WAR TAX REPEAL AND PROTEC-TION OF THE PRESIDENT.

FORMER BILL IS UNANIMOUS

Without Argument or Revision-What the Bill for Protection of the President Provides.

WASHINGTON, March 22.-Two impotrant measures were passed by repeal of the war revenue taxes and that for the protection of the president of the United States. The revenue bill was passed without division and after only one short speech. Mr. forded by the bill's consideration to protest against the repeal of the duty of ten cents a pound upon tea. The bill for the protection of the president was under discussion during the greater part of the session. Mr. Patterson of Colorado made an extended speech in opposition to it and Mr. to an appeal to the court. While the Fairbanks supported it. All amend- divorce cases were pending the woments to the measure were rejected man went to the McGuckin home as a and it was passed by a vote of 52 to housekeeper and agreed to marry Mc-

within the United States who shall divorce. After the way was made willfully and maliciously kill the pres- clear, however, the premise was nevident or any officer on whom the du- er carried out, at least no marriage ties of president may devolve, or any ceremony was ever performed. The sovereign of a foreign country, or question of law was thus brought up shall attempt to kill any of the per- in a controversy over the settlement sons named, shall suffer death; that of an estate. any person who shall aid, abet, advise or counsel the killing of any of NEBRASKA NAME UNCHANGED. the persons named or shall conspire Robert Smart's Fame Stays Undiminto accomplish their death, shall be threaten to kill or advise or counsel another to kill the president or any official on whom the duties of president may devolve, shall be imprisoned not exceeding ten years; that any person who shall willfully aid in the escape of any person guilty of any of the offenses mentioned shall be deemed an accomplice and shall be punished as a principal.

The secretary of war is directed to detail from the regular army a guard of officers and men to protect the president "without any unnecessary display" and the secretary is authorized to make regulations as to the dress, arms and equipments of such

TWO WOMEN DROWNED.

Near Schuyler.

SCHUYLER, Neb., March 22.-Mrs. county were drowned in the Platte river two miles sorth of this place. adoption. They were driving across the bridge in the direction of this city when they were met by another team at a place on the bridge too garrow for the Gorge Mann pleaded guilty to a charge teams to pass. The women's team of assault in district court and Judge and buggy were forced over the bridge | Thompson sentenced him to four years where the channel is the deepest and in the penitentiary at hard labor. occupants, horses and buggy went Mann coaxed two little girls to ride down. At this writing the bodies have with him and took liberties with the not been recovered.

Kansas Wheat Crop Saved.

TOPEKA, Kan., March 22.- A general heavy rain fell in Kansas last night and in many places continued throughout today. The fall was especially heavy in the wheat belt and it is believed came in time to save the crop from injury from drouth and high during the year 1901 was greater than

Miners Reach Agreement. DES MOINES, Ia., March 22.-The miners and operators in session here came to a practical agreement on all matters relating to the mine wage scale in Iowa, and it is now believed a strike will be averted and that the scale will be adopted within a few ness in force.

Hard Luck Pursues Dorsett.

CRESCENT, Ia., March 22.-While chopping wood John Dorsett was severely cut by an axe. The blade sank up to the handle in the instep of his left foot. He has lost a great amount of blood, but his physician says the foot can be saved.

Merger Case Not Heard. NEW YORK, March 22 .- There was the mustering officer. no hearing today in the suit of Peter Power to prevent the operation of the Northern Pacific railroad by the Northern Securities company.

River and Harbor Bill. WASHINGTON. March 22.-The case is quite serious. house today passed the river and harbor bill, which has been under consideration throughout the week.

Listing Creeks for Land. MUSKOGEE, I. T., March 22.-The Dawes commission has just given out ant Adjutant General Mart Howe of that the names of 4.127 Creek Indians the Grand Army of the Republic said and 523 Creek Freedmen, who were that the Grand Army encampment was enlisted for enrollment by the Dawes certain to be held at Omaha May 22 commission and forwarded to the sec- and 23. Different dates have been anretary of the interior for his approval, nounced erroneously from time to have been approved by the secretary time, but the matter is now definitely and returned to the Dawes commis- determined. The original date set sion. There are yet about 8,000 names | was May 14, but a postponement has to be approved. The Creek treaty been agreed to by all the posts that was ratified May 25.

Says Sugar Bounty is Dead.

LONDON, March 22.-Lord Onslaw, under secretary of the colonial office. Frank Rich. 22 years old, whose home speaking at Bath, said he believed su- was one mile north of here, was acgar bounties had been killed forever, cidentally killed while working in the and although it might be necessary timber with his father and brother. to give some assistance to the West He saw ducks flying. His gun lay on Indian colonies until the convention the brush near him. He selzed it by came into operation, the outlook for the muzzle, pulled it toward him and the sugar trade was such that capi- it was discharged. The entire charge tal could be invested with security passed through his heart, killing him and stability in the business of came instantly. He was a member of the growing in the West Indies.

Long in Dispute. case of the University of Michigan against McGuckin, which was appealed from Douglas county, the supreme court has ruled on a question of law THE MEASURE IS DENOUNCED that has long been in dispute. It is the question what constitutes the mar- The General Says it Would Destroy riage relation. Commissioner Kirkpatrick in an opinion approved by the court declares that the marriage relation is only in a limited, qualified sense contractural. He declares it is a social status for the assumption of gal capacity, all that is essential is ation of the marriage relation need

The evidence in this case was to the effect that McGucking and his first wife, and his wife's first husband, had some differences which led Guckin as soon as the legal obstacle The bill provides that any person was swept away by the granting of the

WASHINGTON, March 22.-Smartville is to retain its name. Some years ago Robert Smart, a resident of Johnson county, appropriated land and dedicated streets and alleys to the new town, and the citizens, in view of Smart's philanthropy, called the place Smartville. Last fall Judge Stell of the district court made an order changing the name from Smartville to Helena. The railroads refusea to accept the change and the citizens of Smartville appealed to the ostoffice authorities at Washington. asking for the substitution of the name Helena for Smartville, Large petitions were placed on file and extended arguments were made for the new name. The postoffice people, after reviewing the case, today decided against any change, on the ground that the new name would be confus-Fatal Accident on the Platte River ing to railway postal clerks, who would undoubtedly get the name mixed with Helena. Mont. Smartville Frank Rima and her niece of Butler will get along with its present name until something else is suggested for

Four Years at Hard Labor. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., March 22 .older one, who was but nine years of age. Her brother followed Mann to this city, the crime having been committed several miles out in the coun-

Nebraska Insurance Risks. LINCOLN, Neb., March 22.-The in-

crease of insurance risks in Nebraska in any similar period of time for fifteen years past. A report showing the actual business transacted by each company in this state will soon be issued by the state auditing department. It will show all classes of insurance to be in a healthy condition. with less loss incurred and more busi-

To Sign the Muster Roll.

FREMONT. Neb., March 22.- in accordance with an order just issued by Adjutant General Barry, a meeting will be held at G. A. R. hall in this city for the mustering in of those who have signed the membership roll in the new engineering and signal corps organized here in February. Lieutenant A. M. Hull of this city, who is at the University of Nebraska, will be ers at Sofia concerning the differences

Women Adjudged Insane.

ST. PAUL, Neb., March 22.-Mrs. Chris Sorenson, wife of the blacksmith at Elba, was adjudged insane and tak en to the asylum at Lincoln.

YORK, Neb., March 22.-Mrs. Dora Hawley was adjudged insane by the commission.

Encampment Sure May 22-23. LINCOLN. Neb., March 22,-Assisthave answered except one.

Charge Goes Through Heart.

NORTH LOUP, Neb., March 22 .-Modern Woodmen of America.

Supreme Court Rules on a Question THREAT OF MILES WIRELESS SYSTEM ON LAKES.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 22.-In the HE WILL RESIGN IF HAWLEY'S ARMY BILL PASSES.

the Unity of Military Organization -Asserts that the Bill is Designed to Promote Favoritism in Office.

WASHINGTON, March 21.-General which by persons of the requisite le- Nelson A. Miles today told the senate committee on military affairs that if their free consent. He says further the bill introduced by Senator Hawley that the consent requisite to the cre at the instance of the War department for the organization of a general not be expressed in any especial manstaff for the army should become a Tillman embraced the opportunity af- ner nor by any prescribed form of law he would decline to longer hold words, but may be sufficiently evidenc- his commission. The reason he gave ed by any clear and unambiguous lanfor the statement is that the bill is utterly subversive of the interests of the military establishment and he said that he would not be a party wo such a proceeding to the extent even atus. of continuing to hold his place.

> The statement was made in the course of a prolonged hearing by the committee, which was conducted behind closed doors and in which General Miles touched upon a variety of subjects connected with the army. The portion of the bill to which he directed his especial attention is that contained in section 7, reading as fol-

That from and after the passage of this act the senior general officer of the army shall be assigned to command such portion of the army as the president may direct, or be detailed to duty in the general staff for the commanding general of the army shall be performed by the chief of general staff or other general officer designated by the secretary of war: provided, so long as the present lieutenant general of the army continues on the active list, he shall be the chief of the general staff, and upon the separation from active service of the said lieutenant general of army said office, except as herein provided, shall cease to determine.

General Miles said that if this provision should become a law it would have the effect of destroying the unity of the army, and he read numerous authorities, including Napoleon, Wellington. Washington and Grant, to show the necessity of having one head to the army and of controlling authority. His own experience and obthese views and he gave an illustration of its beneficial effect in time of emergency, instancing the beginning of the war with Spain. "I heard at midnight," he said, "that the Spanish fleet had been located definitely at of Secretary Long, where the news secretary's house, and wrote a dispatch directing him to start immednately for Santiago, with the result that the army was soon on its way to the point where its presence was needed. Suppose," he said, exhibting General Shafter. "I had been compelled to get around a dozen or more majors, as many colonels and an;

Spain Has Short Cane Crop. WASHINGTON, March 21.-Spain cannot expect more than half a crop of cane sugar this year, according to

a report made public at the State department from United States Consul Ridgely at Malaga, bearing date of February 21. The small crop is attributed to the unusual frosts of December and January. Ridgely says the effort to form a syndicate of all the sugar manufacturers in Spain looking to a limitation of production has failed.

Turkey Asks Assistance. CONSTANTINOPLE, March 21 The Turkish government has directed the Ottoman ambassadors to solicit the friendly intervention of the pow-

tion to Macedonia affairs. Reports Smaller War Bill. WASHINGTON, March 21 .- Chairman Hull of the house committee on military affairs, having returned after an absence of some weeks at home, the military appropriation bill today was ordered reported by the commit-

between Turkey and Bulgaria in rela-

ST. THOMAS, D. W. L. March 21 .-The newspapers here are gratified at the suggestion contained in dispatches from the United States that separate government will be given

Picased at United States Act.

To Help Suppress Disease. WASHINGTON, March 21.-The marine hospital service has decided to co-operate with the Nebraska state authorities in fighting smallpox in

sumed control of Porto Rico.

troit and Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, March 21.-Failure of the first attempt to use wireless telegraphy on the lakes has been followed by success on the second trial. The steamer City of Detroit was towed to a slip near the lake front, where there were no intervening masts or buildings and the experiments repeated. Only those making the experiments and connected with the ownership of the system were on board.

J. V. Toliff, representative of the

originator of the system, the latter being at the station, says that one o the code words agreed upon had been both sent to and 'received from Detroit. He said no attempt was made to transmit messages, but that the transmission of the code word established the fact of communication and that the experiments were successful: The success accomplished on the second attempt is ascribed partly to

GIVE HIM A WARM WELCOME.

better weather conditions and partly

to a better adjustment of the appar-

Former President of Honduras Is Ar

rested on His Return. SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.-Do mingo Vasquez, one time president of Honduras, has arrived in this city. He left here a few weeks ago on the Chilean liner Tucapel to make a visit to some Central American ports and during the interim he has had a very lively experience. When the Tucapel touched at Corinto, Nicaragua, he bled: was taken from the vessel by order of President Zelaya and locked up in in their heroic struggle to maintain Points of Similarity Between Haman jail. He faced charges of sedition their liberty and independence, and and insurrection and on February 15 | protest in the name of humanity and him on his promise to leave the coun- a war which outrages the feelings of common misery of having their toes try at the first opportunity.

It is the ambition of Vasquez to form one republic of the Central American countries and he makes no secret of it, though he disclaims being a revolutionist.

PUSHES ROCHAMBEAU PLANS.

Family and Distinguished French Ambassadors Are Coming.

WASHINGTON, March 21.-Ambassador Cambon, in view of the favorable action by congress on the joint esolution looking to the proper dedication of the Rochambeau statue, has been in consultation with Secretary Hay regarding the details of the program. The inadequacy of the appropriation of \$10,000 threatens to curservation had the effect of confirming tail the original project, which looked to a repetition of the splendid and impressive ceremonies with the dedication of the Yorktown monument

twenty years ago. Still a satisfactory beginning can be made with the attendance of the Santiago, and I hastened to the home | descendants of Rochambeau, with a distinguished representation of the was confirmed. Shafter was then at French government, is already assur-Tampa, and I sat down there, in the ed. The dedicatory ceremonies are fixed for the latter part of May next.

Surrender Negotiations.

MANILA, March 21.-Gen. Smith in command in the island of Samar. cables that he met Guevara personally the message which he had sent to | March 24 and arranged the details and length of the proposed armistice. to facilitate the collection of Guevaras men with their rifles and their subsenumber of generals, constituting 2 quent surrender. Up to the present all communication between General Smith and Guevara has been by letter. General Smith refuses to enter into political matters, but will offer life, liberty and protection to all who take the oath of allegiance and assis: in the opening of the ports and the restoration of normal conditions in

Cecil Rhodes Much Better.

CAPETOWN. March 21.-Cecil Rhodes passed a better night. He slept more than for some time past Consequently there is a distinct improvement in his condition today. Cecil Rhodes had a good sleep this forenoon. His physicians have prom ised that if possible he shall sail for England next week.

Choked to Death.

DES MOINES, Ia., March 21.-Mrs. Elizabeth King, 75 years old, died suddenly from suffcation. While eating she was choked from paralysis, all

Nebraska Republican State Convention LINCOLN, Neb., March 21.-The republican nominating convention has been called to meet in this city Wednesday. June 18th.

Fire in a Reform School.

LEXINGTON, Ky., March 21.-The Bradley cormitory of the State School of Reform, near this city, was destroved by fire shortly after midnight, but all the inmates, numbering 125 | Chattanooga, Tenn., states that close boys, were saved. The fire was disdies, as this is in accordance with a covered in the third story of the dorgeneral wish of the people of the is- mitory by the night watchman. He lands, who have long enjoyed a meas- immediately notified Superintendent ure of self-government unknown to Hoak, who aroused the inmates and Porto Rico until the United States as | got them all safely and without disorder out of the building.

Chicago Packers Get Contract.

CHICAGO, March 21.-Another contract for supplying the United States army in the Philippines has been given to Chicago packers by Major Krutthat state. A telegram was received hoff, chief purchasing commissary offrom the State Board of Health at ficer of the Department of the Lokes. Lincoln announcing that a large num- The supplies will be shipped to San ber of cases of smallpox existed in Francisco by two special trains of re-Nebraska and asking that an expert frigerator cars and there reloaded on thousands. Governor Hunt asked he sent to advise with the state offi- government transporst. Specifications cials in the work of eradicating the of the contract provide for deliverance

DEMOCRATS ADOPT RESOLU-TIONS TO THIS END.

CONGRESS ASKED TO PETITION

They Declare in Favor of Cessation of Hostilities and Strict Neutrality by the United States Miscellaneous Washington Matters.

democratic members of the house at a caucus held tonight unanimously adopted resolutions declaring that congress should express the sympathy seemed to be grateful for the care lavgling Boer republics and pledging it in various ways. It will amuse the themselves to use their utmost enleavors to "force the committees to report resolutions expressive of such sympathy, if only that congress may have an opportunity to act."

Representative Hay of Virginia presided at the caucus and Representative Robertson of Louisiana acted as secretary. The attendance was large. There was no division of sentiment as to the course to be taken, the question presented being simply one of The Sulzer resolution was as fol-

Resolved, by the democrats of the house of representatives of the Unitel States of America, in caucus assem

That we sympathize with the Roers al! liberty-loving people, and that we trod on or hats crushed in. shal use our best efforts to have the congress of the United States, being ident to urse upon his majesty the wisdom of adopting this policy for the purpose of stopping the awful atrocities now going on in South Africa and that the government of the United States should maintain a strict neutrality between the contending forces.

The Randall resolution was as fol-Resolved, by the democratic mem bled. That the congress of the United States should, by resolution, express the sympathy of the people of the United States for the peoples of the South African republics in their heroic struggle to maintain their liberty and independence.

Resolved. That the congress should in the spirit of amity and friendship. appeal to the British government in the interest of humanity to accept overtures for peace, cease hostilities and endeavor to bring about a just and honorable settlement of existing difbe established.

Resolved. That the United States should fairly and honorably maintain a position of strict neutrality in this contest between nations friendly to us, and see to it that the neutrality laws are vigorously and impartially en-

Resolved, That we, as democrats and representatives of the people, will us our utmost endeavor to force the committees now dominated by the repubthereon, declaring the sentiments and will of the American people. After some remarks by Mr. Randall

Mr. Sulzer and Mr. Cochran of Missouri, the Sulzer resolution was voted down, 32 to 35, and the Randall resolution was then unanimously adopted.

WORKING ON CUBAN MEASURE. To Have the Bill Framed Ready for

Action Thursday.

WASHINGTON, March 20.-Chairman Payne of the ways and means committee stated today that he would frame the reciprocity treaty, as decided upon at the republican conference

last night, during the day, and would introduce it probably tomorrow. The bill will have two sections. The first will give the president authority to negotiate a reciprocity agreement cessions on all goods. The second secattempts to relieve her having failed. tion will cover the so-called Sibley amendment limiting the reciprocity period to December 1, 1903. Mr. Payne has not yet decided when

the bill will be brought before the committee in order to be reported to

Evans Denies the Report WASHINGTON, March 20.-Commissioner of Pensions Evans was shown a dispatch from Birmingham. Ala.. to the effect that a special from ersonal friends there of Pension Commissioner H. Clay Evans claim to have information that President Roosevelt will make him secretary of the Interior. "There is absclutely no foundation for the report," said Commissioner Evans.

Porto Ricans Contribute.

CLEVELAND, March 20.-Thourial. Gov. Hunt, in a letter received from Ryerson Ritchie, national secretary, reports that \$1,497.42 has been raised in the Island and the number some one in each town to receive the over 10 cents.

Rate, and Repels Trampt. Dick Branning's pet rattlesnake is the chief curiosity of Deep Hollow Pa. Last spring, when Branning was blasting bluestone rocks on the mountains, a great mass of rattlesnakes was thrown up high into the air by the discharge of dynamite. Nearly all

of the serpents were killed outright,

but one of the biggest of the lot es-

caped with serious wounds. Branning, out of curiosity picked up left Denver because society would not this rattler, carried it to the house open its doors to them. and placed it in a box of cotton, and was delighted to see it recover. When WASHINGTON, March 20 .- The the stage of convalescence had passed, the snake crawled about the yard, house, where it soon became a pet. It was named Pete. The big snake the American people for the strug- ished upon it, and endeavored to show baby for hours by shaking its rattlers and it will twist itself in many ways

> Pete has become a famous rattler, and not a rodent dare approach the house. When a tramp or pedaler approaches he will coil himself up on the intruders invariably retreat.

for the edification of the family.

One night last week Mr. Branning and his wife were suddenly awakened by Pete's loud rattling. The snake had crawled upon the bed and gave unmistakable evidence that something choice between two resolutions, one was wrong. Mr. Branning immediateoffered by Mr. Randall of Texas and ly hastened down stairs, where he the other by Mr. Sulzer of New York. found a barrel of rubbish in flames, threatening the building with destruction. Pete had discovered the state of affairs and given the alarm, Mr. Branning has been offered a big price for his queer pet, but it is not for sale.

WHY WE RESEMBLE ROOKS.

and Feathered Bipeds. He was standing in the rear end of

"I'm from England," he said, dressing nobody in particular and apropos of nothing, "and I want to bas introduced a bill for the colnage tell you people that we are only a of the silver bullion in the treasury lot of rooks. Say, did you ever watch purchased under the act of July 14 a colony of rooks build their nests in 1892, into subsidiary silver voin. the spring?

Everybody looked reflectively away. "Well, I'll tell you. First a rook picks up a stick and puts it in his nest, then goes away after another When he's gone another rook flies to his nest and steals the stick. When he gets back he puts down the second stick, for still another rook to steal, and starts after the first stick. He doesn't find it, and when he gets back to his nest he finds the second stick gone, and he starts after that, scolding aind swearing in rook fash-

been robbed, too, and it only takes It is said \$1,500 was taken from the about three sticks to go around the safe. community and get the whole bramed colony pow-wowing. Say, ain't that human nature?"

Everybody looked away reflectively. New York Press.

His Grateful First Client. When Henry C. Smith of Michigan started to practice law he had as his first client a negro, and he won the case. The hearing was before a local magistrate,and the charge was stealing a ring. As his client had employment on a farm outside the town where Smith first hung up his shingle, the young lawyer is said to have taken the precaution of hiring a carriage and riging out to the farmer, where he secured promise of the negro's wages for

a few days as his retainer. "I made an eloquent plca," said Mr. Smith yesterday in recounting the proceedings of that case. "I did not fail to ring the changes on the downtrodden race and all that sort of thing. wih the result that my client went free. Still, I had a sort of lingering suspicion that the verdict was certain- to the Boer war. ly all my man deserved, and when the him. He continued to haunt my of-

around with the boys?' I said finally. in some impatience.

"'Deed, boss, I thought yo' fee war too small, an' I want yer to accept in Panama war taxes of \$70 000 and "And the negro produced from his jeans the ring which he had been supposed to have stolen." But Mr. Smith refused to accept the

proffer of stolen goods.

"I was doing some short runs on the It stood at 8,997. His fare ran it up the government's action in throwing to 8,998. He gave a start when another passenger got in and the bel! announced 8,999. You know we pick up but few from here to the Ridge.

watched him. He was awfully nervous. He moved and twitched and once changed sides. Well, we stopped at the end of the route, and still the register said 8,999. He came up to me. handing me a nickel, and said: 'Ring that up.' 'Why, you paid me,' I said. Finally he coaxed me, telling me was for luck. I rang up 9,000, and he got off the car as happy as a big sunflower. I have learned since that it's onsidered lucky to be on a car when the register shows a combination end- peril.

Foul Air in Rooms. The tollowing, from a London paper, Science Siftings, shows the importance ments, especially in the evening.

hunch."-Philadelphia Record.

ing in three naughts. It's a new

"That the amount of oxygen in a room is decreased alarmingly by our methods of illumination the following simple statements show: A man may sands of Porto Ricans have contrib exist for an hour in a fair-sized room uted to the McKinley national men.o hermetically sealed if he has no light burning. Place a lighted candle in that he shortened by fifteen minutes. If he der to make himself more comfortable with additional light, he would live only half an hour. If he had two good gas burners he would scarcely have

live more than five minutes."

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

Former owners of the old Fort Omaha site will sue to recover the land from the government.

Hugh O'Neili is dead in New York, aged 59. He founded one of the largest dry goods houses of the city. It is announced that King Edward will give 500,000 dinners to the London poor during the week following

vember, when he will have reached his 70th birthday. His health is poor. The duke of Loubet has endowed the College of France with an annuity of 6,000 francs for the maintenance of a professorship for the study of

American antiquities. General Fitzhugh Lee, former consul general at Havana, was presented to both legislative houses of Ohio by Governor Nash, and thanked the

The Irishmen of Chicago did not celebrate St. Patrick's day, beyond the wearing of green and individual observances. The parades of former

years were abandoned. Secretary Root announced that General Funston would be assigned to the command of the Department of the Colorado, as soon as his present fur-

William Gardner and Eugene Hulin, wealthy cattlement of Texas, met in opened fire. Gardner was killed. An

The Twenty-second regiment, now at Fort Crook, will be recruited to its

Charges have been filed with the civil service commission against Postmaster Coyne of Chicago by T. W. Wittner, a former employe, discharged, he alleges, "for political reasons." At Marrisa, Ill., safe crackers blew open in the safe in the Commercial hotel, causing a conflagration which "By this time the other thieves have did damage to the extent of \$60,000.

> Otto Pfieiderer of the theological vard university to deliver a course of lectures before the divinity school in the spring of 1903.

A private cablegram received in

Democratic members of congress have numerously signed a petition

case was over I wanted to be rid of ton arrived in Washington, accompanied by Lieutenant B. J. Mitchell, his aide. The general's purpose was mainly to pay his respects to Presi-

> \$30,000 were imposed upon the liberal residents of Panama and Colon respectively. These taxes are the cor-

open their lands last summer.

A five days' quarantine against all vessels sailing from Hong Kong is be

cholera scourge at Hong Kong. A plot has been unearthed at Vienna to blow up the Austro-Hungarian war ships, Hapsburg and Arpad. A large amount of dynamite was recently stolen at Trieste, and a secret letter stated that the ships were in

The republican steering committee of the senate decided to give the first place in the order of business in the senate, after disposing of the pending business, to the oleomargarine bill. of securing pure air in dwelling apart- and to allow that to be followed by the Chinese exclusion bill.

The general immigration bill prepared by Chairman Shattue of the committee on immigration and naturalization and accepted by that committee, was by him reported to the house with the recommendation that

Lady Rodney, a cousin of the diske of Marlborough, has instituted preccedings for divorce against her husband, George Bridges Harley Bennett Rodney, seventh Baron Redney. The funds and no contribution was to be time to make his will, for he would not particulars in the case have not trans-

Mrs. Mary Dugdale of Omaha was knocked from a street car and killed. The cold wave that swept the north was also severely felt in the southern

Twelve millionaires, it is said, have

the coronation.

Andrew W. White. American ambassador to Germany, will retire in Ne-

bodies for the honor.

lough shall have expired.

old feud caused the trouble. Representative Hill of Connecticut

full strength of 104 men for each company. At present there are only thirty-seven men to each company.

Edward S. Doney, a newspaper man, dropped dead of heart disease in a room of the New York Press club. He was 43 years old and was the real estate editor of the New York

faculty of the University of Berlin has accepted an invitation from Har-

Baltimore announced the death at Naples of General Clinton P. Payne, a prominent financier of that city. General Payne was formerly active in democratic politics in Maryland.

asking Representative Hay, the caucus chairman, to call a caucus on the 19th to formulate a policy in reference Brigadier General Frederick Funs-

dent Roosevelt and Secretary Root. By a government decree published

responding shares of the tax of \$750. 000 imposed upon the department of Panama by the national government. The district court of appeals at Washington overruled a motion for a rehearing made by Delos K. Lotewolf, chief of the Kiowa and Comanche Inand I spotted him by chance, and no- dians in Oklahoma, and his associates ticed that his eyes glistened as he in their case against the secretary gazed up at the register at the front. of the interior looking to overturning

Sir Richard Temple, former gover-

ing enforced at Manila, owing to the

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