey giving an outline of the out for a cool \$1,000,000, and now oper- program of the meeting and containates the Uintah, and it is "pay dirt." He is also mayor of Victor, and is serving his third term.

Mr. Doyle is not yet 40 and is worth \$1,000,000. He landed in Cripple Creek with \$50 and a family. He is a genial

gentleman of fortune.

Killed by a Playmate. Genoa dispatch: Robert Potter, a student at the Indian industrial school at Genoa, was accidentally shot and instantly killed by another student, Willie Cox. The boys were playing with pistols, and Willie Cox had a 32caliber revolver. He discharged the contents of one barrel into the body of his victim, the bullet taking effert in the left breast, ranging downward and coming out at the right hip. The boys dispersed, leaving the body on the ground, and it was not discovered for several hours.

The prosperous condition of Colfax county land owners and the eagerness of capital to find investment were | ner and supper was served and an inapily illustrated at the recent sale for delinquent taxes by the unusually small amount of delinquent taxes offered for sale, but little over \$1.900, when there used seldom to be less than \$3,000. There were four buyers present, each fully determined to buy all there was to offer, but a division was finally agreed upon.

The Exposition Property. Another step has been taken toward the transfer of the exposition property to P. E. Her and his associates at a meeting held in the exposition offices in the Merchants' National bank build-

ing yesterday afternoon, says the Omaha Bee. Mr. Her and his as:oclates tendered the executive commitee checks aggregating the purchase price of \$17,500 and it was arranged that the bill of sale and the agreement to protect the present exposition company from claims of property owners should be drawn up and submitted today. When these are accepted the deal will be closed.

Yesterday was not just the sort of a day that the committee that is soliciting subscriptions for the 1899 exposition would have selected on which to complete the canvass, but it answered exactly in that they were at least able to find the business men in their offices. The committee divided into three sections and spent the entire forenoon in a vigorous effort id raise the subscription list to \$100,000, preparatory to meeting the executive committee of the exposition in the afternoon. In this they were very nearly successful, in spite of the elements. It was stated at noon that the gas company and the street railway company had subscribed \$15,000 and the Council

Bluffs Bridge company \$2,000. Those

two subscriptions brought the total to

\$70,000. Besides these each of the com-

mittee did a satisfactory morning's

Fatal Cutting Among Italians. As a result of a flerce quarrel which arose over a game of cards Felipe Costanzo was killed last night, says the

Omaha World-Herald, in the Italian quarter, Nineteenth and the tracks, while Charles Costanzo, his brother, and Pedro Mancuso were seriously

After the affray in the house of Nicholas Barbato the wounded men were assisted to their homes and the dead man was left upon the floor where he fell. Then some disinterested citizen called up the police by telephone encounter. Captain Cox and several detectives went at once to the scene and found themselves face to face with the usual mystery that surrounds

The principals, however, had all suffered in the deadly combat and were soon placed under arrest. Pedro Mancuso was found at the home of his parents, 2038 Poppeiton avenue, where he was bleeding from a bullet wound in across the left arm. Charles Costanzo was seated by the kitchen stove in his own little hut next door to Barbato's when the police called to take him into custody. He was given medical attention at the police station, while Mancuso, who was in a bad way, was permitted to remain at his home. The story told by Mancuso was the clearest account of the battle, but it met with numberless contradictions and the po-

lice are still greatly perplexed. The State Teachers.

The Nebraska State Teachers' association holds its thirty-third annual meeting at Lincoln December 26 to 29. inclusive. Among the prominent eduin the different sessions are Dr. Emil G. Hirsch, the eminent Jewish cabbi of Chicago; Miss Sarah C. Brooks of structions in primary work; Henry Sabin, ex-state superintendent of Iowa, and Prof D. L. Kiehle, who occupies the chair of pedagogy in the university of Minnesota. The meetings will be held in the Oliver and Funke opera

H. D. Travis of Nebraska City is chairman and J. M. Gillan of Omaha | beef. secretary of the school board section of the association. In its program for man, commanding; Corporal Paul R. | Wednesday afternoon are papers on "School Boards and Truancy." by I. P. Ludden of Lincoln: "Text Books." by H. D. Travis: "Relations of School Boards to Teachers," Henry Sabin, lowa. Thursday afternoon there will be papers by Judge Honewell on Finanand by E. E. Lyle of Wahoo on What should School Boards Do and Not do General discussions by members and officers of school boards will follow

Boquets for the First Regiment.

In a letter received by Governor Holcomb from Major John M. Stotsenburg of the First Nebraska regiment. now stationed at Manila, dated Getober 5, the following excerpt is taken: "In regard to the health of the regigood health in as fine military condition of efficiency and discipling as that it is superior to any, in my estimation. Moreover, the First Neuras ka's services have been unexcelled by any organization in this expedition, It is as good a regiment as any regiment may not have gained as much newspaper notoriety as some others, but that is due to our modesty. When called upon in the field we always get there. Major Snyder has just informed me that our losses since leaving home have been less than 1 per cent of our

The Academy of Science Lincoln dispatch: One of the im portant events of the year at the aniversity of Nebraska will be the an-

enlisted strength.'

Frank Wenneman's saloon at Bancroft was broken into and 500 cigars,

ing much interesting matter.

considerable liquor and \$7 in cash tak-The Brownell extension of the Mathodist Episcopal church, recently completed in Grafton at an expense of about \$800, was dedicated Sunday. The structure is free from debt.

J. Neumann, a young man employed at the B. & M. shops in Wymore, swallowed a dose of carbolic acid, which he had mistaken for cough medicine. Prompt medical assistance saved him. Brakeman William Washburn had a foot smashed and an ankle broken decided that it would not visit Monat Orleans.

The Workmen and Woodmen lodges of Exerer decided upon Thanksgiving to prepare a report. day as a proper time for dedicating their handsome new lodge rooms. Dinteresting program endered, both in the afternoon and evening.

While hunting on the Sugden farm, two miles south of Syracuse Mr. Walters, a son-in-law of Jonas Sugden of Lincoln was quite seriously shot by the young son of Mr. Sugden, the load taking effect on the side from the shoulder down. NEWS SUMMARY.

Monday, November 21. The most important legislation in

congress will be that of the senate on peace treaty. In Madrid political circles it is asserted that an agreement has been reached between the peace commis-

sioners in Paris. Rev. Dr. Kane, rector of Christ's church, Belfast, and grand master of the Belfast Orangemen, died from a

R. A. Bradbury, for thirty years connected with the Jacksonville, Ill., Journal, is dead in Kansas City. He was visiting friends in that place.

A report, entirely unconfirmed, has been in circulation at London that the steamship Ville de Coblens of the North German Lloyd line has foundered at sea with all on board: The lilipois auditor of public ac

counts made out the tax rate for next year for state taxes. The amount is 56 cents on the \$100, of which 42 cents is for school purposes and 14 for general purposes. J. A. Brandreth, who claimed to be

nephew of the millionaire pillmaker of that name, was found dead in his cell at the county jail in Philadelphia, having been arrested the night before on the charge of vagrancy. The Rome correspondent of the Daily Chronicie says: "A very important

pontifical document is about to appear, expressing the pope's full approbation of the democratic and liberal tendencies of the Cathoxc church in the United States. The importations or gold into the United States in the year of 1898 are by far the largest in the history of the

country, and the exportations the smallest in many years, while the production of gold from the American mines will prove the largest in many years, if not the largest in the country's annals. The news that Emperor William is

to return to Berlin by a round-about route, without touching at Vienna or Berlin, has created a sensation in political circles, as it is interpreted as being a confirmation of the recent indication that the relations between Germany and Austria are less friendly than they have been

Tuesday, November 22 War will not ensue. Spain's peace commissioners will sign a treaty within a fortnight. On board the steamer Coptic, when

arrived in San Francisco, from the Orient via Honolulu, was ex-Queen Linuokalani of Hawaii. captured Ilolio is declared untrue. !! is said measures have been taken for tne defense of the town by the Span-

After a residence of 361 days in the Klondike, where he arrived pennil .- s, York with gold dust worth \$141,010, small. and a total fortune which he estimates at not far from \$500,000.

The executive committee of the celebration held a special meeting on the was forn on Chucky river, in Watauas at first announced, December 14 and

A dispatch was received at the Navy department from Captain McCall.. There were no drills and only necesdated Nassau, stating that he had sary duties were performed by the solabandoned the Maria Teresa on the diers and camp force. The Fifteenth A delegation of twenty-one braves

from Cheyenne and Arapahoe agency arrived in Washington. They will corfer with interior department officials on allotment matters and will ask for of the Clyde Bank Ship Building coma change in the methods of issuance of pany. It is added that they are intend-

has received a personal letter from Admiral Dewey under date of October 3 in which the Admiral says: "I trusc the entire archipelago will be retained by the United States. Any other arrangement will lead to no end of

teer engineers to embark at once from Savannah for Tampa, sail thence to Havana, reporting to Major Gen - il Greene, who commands one of the dirisions of the Seventh army corps. The postoffice department has placed a very serious and perhaps msurmountable obstacle in the way of the he bidders until after the revenue mental officials.

stamp is affixed thereto. Wednesday November 23.

Yesterday's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$395,826,522; gold reserve, \$240,789,790.

Dr. Charles Massey Hammel, formerly health officer and coroner of the aged 63 years.

by the Spanish authorities for the defense of the town.

The court of inquiry appointed by the secretary of the navy to ascertain an increase of \$2,326,804 compared why the Spanish cruiser Maria Teresa | with last year. was abandoned and to fix the responsibility, began its labors at Norfolk. S. H. King, a jockey, who has rid- als pointing out the disturbed state of the last sixteen years, is dead at his sider necessary.

a fall received while riding at Denver Virginia report having exp Amsa Thornton, a lawyer of New ance was felt from Nottoway coun. York city, had a private audience to the Tennessee line. with the pope. Later Mr. Thornton The French cabinet has decided to said the prelate was in excellent authorize a loan of 160,000,000 francs

ical questions. The commissary department has dispatched the steamer Bratten from and 211 animals departed from Hunts-Savannah with 700 tons of provisions ville, Ala., via the Southern railway for the starving people of Cuba. The for Savanah, where they will take the Bratten will leave a portion of the transport Chester fir Nuevitas, Cuba. cargo at Havana and then will sail to Twi pack trains were taken with the Mantanzas and other ports.

Among the callers at the White house were Andrew Carnegie and was held lasting an hour. Important Samuel Gompers, the head of the dispatches relating to the peace ne-American Federation of Labor. Mr. gotiations were received by the presi-Carnegie, in an interview, expressed cent. They were of sufficient importhimself as strongly opposed to the ance to require a meting .. the cabipolicy of territorial expansion.

The war investigating commission tauk Point, the site of Camp Wikoff, in a body, but would send a committee : Examination of railroad officials in regard to the cost of the railroad pos-

tal service was resumed by the postal commission in Chicago. Superintend ent of Transportation John R. Daly of the Illinois Central railroad surprised the commission by declaring that the net profits of the company would be increased if no mails were carried for the government. Mr. Daly gave. Little Clarence-Father, what is the

Troop B was ordered away from Patown is quiet.

Jack Bennett of Mikresport, Pa., was given the decision over Tom McCune of Detroit in a fifteen-round battle at

Mrs. McKinley and a distinguished party witnessed the performance of thi Nielson Opera company at the Lame. ette opera house last night. The Italian government has sent a

the subject of the detention and illtreatment of Italian proteges. General Horace Porter, American ambassador to France, held a brilliant

were bresent: whose fight before the Greater Net while the Spaniards are canvassing may have the mill in St. Louis.

in Sandy Hook. On board were the First regiment of engineers, for whom a reception and Thanksgiving dinner was waiting at the Eighth regiment ar-

the streets and reduced attendance at partments and business houses were The English government has decided

000 having been realized. Returns from the entire state of Wyoming with the exception of eight | conditions. email precincts in Albany, Big Horn, Fremont and Uinta counties, which will not materially change the result

lic instruction, T. T. Tynan, 2,327.

Friday, November 25. In the football game at Omaha on Thanksgiving day Iowa bested the Ne-

The report that the insurgents have rification of Anglo-American friend-

Baldwin in San Francisco places the total at \$1,500,000, on which at the outset there was not over \$150,000 insurance. The insurance, \$50,000, car-Frank E. Simmons has come to New ried on the hotel, was ridiculously A special from Knoxville, Tenn., says: Mrs. Susan Sanders, aged 107

died today in the house in which she receipt of the president's telegram and ga valley. She was a relative of John decided to designate the affair as "At- Sevier, first governor of Tennessee, lanta Jubilee day." The dates will be and owned many souvenirs of the battle of King's mountain.

Mr. Brown of Norwich university and that they will fly the Red Star flag. cussing the subject of British trade before the Croydon Chamber of Commerce said he regretted to have to con-The War department has ordered £2,600,000, chiefly through the altera-

The exact date of the issuance of the civil service order of the president has asked to have the final department recommendations submitted at the earliest moment. The indications are that it will be out in a few days. The president has discussed the general alleged combination of speculative with the members of the cabinet and scope of the forthcoming exemptions mail contract bidders by prohibiting others and there have been several postmasters from certhying bonds of consultations of late among depart-

ish channel during a storm.

District of Columbia and well known | Carlsts have been seized in a house in found. Two members of the provost

Several of the Turkish ministers have submitted to the sultan memori- fatally injured. den on eastern and western tracks for the empire and the reforms they con-

an earthquake shock. The disturb-

health and spirits and discussed with for the purpose of establishing an the keenest interest the current poli- Indo-Chinese railroad system in connection with the Chinese railroad. The Fifteenth infantry, 1,300 men

> regiment. A special meeting of the cabinet

> It is now known that Spain will exhaust her time limit which expires on Monday before replying to the American ofter regarding the Philippine islands. In the meanwhile the Spaniards are canvassing the entire field and exhausting every resource to postpone the inevitable.

> The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balances, \$296,589,288; gold reserve,

Will Take All the Time Possible to Answer America's Demands.

ultimatum to the sultan of Morocco o Paris, Nov. 26.-It is now known Thanksgiving day reception at the embassy in Paris, at which many persons

York Ataletic club of Coney Island on December 12, has been declared off The United States transport Minne-Minnewaska, from Porto Rico, passed

Thanksgiving day was observed in the usual manner at the White House. A snow and rainstorm kept people off the churches. All the executive de- the Philippines for \$100,000,000. Spain

to make a generous grant for the relief of the distress and damage caused by the recent hurricane in the West Indies. The Mansion house fund for this purpose is inadequate, only £44,-

show the following majorities on the state and congressional ticket in the recent election: Governor, DeForest Richards, 1.456; secretary of state, Fenimore Chatterton, 1,575; auditor, Leroy Grant, 2,400; treasurer, G. E. Abbott, 2,225; superintendent of pub-

braskans in a score of six to five. The Thanksgiving banquet of the American society in London, which was held at the Hotel Cecil was a glo-

A careful estimate of the loss by the

i nanksgiving day was observed as a holiday at the camp in Huntsvile, Ala.

19th and that the Vulcan and Pot mca infantry will probably leave tomorhad sailed on the same day for Nor- row for Savannah under orders to join General Carpenter at Nuevitas, Cuba. The Glasgow Herald of that city says the American line has ordered six Atlantic twin screw liners-two of Hawthorne & Leslie of Newcastle and four

> ed for the Belgian-American service Hon. Charles T. Ritchie, president of the board of trade of London, disfess that the exports for the year just ended with October had decreased

four companies of the Second vo 11- tion of the United States tariff.

Saturday, November 26. Eight vessels were lost in the Brit-The body of Tate Prycr was taken

General Shafter was the principal The report that the insurgents have guest last night at a banquet given captured Ilolio is declared untrue. It at Delmonico's by the Sons of the is said that measures have been taken Revolution of the state of New York. The annual report of Paymaster General T. H. Stanton of the army shows an expenditure of \$23,499,969.

home in Atchisonn from the effects of Many points in south and southwest

THE WORLD'S GOLD COINAGE.

ELAYING THE INEVITABLE,

\$50,000,000 When They Say \$20,ries and the Carolines as a Last Effort.

hat Spain will exhaust her time limit, thich expires Monday, before reply-Peter Maher and "Kid" McCoy, the Philippine islands. In the ficanthe entire field and exhausting every the cabled on Wednesday, they could not accept the American proposition as final without asking if it were really an ultimatum. That applied to the time limit. Now, the Spaniards apparently doubt the fixedness of the mount the Americans offered for the Philippines and they sent a communibation to the American commissioners to-day asking if the latter would accept a counter proposal by Spain to cede imagines the Americans might be willing to lop off the great island of Mindanao from the Philippines and pay Spain \$50,000,000 for what would remain, instead of \$20,000,000 now offered for the entire archipelago.

Spain will learn in response to such inquiry that Americans employ the word tiltimatum to signify ultimate

However strengously Spain may sek to increase her money advantage for the cession of the Philippines, she will finally be compelled to know that the United States' offer means \$20,000;-000, no more and no less, and that the whole archipelago must pass to the United States for that sum.

session of the United States, in addidition that Spain be permitted to retain her sovereignty in the Philippines. In other words, Spain would cede certain territory in the Carolines and Canaries and the control of the Philippines by the United States, under & nominal Spanish sovereignty. and, as a further inducement, proposo no money on account of the Philippine

is'ands. MADRID, Nov. 25 .- The Correspondencia comments upon the attitude of "the Americans insisting upon a renewal of the protocol of 1877, thanks hot get." to which they, without warning, conspired against Spain in Cuba." It | adds: "The Americans will next plot against Spain in the Canary and Balearic islands without Spain being able | liar!"

to punish them." NEGRO TROOPS RIOTOUS.

Waylay and Shoot White Soldiers Camp Anniston, Ala. ANNISTON, Ala., Nov. 26.-Members of the Third Alabama, the negro regiment, with murder in their hearts, caused the greatest excitement last night that this town has ever known. Shortly after dark, Private Gildhart, of Company B, Second Arkansas, while returning to camp from town, was shot in the head by a negro soldier who also stabbed him in the back.

Gildhart was taken to the regimental A little latera member of the Fourth Kentucky is reported to have been shot on Walnut street by negro soldiers, who lay in a gully shooting at the white men who passed. Firing was heard in Liberia, the negro quarter of the city, which is not far from Walnut street, and a squad of the provost guard went to investigate. As it turned the corner of Fifteenth and Pine streets, a large crowd of negro soldiers, without warning, opened fire upon the guard with Springfields, the

gun in use in the regiment. The guard returned the fire, but had few cartridges and soon had to retreat. When reinforcements and ammunition were secured, the negroes had disappeared. In the engagement, George Dodson, Third Tennessee, was shot in the arm, and Private Graham, Third late from the ruins of the Baldwin Tennessee, in the stomach. If any of the negroes were shot it is not known. A quantity of arms destned for the as no dead or wounded has been

guard are missing. A negro soldier was dangerously beaten up by some white soldiers on Tenth street, and this incident is supposed to have caused the riotous actions on the part of the negroes, who are said to have slipped out of the camp through the guard lines. Later-One negro soldier has just

TO TAKE COLUMBUS' ASHES.

been brought in dead and another

Discoverer Early Next Month. HAVANA, Nov. 26 -Eight light draft ferent ports of Cuba, will come to Ha- visional liberty. vana harbor to await here the coming ! of the auxiliary cruisers Metero and the Dreyfusites at the decision to try Rapido, which will arrive December 10.

The monument was taken away some The first stop will be made at Martinique, where the ships will be coaled and where honor will be paid by the French to Columbus' memory. The same thing will be done at the Cape Verde Islands, and the fleet will then

proceed to Cadiz as usual.

Columbus' ashes will be placed

aboard the Rapido, and about Decem-

ber 8 the fleet will proceed to Spain.

HAVANA, Nov. 26.—The members of the colonial cabinet have tendered their resignations to General Blanco, who accepted them, but requested the secretaries to continue in the exercise of their functions until his successor shall have taken possession. General

End to Cuban Autonomy.

Washington, Nov. 26. -In his annual report Mr. George F. Roberts, director

of the mint, says:

The most important events of the fiscal year in the world of government finance have been the consummation of the long plainted resumption of specie payments by Russia in gold, the feorganization of the monetary system of Japan thith sold as the standard, and the refusal of file government of India to co-operate with the government of the United States and France in an effort to establish bimetallism by

international agreement. The gold coinage of the world in 1897 was the largest recorded, amounting in value to \$437,719,842, against \$198;899,517 in 1996. Of the former sum \$146.622,194 was a recoinage and approximately \$291,097,148, a het addition to the stock of gold coins. The principal coinage was by the United States, Great Britain, Russia, Germany, Austro-Hungary, France and Japan. The extraordinary coinage of the year is accounted for by the preparations of Russia, Austro-Hungary and Japan for their monetary reform. in the case of Russia, particularly, gold, which has been accumulating for years, much of it in bars, was passed through the mints to prepare it for circulation. The completion of Russia's plans of monetary reform and the opening to the uses of commerce of her great gold reserve, systematically gathered year by year until it is the greatest single hoard of treasure the world ever saw, is in itself a mos' notable event.

WHERE WERE THE OFFICERS? The Seventy-First New York's Captains

Are Asking Pointed Questions. KEW YORK, Nov. 26.—The captains of the Seventy-first New York regiment met Wednesday night. With the exception of Captain Peafferty, the only officer of the regiment to distinguish himself, all were present. They Spain, before giving up or turning met to discuss the charges of cowardice | They are heavily wooded and supplied against their regiment. Major Clinton Smith called the meeting to order. His unknown. In addition they would, if Canary islands, to be held in the pos- first invitation for an expression from acquired by the United States, be the the meeting was responded to by an un- outposts for the Philippines. They tion to the Philippine islands, on con- expected demand for his resignation. | extend in a belt along the ninth deup San Juan hill was ordered?" one to the southward of Guam and 850

captain cried. have heard it would seem to be the danao. general impression that I was in command of the Seventy-first regiment. when I was only second in command that the United States shall pay Spain and utterly powerless to give an order except when directed to do so by my superior officers," protested Major Smith, "Now, I want to say that whatever orders I got I obeyed promptly, but I could not obey any orders I did

"Colonel Downs says that he was on the firing line all day," began Captain Goldsborough. He was interrupted by shouts of "Not so!" and "Downs is a

Personal insult followed the questioning and the meeting broke up in disorder. It is felt that the regiment

cannot be re-organized as militia. MAHAN VALUES PORTO RICO The Island's Great Importance in Con-

LONDON, Nov. 26. - Captain Mahan of for only 71,500,000 acres, leaving 260, the United States navy publishes in the London Times the first of the four articles on "The War on the Sea and Its Lessons." Captain Mahan insists weightily on the great military importance of Porto Rico, which, considering the future

nection With the Isthmian Canal.

isthmian canal, is to the Pacific coast what Malta is or may be to Egpyt be-He pays a high tribute to Sampson for his successful bottling up of Cervera's squadron at Santiago. an operation fraught with difficulties, doubts, uncertainties and more akin to the wiring down of champagne in unbreakable bonds than the mere shoving of a

cork in a bottle. As to Camura's move to the Philippines, Captain Mahan says, if he had persevered, though the American fleet was quire safe, it might have necessitated a temporary abandonment of Manilla bay. He then enters into a technical consideration of the momentous problem whether the individual size of ships or their number should be the aim of naval powers. He comes to the conclusion that, other things being equal, numbers mean an increase of offensive power.

to its inevitable technicality, it is principally read.

The article has created the liveliest

interest in naval circles, where, owing

PICQUART ASKS FOR HELP.

The Court of Cassation Appealed to Against the Military Authorities. Parts, Nov. 24 - Despite attempts to maintain secrecy regarding the matter, it has leaked out that Lieutenant Colonel Piequart's deposition before the court of cassation was sensational. Picquart, it is said, broke down and sat at a table under the entwined flags

mand for the secret document will lead | who was supposed to be nearly at the gunboats, used during the insurrection to a renewed conflict between the mili- point of death from paralysis, but for patrolling the shores and the tary and civil authorities. It is underrivers, are drydocked preparatory to stoon that M. de Freycinet, mimister | hall against the orders of his physisending them home or selling them. of war, vainly appealed to General clans, leaning on the arm of his Jap-The Alfonso XIII, the Nueva Espana Zurlinden, the military governor of anese wife and supported by a cane. and the Diego Velasquez, now at dif- Paris, to grant Colonel Picquart pro-

Colonel Picquart by court-martial.

at Iglesias Will Discuss the Quee

Much indignation is manifested by

COSTA RICA WANTS THE CANAL

tion Informally With Mr. McKinley. WASHINGTON, Nov. 25. - Thus far no arrangements have been made for a the workers proof of the government's conference between President McKin- solicitude for them. M. Faure received ley and President Iglesias. It is said an ovation from the miners. by those familiar with President Iglesias' plans that there is no prearranged purpose to bring forward the Nicaragua canal question or Central American the New York Herald from Montevideo, Uruguay, says: Revolutionary bands

One of Iglesias' suite said that while the present visit would not bring about any formal propositions or declarations of policy upon the part of have been sent to pursue them. These Costa Rica, it would quite probably bands are supposed to be the vanguard figures to prove his statement. His difference between firmness and ob-examination consumed the greater stinacy? Father—Merely a matter of part of the session.

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The United States.

Americans Should Have Taken the

Carolines and Pelew Group.

WERE URGED TO SEIZE THEM.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—There is rea-

son to believe that the administration

would be willing to purchase from Spain not only the Philippines and Ualan island, but all of the Carolines and the Pelew group. Much regret is felt in political circles, particulariy among naval men, at the failure of the President to insert in the peace protocol # provision regarding the Caroline and Pelewisismos similar to that relating to the Philippines. It is no longer a secret that during the war the naval war board and Commander R. R. Bradford, chief of the bureau of equipment of the mayy department, strenuously urged upon Secretary Long and BUYS GOOD NOTES the President the seizure of the Carolines. In fact, one of the monitors sent to Manila was selected by the board for this duty, but the President failed to approve the proposition. Be-

creased compensation. The occupation of Guam by this government was based upon the belief that it had a magnificent harbor and would be an excellent stopping place between Honolulu and Manila. The American commissioners have now learned that the harbor is exposed to monsoons, that it is shallow and that the island is subject to earthquakes.

hind the proposition to buy Ualan

island lies the hope in some quarters

that Spain will make a counter propo-

sition for the cession of the entire

group and the Pelew islands for an in

In the Carolines most of the islands have excellent harbors, well sheltered. with fresh water, and earthquak "Where were you when the charge gree of latitude and are only 300 miles miles from the Philippines. The "Judging from some of the stories I | Pelews are about 600 miles from Min-

> The belief prevails here that the Germans will bring pressure to bear upon Spain to prevent her from selling the Carolines to the United States. Such action would undoubtedly be looked upon as cause for a breach of friendship.

SECRETARY BLISS' REPORT.

nts on the Progress Made by the

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—The annual report of Secretary of the Interior liliss reviews in detail the progress of pension, Indian, land, patent, educational and territorial affairs. Reviewing the gradual diminution of public land area, Secretary Bliss says: "Of three hundred and odd million acres of desert land requiring irrigation to render them valuable farming lands,

the available water supply is sufficient

676,000 acres suitable for grazing pur-

poses. There are thirty forest reservations embracing an estimated area of 40,719, 174 acres." The Indians are deciared to have made substantial progress, and the Chippewa outbreak was the only serious disturbance of the year. Referring to this trouble, the report points to Commissioner of Indian Affairs Jones' successful efforts in bringing about the surrender of the Indians, and says the origin of the trouble is now under joint investigation by the departments of the interior and of

Negroes Not Wanted in Santiago. SANTIAGO, Nov. 29. - El Porvenie orints a two column article with refcrence to the intention of a colored preacher at Topeka, Kan., to bring thirty families of negroes and establish a town in the highlands above Santiago which shall be known as Topeka. El Porvenie demands that the people boycott the Yankee negroes, asserting that they are frequently guilty of horrible crimes, and that the Southern states, anxious to be rid of their colored population, will endeavor to send them to Cuba. The paper maintains that the Cubans have a right to regulate immigration into the

is and; that they object to the negroes and that they will not have them.

Thanksgiving in London. LONDON, Nov. 26 .- The Thanksgiving banquet of the American society in London, which was held at the hotel Cecil, was a glorification of Anglo-American friendship. Three hundred Americans and their English guests appealed to the judges for help in his of the two nations. Two notable persecution by the military author- speeches were made-one by Mr. Henry White, the American charge d'affaires, It is believed that the court's de- | and the other by Sir Edwin Arnold, who dragged himself into the banquet

> PARIS, Nov. 26 .- With a view of averting a strike of miners at Lens, in the Department of Pas de Calais, President Faure, accompanied by his suite, made a personal visit to the town, where he donned miners' clothes and descended into the pit. The president conversed with the men and made a brief speech to them, in the course of which he said he desired to bring to The Latest Revolt is in Uruguay. New York, Nov. 2d. - A dispatch to

from Brazil have crossed the frontier

and are threatening to unite and march

forward toward the capital. Troops

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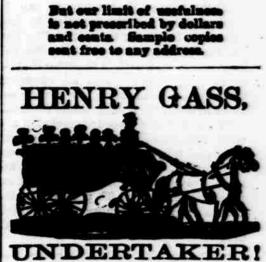
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