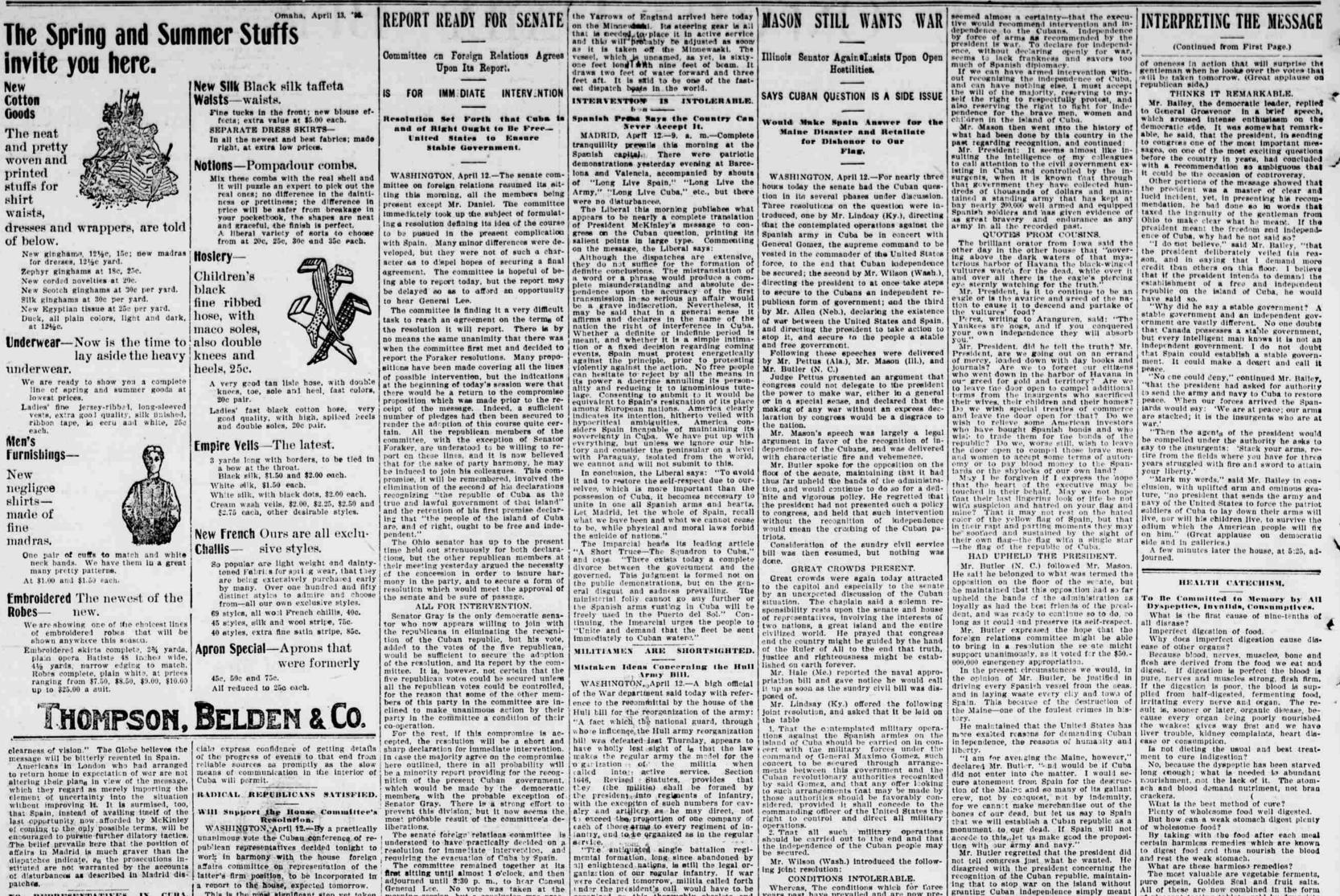
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REPRESENTATIVES IN CUBA This Government Will Have Difficulty

in Securing Information. WASHINGTON, April 12 .- Inquiry at the State department elleits the fact that the United States has no representatives in Cuba upon whom it can depend for information as to the progress of events on that island and that it will be compelled to rely, until other arrangements are made, upon the representattycs of the Spanish government for information in that line.

According to an official at that department the British consular officers in Cuba are the barbarities of the war; a vigorous refurned over to them on the departure of the American representatives on Saturday and Took after the interests of Americans atill on the island who may apply to them

for projection or redress. It is said to be no part of their duty to keep the United States State department informed of the political or other conditions the isbind, and the department will not call on them for any special information, unlest, it becomes absolutely necessary by tress of circumstonces. It is more than probable, however, that if

anything important should happen in which the United States has a direct interest that the British consular officers might consider it an act of friendship or comity to bring it attention of the secretary of state, either through the London foreign office the British ambas ador at Washington. office or

This roundabout way of getting information, involving as it would considerable demight prove embarrossing if the nature of the circumstances were such as to require promot action

Notwithstanding this apparent lack of faellities for obtaining official information of affairs on the island, the officials of the administration express belief in their ability to keep informed on the progress of events in Cuba, especially with reference to the

Although the general impression is that Only forby passengers are on its list, which hostilities on the island.

which should have prompt and careful

the insurgents are not at all likely to accept is one quarter the number generally carried the proposed armistice, the department offi- at this time of the year.

tions, itching and burning hives, just as surely indicate impurities in the blood. This cure is characteristic of

republican members, whose course has been toward radical action. They were in session for one hour today at the adjournment of the touse and after some vigorous speeches and the submission of a report on how the foreign affairs committee stood, decided that they would be satisfied with the report from the foreign affairs committee, if it made no change in the position it announced to the steering committee, substantially as follows: A preamble reciting the conditions in Cuba, consisting largely of quotations from

the president's message, which constitutes a scathing arraignment of Spanish mi-rule and the United States consulates resolutions authorizing, empowering and di-to them on the departure of the recting the president to intervene at once for the purpose of restoring peace and or-der, and the establishment of a firm, stable and independent government on the island of Cuba, with the free consent of the people of the island, and empowering the president

to employ the army and navy forces of the United States for this purpose. Movements of Naval Vessels.

NEW YORK, April 12 .- The auxiliary torpedo boat destroyer Mayflower left the Brook.

lyn nevy yard at an early hour and passed out Sandy Hook at 8:55 this morning. It is bound to Newport, R. L. to take on torpedoes. HALIFAX, N. S., April 12.-The United States war ships San Francisco cod New Orleans sailed at 9 o'clock this morning for New They took on board 250 tons of coal York. at this port.

As soon as the war ships were well down the barbor they put on full speed and were soon out of sight. The officers were enter-tained at the various city clubs last night. Orders to hurry to New York, it is ascer-tained, caused Commodore Howell to countermand his order for a full supply of coal.

Paris Will Sail as Usual.

Spring Humors

That pimple on your arm, those erup- | degree. As a spring blood purifier and | great medicine and earnestly

NEW YORK, April 12 -- The American line developments which may arise from the steamship Paris. It is announced will sail proposition of Spain for the cossation of as usual tomorrow. It is loading freight and steamship Paris, it is announced will sail of the country."

This is the most significant step yet taken morning session, but a conclusion was pracby the body of about three score aggressive i lically reached. The formal vote was not taken, but the committee knew what its report would be when it adjourned at noon. The result was not, however, made public, The best information obtainable is that it will be a declaration for immediate intervention by the United States, and that no action on the of the island by the Spanish forces will sat. isfy this country. It is also believed that there is an indirect recognition of the right of the Cutans to freedom and independence. SENATE RESOLUTIONS. The committee's conclusion, so fac'ss a co

lusion has been reached it to report all the Foraker resolution except the second section together with a strong preamble reciting the Maine disester as cause for deep vesentmer on the part of this government. Unless the committee changes its decision the following, in addition to the preamble, are resolutions which will be reported by the mmittee

1. That the people of the island of Cuba are, and of right ought to be, free and in-2. That the war Spain is waging against

2. That the war span is waging against Cuba is so destructive of the commercial and property interests of the United States and so cruel, barbarous and inhuman in its character as to make it the duty of the United States to demand, and the govern-ment of the United States hereby does de-mand that share at one withdraw her land mand, that she at once withdraw her land and naval forces from Cuba and Cuban ". That the president of the United States be, and he is hereby authorized, empow-ered and directed to use if necessary, the entire land and naval forces of the United State of the United States

order.'

States to carry these resolutions into effect. Carlos May Take a Hand. LONDON, April 12 .- According to a spe cial dispatch from Venice, Don Carlos, the pretender to the Spanish throne, has de clared his intention to "hold aloof from hos tile manifestations so long as the Spanish government upholds the honor of the na-tion," otherwise he will "take the steps he deems necessary to support the dignity

Dispatch Boat from Yarrows. NEW YORK, April 12 .- A new dispat boat, which the government bought fro

gan'zed on this thoroughly obsolete and vicious plan. Hence selfish, no less than patriotic motives, should induce the national guard to work for a law which gives to the regular infantry an organization that takes ecount of the far-reaching changes wrough by molern weapons of war. That the Hull bill provides such an organization cannot be part of Spain short of the evacuation questioned. It gives, moreover, to the company a numerical strength (ordinarily not intended to exceed 155 men) less than which experience has demonstrated to be unsafe. Every one who has participated in a cam-plign of any length, whether resulting in

a tual conflict with the enemy or not, must have been impressed with the fact that the dwindling down of companies from casualtics below a minimum workable size is a potent cause of disintegration and ineffectiveness. For this evil the Hull bill supplies an effecturil remedy and the national guard, no less than the regular army, is deeply conerced in bringing about its adoption. miser prehensions in congress relative to the entage of a company of 250 men border or the grotesque. A member estimated that it would be from three to four miles. It must be remembered that the company is formed in two or three echelons, according as it contitutes part of a battelion, or acts independent, and the fighting of a company does not necessarily mean twice its front in close

FEARS OF OUTBREAK IN HAVANA

Volunteers Unable to Prevent an Uprising.

KEY WEST, Fla., April 12 .- Great interat is felt here in the preparations made by the government officials to land the troops in Cuba should such a step become neces ary. An officer of high rank with the fleet, when questioned on the subject today, said that while he was not aware of any such arrangements having been made, he presumed the necessary steps in that direc-tion had been taken. He added that the fleet itself could not transport a sufficient number of mon to make an efficient landing Therefore, transports must be pro party. vided, as it will be necessary to disembark a strong force of troops in Cuba, failing in which, the first few shots fired are likely to be the signal for rioting in the city of

Havana and elsewhere, notably in the provinces of Matacizad and Pinar del Rio, in which case many lives will be sacrificed. A Spaniard of position said to an English-man just before the latter left Havana on Saturday lasts WAs soon as the certainty of war is known there, there surely will b such a demonstration as Havana has never before known. Isdread to think of the con before known. Indread to think of the con-sequences to difs and property. Many of the volunteers are mere lads of 13 or 14 years. They have fiever handled rifles until re-cently, and they have no idea how to thandle them property. These boys, even if they wanted to do so, could not keep their rifles out of the hands of the rebels. The government cannot furnish protection and we shall be fortunate if we are able to save

our ekins. Dispatches received this morning from the Sand Key fleet shows that quiet prevai's on these war³ ships, but officers and men to these war series, but onceres and men believe that they will mest certainly be off to Havana very suddenly. The work of cosing and watering so that the ships may start with full supplies, is progressing, but such operations, could be stopped instantly were orders rereived for the fleet to move.

Colored Soldiers En Route South. ST. PAUL, April 12 .- Four companies of the Twenty-fifth infantry, U. S. A., arrived today over the Great Northern and will be joined this afternoon by four other com-panies coming over the Northern Pacific. As soon as possible after the arrival of the sec-

ond detachment, the regiment will be trans-ferred to the Chicago-Great Western and hurried on to the Chickamauga park camp at hattanooga

Naval Reserve Goes on Duty. NEW YORK, April 12.-The first battalion t the Naval Reserves of New York started today for the League Island navy yard. They lef; over the Pennsylvania railroad in three special cars. The 102 men who make up the battalion were wild with enthusiaam. They will do duty on board the monitor Nahant, which they will bring back to guard New York harbor

whereas, the conditions which for the values of the states in the Island of Cuba have become intolerable to the people of the United States; therefore, be it Resolved, That the president of the United States is empowered and directed to take at once such steps as may be necessary to put an end to hostilities in the Island of Cuba and to secure to the inhabitants of that island a stable and independent republican form of government, and the stock tickers to clicking merrily, and tants of that island a static and independ-ent republican form of government, and the president of the United States is em-powered and directed to use if necessary the land and naval forces of the United States to make this joint resolution efcauses smiles to spread over the countenance of Wall street gamblers. "Within a few hours, I hope, we will be called on to vote on a definite proposition. The latest one I voted on with pleasure. I voted for the \$50,000,000 emergency appro-

ective At Mr. Wilson's request the resolution was referred to the foreign relations committee. Following this came a resolution from Mr. Allen (Neb.), declaring that a state of war existed between the United States and Spain. It was as follows: against humanity and freedom and inde-

Spain. It was as follows: That a state of war exists between the United States of America and the kingdom of Spain, and that the political existence and national independence of the Republic of Cuba, now and for some time maintained by force of arms, is hereby recognized. That the president is empowered and di-rected to take at once such effectual steps as may be necessary to secure an immedi-ate termination of hostilities in Cuba and an independent and stable government by the people thereof and to enable him to carry out the purposes of this resolution he is hereby empowered and directed to use the land and naval forces of the United is hereby empowered and directed to the land and naval forces of the United

fer of responsibility to congress, the White The resolution went over under the rules. Pascoe (Fig.) presented a joint resolu-Mr. House was well nigh deserted today by the tion directing the president to use not to ex usual contingent from the capitol. There ceed \$5,000 of the fund appropriated by con was an air of expectancy appargress to relieve American citizens in Cuba ent about the White House as to for the relief of American citizens and others who have recently landed in Florida from what course the two houses of con-gress would take. Few public men put in Cuba. He explained that while the citizens of Florida were doing all in their power to an appearance. Representative Low of New York piloted a party of early comers. Mrs. Day, wife of the essistant secretary of state, assist the refugees, their means were limited. The resolution was agreed to,

POWER TO DECLARE WAR.

and Mrs. Dawes, wife of comptroller of the currency, were the first persons to reach the Mr. Pettus (Ala.) presented a legal argu-ment upon the authority of congress and the White House today, and after greeting Mrs. McKinley just after breakfast, joined president under the constitution in declaring latter's party of young women guests in a prosecuting a war. Congress alone, he drive. Representative Lacey of Iowa was the first congressman to see the president, and his mission was as chairman of the house said, has power to declare war, but has not authority to delegate this power to the presi-dent or any officer. If war is to be waged committee on public lands to consult the congress must order what shall be the na president regarding some land matters needture of the war declared, and as commandering early attention. One of the president's callers after leav in-chief of the army and navy the president must carry on the war as directed by con-gress and in no other way. "Yet, what are we advised to do?" inquired Mr. Pettus. "If you boil the words down to their true meaning the White House said that the presiden has a feeling of greater confidence that there will be some satisfactory settlement of the Cuban affair without resort to open hostilling it is evident that we are advised to delegate to the president the power to interties. He believes, this gentleman said, the sincerity of the Spanish government vene and make war if he sees fit, without ary its position now taken looking to reformdeclaration of war at all. War made in such ing the condition of affairs in Cuba, and that such results may be achieved by steps a manner, without a declaration of congress would be a disgrace to the nation to be taken by Spain as to avert what he has at times believed to be inevitable. When Mr. Pettus had concluded Mr. Aller

endeavored to secure the passage of a bill just received from the house. To this Mr. Senator Warren of Wyoming had a talk with the president during the forenoon. He Mason (III.), who had announced his speech came on a personal mission. He said he was inclined to doubt the real intentions of Spain, a the Cuban situation, objected. "I had hoped," suggested Mr. Allen, "that

would yield. Hostilities will not the senator begin today." "I am not so sure of that." retorted Mr

favored deliberation. When a nation goes to war, he added, it should exercise the greatest caution to place itself on such a solid basis as to furnish the most satisfactory grounds Mason, "as the senator from Nebraska seems to be.

for consideration of powers outside two participating nations in the Lindsay (Ky.) gave notice that h Mr. would tomorrow address the senate on his resolution. Mr. Mason then proceeded with his speech. He had prepared it carefully and Whether there would be war in the light of the present situation he did not say, but if confined himself closely to his manuscript. His epeech was a legal argument in favor of the recognition by this government of the independence of the Cuban republic. Mr. it was unavoidable he advocated waiting long enough, despite catural denunciation and disto satisfy any doubting nation. Senator Eikins of West Virgina, Represent-Mason was accorded the closest attention by ative Landis of Indiana and Representative Barrett of Massachusetts were among the senators

MASON IS STILL FOR WAR.

Mr. Mason said in substance: day. As before announced to you in language which could not be misunderstood, I am for war, and have been since the nour our flag was lowered in Havana harbor and the lives of our citizens taken by the govern-ment of Spain. But I am and have been for this declara-tion of war only as a means of securing an

But I am and have been for this declara-tion of war only as a means of securing an honorable peace. I have no desire to de-stroy the Spanish nation, but its flag must be dishonored by surrendering its gov-ereignity over Cuban territory as an atone-ment for lowering our flag, sinking our ship and murdering our men. While I am for war, I realize that I have but one poor vote in the war-making power of this government, and I stand ready in this house to uphold the hands of the ex-ecutive and take the best I can get. I have been indulging in a nope that ship news reporters with the statement that he saw the Spanish flotilia at the Canary islands, and "they are coming over to smash your crockery." WASHINGTON, April 12 .- The house was very quiet today, and after a brief reference to Cuba by Representative Bailey of Texas

the crushing of the Cuban patriots. "Why did General Lee hurry to Washing-n?" inquired Mr. Butler. "We were inunder the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tabton ?"

A house bill extending the time for the

consideration of the sundry civil bill

construction of a bridge over the Missouri near Council Bluffs and Omaha was passed.

At 3:55 the senate went into executive see

WHITE HOUSE NO LONGER MECCA

Interest Now Centers in the Action of

Congress.

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content at delay, to make up a complete case

Says the Flotilla is Coming.

House Starts Off Quietly.

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WASHINGTON, April 12 .- With the trans-

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was then resumed.

sion and at 4:45 adjourned.

ets. Are these tablets superior to the various formed that he would have to get out of liquid preparations, so-called dyspepsia Havana before the president's message was read. Yet here comes a message that causes the Spaniards to build bonfires and starts ures Most decidedly, because all liquid medi-

cines become stale with age and lose ever good qualities they may have had originally, while the tablet retains its properties indefinitely. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets can be carried in the pocket, always at hand can be carried in the pocket, always at hand ready for use when traveling or at daily oc-cupation. They cost but 50 cents and should be kept in every family. They keep the digestion perfect and save doctor's bills by warding off disease. Are Stuart's Dyspensia Tablets adapted to all forms of dyspensia? priation. I am ready to vote for \$200,000,000 to avenge the Maine and to free Cuba, but I'll not vote to expend a dollar for env doubtful policy, and I'll not vote for any scheme to protect Cuban bondholders, as

All of these are now combined in the form

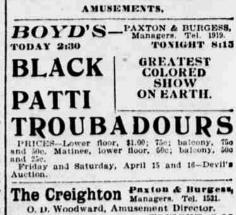
f pleasant tasting tablets, sold by druggists

to all forms of dyspepsia? Yes, because in all cases the trouble re-

ults from indigested, fermenting food, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets cause the food to be digested before it has time to ferment. If you wish to know more about them ask your druggist for a package and try them.

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A Social Highwayman. Specialties-Alice Shaw and Twin Daughters nd The Midgleys.

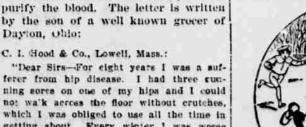
GUILL'S CONCERT GARDEN.

GUILL'S CONCERT GARDEN. Southeast corner 16th and Davenport. Commenc-ing April 4. Music by Nordine's Orchestra. Program-Paul L. Kleist, Musical King, in ar-tistic and comical clever musical act, John Richards and Pauline Parker, eccentric comedy sketch artists, in their new and original act, entitled "The Rain-Maker." McCarthy and Reina, in their plantation sketch, entitled "Coon-ville Courtship." introducing Tumbling and Buck Dancing. Overture, orchestra. Flowers & Camleon, upto-date songs. Miss May Dayton, in song and dances and also buck dancing. Misa Myrtle Reina, coon medieys. Doors open at 7:30 p. m. Performance begins at \$309. Matines Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. few who put in an appearance during the

HOTELS.

NEW YORK, April 12 .- The British steamer Taaf arrived today from Port An--HOTEL BARKERtonio with a cargo of fruit. Captain Can-COR. 13TH AND JONES ST., OMAHA. robert, on arrival at Quarantine greeted the Electric cars direct to exposition grounds.

> THE MILLARD 13th and Douglas Sts., Omaha, CENTRALLY LOCATED.



ning sores on one of my hips and I could no: wa'k across the floor without crutches, which I was obliged to use all the time in getting about. Every winter 1 was worse and was confined to my bed 6 or 7 weeks at a time. I finally began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and it has made a perfect cure I feel confident it saved my life.

I Am Now Well

attention, as do boils, carboucles, ulcers, salt rheum and the severest forms of scrofula. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures all with my hip since being cured by Hood's healed; I have a good appetite, am strong, and feel that Hood's Sarsaparilla has given being cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla has given being cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla has given being cured by Hood's Hood's Sarsaparilla has given being cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla has given be



Is America's Greatest Medicine, because it cures when all others fail. Be sure to get Hood's



