WASHINGTON, May 11-The

sent to Major General E. S. Otis, command-

ing the Department of the Colorado at Den-

ver, who has just recently been released from duty as president of the court-martial

which tried Captain O. M. Carter of the

engineer corps. Orders to General Otis di-

rect him to report to General Merritt for

duty under his direction in the Philippine

islands. General Otis will be second in

ommand and will act as military governor

of the islands in case of the absence or

Since the War.

Saturday. The men will be ready to start

the following day and will reach their destinations three days after leaving the

military camps in New York, New Jersey,

New Hampshire, Vermont, Connecticut

This will be the greatest movement of

troops since the civil war. In all there will

be twenty-five full regiments of infantry,

four batteries of artillery and two troops o

partment may have some effect on the con

Clyde and Morgan lines, for which arrange-

ments were made by Colonel Rimstall or

Tuesday. Railroad men estimate that it

will take at least 1,000 cars and ninety

engines to make up the trains to transpor

WOMEN HAVE A DESIRE TO AID

Resolved, That the board of management

Resolved, That we recommend that the

members of our society in every portion of the union, take immediate steps to the end

that we be ready to serve our country in

be delivered to the president with the as-surance that the members of our society are

ready and anxious to do everything in their power to support and assist him in the

great and responsible work with which he

is charged and ready and willing to re-spond to any suggestions he may be pleased to make.

Troops Go by Boat. NEW YORK, May 12.—Major Tillinghast

has received word from Washington that the

First regiment has been ordered to go south

this afternoon or tonight. The regiment will

MOUNT GRETNA, Pa., May 12.-The

Fourth and Sixteenth regiments, Penn-

sylvania volunteers, received marching

orders today. They will leave camp at 8

o'clock tonight for New York, and will there

embark on steamers for the south. The

other regiments will follow soon afterwards

Rain Relieves Water Famine.

KEY WEST, May 12.-Dispatch boats

which have arrived here from the blockading

fleet report that everything was quiet about

Havana yesterday. The British steamer

Colvin was permitted to go in and out of

the harbor during the day. The Mascotte

getting out. Very heavy rainfall here last

night. The cisterns are now filled and the

TODAY'S WEATHER FORECAST

Increasing Cloudiness, with Possible

Showers in Western Portions,

and Southensterly Winds.

WASHINGTON, May 12.-Forecast for

Friday:
For Nebraska and South Dakota—Increasing cloudiness, possibly showers in western portion; southeasterly winds.
For Kansas and Missouri—Increasing cloudiness; easterly winds.

cloudiness; easterly winds.
For Iowa—Fair weather; variable winds, becoming southeasterly.
For Wyoming—Partly cloudy weather, possibly local showers; southeasterly winds.

Local Record.

Seventy-fifth Meridian time

STATIONS AND STATE OF

Omaha, clear
North Platte, raining.
Salt Lake, cloudy
Cheyenne, partly cloudy
Rapid City, cloudy
Huron, partly cloudy
Chicago, clear
Williston, clear
St. Louis, clear
St. Paul, partly cloudy
Davenport, clear

Davenport, clear
Helena, raining
Kansas City, partly cloudy
Havre, partly cloudy
Bismarck, clear
Galveston

T indicates trace of precipitation.
L. A. WELSH,
cal Forecast Official.

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WEATHER. TOLL

water famine is averted.

probably go by boat to Tampa.

following resolutions were adopted:

Massachusetts and Maine.

isability of General Merritt.

Pacific coast and far western states.

San Francisco.

MUSTERS IN WITH ITS OWN OFFICERS

Starts Overland to Camp Saunders to Be Sworn Into Service.

LINCOLN, May 12.—(Special Telegram.)-The difficulty with the Grand Island company was adjusted this morning. The govto put in its officers selected from among Mrs. Will Lawlin, Lincoln, for two years; the old members of the company. This concession was made late last night and this morning the members of the company went up to the mustering offices and were sworn in in due form. Captain Roeder reconsidered his resignation and was mustered in with his company. The other officers appointed by the governor are: Charles Perry, first lieutenant, and Chauncy Nusz, second lieutenant. The appointment of these men would have been satisfactory to the men of the company from the first, but the trouble arose over the appointment of a university as first lieutenant. selection of an outsider as an officer, coupled with the disappointment in having two old officers rejected by the medical board, led

Eight members of company M decided that they did not want to become soldiers and asked for their discharges. Of these five were boys from Grand Island. Fiftyseven members of the company went up and took the oath. As they marched back to their headquarters they were given hearty cheers by the boys of the other com-

#### Clothing Equipment Arrives.

A large number of boxes were received this afternoon, containing the campaign hats, stockings, shoes and woolen blankets for the two regiments. These supplies are under charge of Quartermaster Lieutenant Williamson of the Eighth cavalry, U. S. A., who will issue them to the companies. No canvas suits have been received and the quartermaster says none have been ordered sent here. A few more tents are needed and will be procured as soon as possible The new supplies received are being stored in the Mercantile hall of the fair grounds occupying part of the room heretofore used in the mustering of the companies.

The muster and inspection of the regi ments took place on the parade ground this afternoon, lasting from 12 to 4:30 o'clock. The roll was called in each company and as the men stepped forward they were inspected in turn, their arms and other equipment also being examined. Those without uniforms or guns were sent back to the camp to be fitted out later.

The supplies now furnished by the com missary department are decidedly superior to the goods furnished under the contracts made by the state. The bread and meat is of the same quality, no complaint ever having been made on this score. The coffee is now real coffee, the potatoes are better than before and the other entables are of uniform good quality. The wood furnished the camp has been all right since The Bee exposed the green cottonwood deal a week

Stromsburg Boys Disappointed. The citizens of Stromsburg have a crow

to pick with the state government. Yester day afternoon when it seemed that the Grand Island company was about to be mustered out the governor and the adjutant general authorized V. E. Wilson, one of the state bank examiners, to go to Stromsburg and bring down a company that has been organized there. Wilson went to Stromsburg and this morning, receiving no furthe word from the governor, loaded forty men on the train and came to Lincoln. When the Stromsburg boys arrived here they arned that the trouble Island company had been fixed up during the evening. The governor forgot to notify the Stromsburg company 67 the change in the program and as a consequence they are out of pocket the expense of coming on the wild goose chase. There was still plenty of room to enlist in squads in the various companies today, but the Stromsburg company had its own officers and had no desire to divide up and all go in as privates in other companies.

Captain Culver's Company.

Troop A, Captain Culver's company, took up the march from Milford for Camp Saunders at 3 o'clock this afternoon. As about one-half the members of the troop are on foot they do not expect to reach here until some time tomorrow. The distance from Milford to Lincoln is about twenty miles. Second Regiment Officers.

Governor Holcomb tonight gave out the following roster of officers of the Second regiment: Colonel, Charles J. Bills; lieutenant colonel, Emil Olson; major, William Mapes; major, Ernest H. Tracy; adjutant, H. Myers; surgeon, Maurice A. Hoover; first assistant surgeon, M. A. Rebert; second

assistant surgeon, Lieutenant J. G. Marron; chaplain, Captain J. G. Tate. Company A-Captain, Albert E. Soderquist; first lieutenant, H. Hugh Sydenham; second lieutenant, Thomas F. Roddy. Company B-Captain, Hjalmar Gunmundsen; first lieutenant, James F. Devine; sec-

ond lieutenant, Kit J. Carson. Company C-Captain, William H. Hayner; second lieutenant, William H. Wiley. Company D-Captain, John W. McDonnell; first lieutenant, William F. Schultz; second lieutenant, John C. Hartigan.

Company E-Captain, Herbert O. Evans first lieutenant, Howard F. Jeffrey; second lieutenant, John F. Crau. Company F-Captain, Arthur E. Camp bell: first lieutenant, George E. Gascoigne; second lieutenant, William B. Clark.

Company G-Captain, Charles H. Wilson;

first Heutenant, James C. Kennedy; second lieutenant, Eli Hodgins. Company H-Captain, Allen F. Fisher; first lieutenant, Lafayette A. Dorrington; second lieutenant, Edward L. Godsoll.

Company I-Captain, Hugh Lamaster; first lieutenant, Frank L. Dinsmore; second lieutenant, John P. Long. Company K-Captain, Ernest H. Phelps:

first lieutenant, Charles G. Stewart; second lieutenant, Ernest H. Hooper. Company L-Captain, Frank H. Beals; first lieutenant, John W. McCleary; second lieutenant, Henry Allen.

Company M-Captain, George Roeber; first lieutenant, Orville Berry; second lieutenant, C. V. Nusz.

Notes of the Camp. Mrs. E. L. Van Valin of Nelson was vis-

iting at the headquarters of the Nelson Captain Fisher, company H, Second regi-ment, returned today from a professional

visit to Chadron. Four of the boys in the hospital were found to have the measles and were removed to the city hospital this afternoon. Company E, First regiment, was the first Guard, being a member of the Kearney com-

company to go on guard duty as Nebraska Volunteers. The Broken Bow company is on guard duty tonight. Mrs. F. B. Naracong, Mrs. Klenhem, Mrs.

COVERNOR YIELDS A POINT sector from the sanitary and relief commis-

Pythian Sisterhood. HASTINGS, Neb., May 12 .- (Special Telegram.)—The second day's session of the state meeting of the Pythian Sisterhood was held in Castle hall today and had a fair attendance. The morning was devoted to the election of officers for the ensuing year as follows: Past Grand Chancellor, Mrs. I. L. Strong, Holdrege; grand chancellor, Will Hopkins, Lincoln; grand prelate, Mrs. J. C. Williams, Hastings; grand mistress of exchequer, Mrs. William A. Dilworth, Lincoln; grand keeper of records and seals, Mrs. Harris Cline, Lincoln; grand mistress at arms, Mrs. Harry Brewer, Hastings; assistant grand mistress at arms, Mrs. George B. Tyler, Hastings; grand inner guard, Mrs J. Langston, Havelock; grand outer guard conceded to the company the right G. S. McHurlin, Havelock, for one year;

Mrs. J. M. Boyd, Hastings; trustees, Mrs. Sallie Urquhart, Hastings, for three years. The newly elected officers were duly in stalled in the afternoon. Tonight the women and their friends met in Castle hall, where a brief but interesting program was gone through with. Judge William R. Burton de livered a fine address of welcome, which was followed by a few brief remarks from visiting delegates. After a social program had been gone through with those present adjourned to the Lepine hotel, where an elegant banquet was spread. The next assembly will be held at Lincoln in May, 1899.

COLUMBUS, Neb., May 12.-(Special.)-A sealed verdict was handed in in the case o the State against Frank Williams and Earl Hutchiss, who were charged with the burglary of Arnold Abts' saloon Sunday evening. It was opened this morning in open court and was found to be for acquittal and the defendants were promptly discharged. The case of the State against John Galligan, charged with mayhem, is on trial today. It

promises to be very sensational. Ex-Chief Justice A. M. Post presented esolutions to Judge Albert yesterday, asking that as a mark of respect to John Huber, who has been one of the bailiffs here for over twenty years, that court be adjourned for the afternoon, so all might have chance to attend the funeral of Mr. Huber's son, Charles. Court was accordingly adjourned. Charles Huber was 43 years of age and was only recently brought home from California in the last stages of con-

sumption. The city council has recently concluded o enforce an old ordinance which has for ears been a dead letter and an incumbrance on the records, in regard to establishing a rock pile for the exclusive use of vagrants. It has accordingly purchased a couple of cars of rock and will in a day or so be ready to turn out the finished product as fast as the hoboes show up.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., May 12 .- (Special.)-William Fenton of Dawson, a prominent free silver republican, yesterday closed a deal for the Humboldt Enterprise, the local democratic organ, and will take charge on Monday next. He will be assisted by Frank Killian, an Iowa newspaper man. Under the new management the Enterprise wil continue to support fusion and free silver The poles and other material have arived and the work of putting in the local

completion The funeral of Mrs. Creighton Morris tool place from the family residence today, Rev. Mr. Meek preaching the sermon. The Knights and Ladies of Security and Degree of Honor had charge of the obsequies and an immense crowd was in attendance.

telephone system will be rapidly pushed to

Calvin Happas, the young soldier who was eriously injured near DeWitt on Sunday and who was reported dead in yesterday dailies, was brought to his home, several miles southeast of this city, yesterday in a critical condition. How the injury was received is still a mystery.

Child Burned to Death. ASHLAND, Neb., May 12.-(Special Telegram.)-Claud Enlow, the 2-year-old son of John Enlow, was burned to death at the home of his parents in East Ashland before noon today. The other two children were playing in the door while their mother had gone to the barn to shell some corn and the little boy was asleep in the bed room. The house caught fire, it is thought through the carelessness of the children playing with matches and was totally destroyed, together with its entire contents. The house was too far away from a hydrant to make a connection with the city water works in time to save it. The property was owned by Mrs. William N. Becker, jr., and was insured for \$150 in the Home Fire Insurance company of Omaha. There was no nsurance on the stock. This afternoon s subscription was circulated and over \$70 in cash, besides food and provisions, were secured for the benefit of Mr. Enlow, who is poor man and can illy stand the loss

He was not at home when the fire occurred. Beatrice's New School Superintendent BEATRICE, Neb., May 12.—(Special Telegram.)—J. W. Dinsmore of Lincoln was tolight elected superintendent of the city schools of Beatrice. Mr. Dinsmore has had a wide experience in school work, at pres Willard S. Harding; quartermaster, Frank ent being engaged as supervisor of the study room in the Lincoln High schools. He will be in Beatrice most of the summer prepar

ing for the opening of the term. Stromburg's Company Goes.

STROMSBURG, Neb., May 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Captain R. B. Beer received orders from Governor Holcomb last night to move the volunteer company from here to Lincoln. It left in a special car this morning. It takes the place of company ward; first lieutenant, Eugene Lester Platt- M of Grand Island. It numbers fiftyall single men. Its destination will probably be the Philippine islands. The town turned out to see the boys go.

Held for Trial.

TEKAMAH, Neb., May 12 .- (Special.)-Howard King, who was brought from Sioux City last week to answer to the charge of hog stealing here, was before the county court yesterday for a preliminary hearing and was bound over to the district court under \$750 bonds, and failing to furnish them he was returned to jail.

Killed on the Trail. GREELEY CENTER, Neb., May 12.-Special Telegram.)-A telegram was received here today by Postmaster W. E. Morgan that his son, Eph, had been killed on the Klondike trail by the caving in of an ice bridge over one of the passes. His remains will be sent back to York for inter-

Held for Trial.

GREELEY CENTER, Neb., May 12 .-(Special Telegram.)-John Dunn had his preliminary hearing today before Judge Barry on the charge of criminal assault or Louise Lund, the 14-year-old daughter of O. P. Lund. The judge bound the defendant over to the district court in \$1,000 bonds

Fatally Injured. MINDEN, Neb., May 12 .- (Special.) - Ar old man by the name of McDonald, living north of this city, was thrown from his died. His youngest son is in the National

Small Grain on the Boom. GRAFTON, Neb., May 12.—(Special.)-Mrs. F. B. Naracong, Mrs. Attended, Mrs. G. A. Spelts and daughter of David City, and Mrs. P. N. Demming and Mrs. A. T. Penney of Ulysses were visiting the David are promising.

## MUSTERING OFFICER'S WORK

General Feeling of Dissatisfaction at the Results Attained.

ARE SORE AGAINST STOTSENBERG

MEN

Widespread Belief that the Army Officer Used His Power to Secure Good Berths for Himself and Favorites.

LINCOLN. May 12 .- (Special.)-There is much dissatisfaction among the officers and men over the actions of Lieutenant Stotsenberg, the regular army officer who has had charge of the muster here and who has succeeded in getting a promotion for himself with the volunteer troops. There has been from the first a feeling that the regular army officers would seek to control all the volunteers, and this has led to many suspicions, whether justly or not, as to the conduct of Stotsenberg. It is said that several weeks ago when the lieutenant got notice that he was about to be ordered to leave his post at the university and join his regiment, he begged to be kept at Lincoln for awhile, as he stood a good chance of a substantial promotion in the voluntee army. At that time the governor had promised him a good place in case the Nebraska troops were called out.

The appointment of Stotsenberg as major in the First regiment necessitated the retirement of one of the old officers of the National Guard and the lessening of the chances of promotion of every officer in the regiment below that rank. Stotsenberg was first assigned to the Second regiment, but when it became certain that the First would be the earliest ordered out a place was made for the regular army officer in that regiment. This change was made before the list of appointments was made public, but the list itself as it came from the governor's office shows the erasures of the names and the change of Stotsenberg from the Second to the First regiment. This leads to the natural inference that the majors were slaughtered to make room for Stotsenberg.

The plan to colonize the companies with cadets and then promote the university boys over the heads of the old members of the companies, is also attributed to Stotsenburg. This plan was worked to a considerable extent and is said to be responsible for much of the trouble with the Grand Island company, where the first lieutenant was rejected apparently to make room for one of Stotsenberg's favorites who had just

foined the company. The unpopularity of the mustering officer has been increased by the report that he received the order yesterday from the War department to accept the officers appointed by the governor in spite of their physical defects, and that acting under advice of the governor the order was quietly pigeon-holed. One of the men says he saw the message when it was received by Stotsenberg, and the story is not doubted, as Congressman Strode had already wired to Colonel Bischof that the order would be made. Had the mustering officer followed the instruction all the rejected officers would have been reinstated. The matter was discretionary with the governor, however, and he seems to have preferred to stand by his last appoint ments and drop the rejected officers

SAW NOTHING OF THE BIG FLEET.

Cruiser Harvard Reaches Port After Scouting Expedition. NEW YORK, May 12 .- A dispatch from St. Pierre, Martinique, says: The United States auxiliary cruiser Harvard arrived at St Plerre Wednesday evening and anchored Inquiries made of the men on the cruiser brought out the statement that it had not yet sighted the Spanish Cape Verde islands fleet, though its cruise continued for several days and covered hundreds of miles around the points where the fleet would naturally have first appeared.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. C. P. Crawford of Topeka, Kan., is at the

Burlington Chief Dispatcher Eaton of Lincoln is in the city. B. Jackson of Des Mones, Ia., is stopping at the Barker. Daniel Monroe of Newcastle, Pa., is a

guest at the Barker. Charles H. Leonard, jr., of Orange, N. J. is registered at the Barker. Wood W. White and wife of North Platte are stopping at the Barker.

A. Rowan, a real estate man from Demapolis, Ala., is in Omaha on business, J. H. Millard and E. W. Nash returned last night from a business trip to h F. W. Gillett, manager of the Swift Packng company at Butte City, Mont., is in the

Superintendent P. J. Nichols of the Union Pacific returned last night from a trip to the western part of the state.

Mrs. John Field is visiting friends in Lincoln and will proceed later to Des Moines Ia., the home of her son, Nat Field. William F. Gule of Washington, D. C., in Omaha assisting in the installation of the government exhibits at the exposition. Nebraskans at hotels: W. H. Thompson

Mrs. H. H. Hake, Grand Island; M. V J. W. Deweese, A. J. Sawyer, G. M. Lambertson, Lincoln; J. J. McCarthy, Ponca; J. C. McDonough and wife, Ord; I. I. Barlaw, E. H. Robinson, Haigler; T. B. Hord and E. H. Robinson, Haigler; T. B. Hord and wife, Central City; H. A. Simons, C. G. Elmore, C. E. Dayton, F. H. Smith, Fred Rust and wife, Chadron; T. L. Ackerman, Stanton; J. F. Parkins, Weeping Water; A. C. Hosmer, Red Cloud; E. E. Mighell, Aurora; John J. Lamborn, Indianola; J. C. Gammill, W. S. Greenleaf, Cambridge; D. Wilkinson, George, J. F. McCure, and J. C. Wilkinson, George, J. F. McCure, and J. C. Wilkinson, Genoa; J. E. McCune and wife Mondamin; R. I. Berlin, Wahoo; George W. E. Dorsey, C. C. McNish, Fremont; N. S. E. Dorsey, C. C. McNish, Fremont; N. S. Harding, Nebraska City; J. H. Robb, Minden; F. G. Haines, Kearney; George A. Brooks and wife, Bazile Mills; C. H. Paul, St. Paul; T. C. Cantwell, W. C. Rogers, Scotia; C. R. Thompson, Wisner; J. Schuerberger, Staplehurst; T. B. Irwin, Gordon; George F. Palmer, Crawford; T. M. Sheaff, Fullerton; A. W. Kelley, W. T. Kelley, Beaver City; E. S. Lewis, M. A. Fugate, Elba.

#### LOCAL BREVITIES.

The reorganization of the Board of Park Commissioners has been postponed to Sat-urday on account of the absence of Commis-

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, May 12.—Omaha record of temperature and rainfall compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

Maximum temperature 1, 70 61 78 72 Minimum temperature 4, 45 58 38 Average temperature 7, 57 53 68 55 Rainfall 1, 100 1, 21 1, 30 Miss Antoinette Ogden, teacher of French at the High school, has been delivering series of stereopticon lectures on French scenes for the benefit of her pupils. The trial of Charles L. Davis, charged with statutory assault, was concluded in police court yesterday and the negro was

und over to the district court under bonds of \$2,000. Charles Truax is in the courts seeking a divorce from his wife, May D. Truax. He alleges that she has deserted his bed and board and refuses to return, notwithstand-ing the fact that he has been a kind and devoted husband.

Ben Westerdahl, a mail clerk who became insane about a month ago and was confined in a private hospital in the hope that he would recover, has not improved any and was taken to the county jail, where the insanity commission will pass on his case. G. C. Millet was arrested last night on the charge of obtaining goods under false pretenses. It is alleged that he secured a meal ticket from C. H. Palmer on Leaven-worth street by making false representa-tions regarding his ability to make pay-

Roy Straub, 9 years old, was severely in-Penney of Ulysses were visiting the David City company today.

Company E. First regiment, received a big bunch of bananas today from Harper Bros. of David City. Each member of the company also received a woolen chest pro
Take Lazative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure, 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

## General Otto Accompanies Him as

States will establish a temporary govern-ment over the Philippine blands. Orders have been issued for Major General Wesley Merritt, now commanding the Department of the East at New York, to proceed to Pork on the Hoof Follows the Product Toward the Top.

REMARKABLE ADVANCE FOR ONE DAY Manila with the least possible delay for the purpose of assuming the office of mili-tary governor of the Philippines. Similar orders to proceed to the Philippines were

Figures Climb Steadily Until an Average Increase of Over Twenty Cents Results.

Hogs sold like hot cakes at the stock yards yesterday, the prices paid being higher than for years. The receipts numbered ninety-five cars, 6,705 head, and after the bidding commenced the pens were soon empty. A marked advance in provisions Wednes-

Orders were also given for the organizaresterday morning paved the way for a tion of an army corps of about 12,000 men for immediate duty in the Philippine islands. rapid advance in the hog market. Neither salesmen nor buyers could determine with This corps will be made up of regulars and volunteer organizations stationed on the General Merritt was at the War department in consultation with the secretary of war. Prompt action will be had in the matter, with a view to having the troops quality offered was good, being fully up to make an early start on their long voyage across the Pacific. General Merritt will Even with the rapid sales and the marked leave here this afternoon for New York to arrange his official and private affairs preat the exchange, sales being made so quickly paratory to departure for San Francisco. that there was no opportunity for haggling He said that it was his purpose to sail from over the price. As soon as an offer was of torpedo destroyers and I am sure there San Francisco as soon as possible. Commade it was snapped up. As was to be ex- is no vessel of its class in the American plete arrangements have been made for pected, the early sales were at the lowest navy. the equipment, transportation and subsistprices, but as the day advanced competition ence of the troops and they will be able to start for Manila shortly after the arrival at jump. Wednesday night the market closed at \$4 and opened at about the same figure yesterday morning, although a few of the HEAVY MOVEMENTS OF TROOPS. early sales were made at \$4.05. The top mation from private sources that a number Largest Contract for Transportation price paid was \$4.30, but the bulk sold for from \$4.15 to \$4.20. The average price paid | land coast. The president was informed and NEW YORK, May 12.-Acting under on Wednesday was \$3.97, while the average Mr. Allen was instructed to place the facts price yesterday was \$4.18 5-8, a net gain of hurried instructions from the War department, Colonel Amos S. Kimball, quarter-

121 5-8 cents. master of the Department of the East, sent Local packers bought the bulk of yesout to the various railroad and transportaerday's supply, the division being as follows: Cudahy Packing company, 1,532 head; tion companies a call for bids for the immediate transportation to four southern Swift and Company, 1,190 head; Hammond Packing company, 2,290 head; Armour & Co., points of mobilization of 27,000 troops. The oids will be opened in the office of the 1,271 head; Plankinton Packing company, quartermaster in the army building at noon

314 head. The lighter hogs sold largely under \$4.20. while the top price was paid for animals weighing 240 pounds. Hogs under 200 pounds sold up to \$4.25 as a result of the sharp competition, which shows that neither quality nor weight was considered to any great extent. On account of the small re ceipts the market closed early at the top price, although late advices from Chicago

July pork closed \$1.10 per barrel higher cavalry. The only regulars in the list of than on Tuesday night, having taken a troops from this department is the regiment jump of 33 cents yesterday. Lard went up quartered at Fort Ethan Allen, Vt. This udden change in the plans of the War deing, and is now higher in proportion than hogs. Big receipts are looked for today. tracts for the vessels of the Old Dominion

## INFANTRY OFF FOR SOUTH

Cavalry at Chickamauga Slower Getting Started-Supplies Arriving for Volunteers.

CHATTANOOGA, May 12.-The Secon1 Daughters of American Revolution Thomas to Rossville station this morning and there boarded the southern railway WASHINGTON, May 12 .- At a meeting of trains for Tampa. The regiment got away the national board of management of the comparatively early on account of the fact Daughters of the American Revolution the that its baggage was packed yesterday. The Seventh and Sixteenth infantry regiment lift camp this morning and marched nine of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution desire to express to the president of the United States their miles to Ringgold, Ga., where Western & Atlantic trains were taken for Tampa. The First and Tenth regiments of cavalry, earnest wish to be of all possible service to the government and to our soldiers and originally ordered to New Orleans, but later sailors in the prosecution of the present war to Tampa, will get out tomorrow. The removal is progressing slower than

was expected and it is doubtful if the entire aimy will be off before Saturday night. Between twelve and twenty carloads of prohis grave national crisis.

visions for the volunteers are arriving Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions da ly. Almost every vacant building in the made application to General Shafter for percity is being used for storage purposes. The Soddy coal company of this city has received an order for twenty-five cars of trained nurses, over with the expedition. coal daily until further orders. The coal is

> shipped to Tampa and put aboard the war Recruits continue to come in rapidly. They are assigned to the various regiments and sent on to the front. Colonel Lee, quartermaster on General Brooke's staff, speaking unofficially, said that the Second cavalry, which left last night for Mobile, might not remain at that place more than a

day. The indications are that all available regulars will be put into Cuba without de-

for Sick and Wounded. NEW YORK, May 12.-Assistant Surgeon General Greenleaf, who will be in entire control of the medical corps and hospital and ambulance services to be established in Cuba, has completed his comprehensive plans for rendering aid to the sick and wounded in the coming campaign, and has closed his office here preparatory to startand several other boats have been delayed in ling for the front with General Miles, says the Washington correspondent of the Tribune. Colonel Hoff will succeed Colonel Greenleaf as assistant surgeon general, although later he may be in charge of the sanitary organization at Camp Sheridan, opposite Washington. Surgeon General Sternberg has been untiring in his efforts to provide Colonel Greenleaf with everything imaginable to constitute the finest medical organization which has ever been placed in the field by any nation. This sanitary organization will be based on the strength of the fighting division, the proportion of men in the hospital corps being about 3 per cent of the fighting force. It will be divided into regimental detachments, ambulance companies, field hospitals, lines of communication to hospitals, base hospitals, hospital transports and railway trains, and general hospitals already established in the United States. The last two will be under the immediate direction of the surgeon general in Washington and the first five will be in charge of Colonel Greenleaf. Men who are wounded in action will be cared for by those divisions in the order of their ports and specially fitted railway trains to

the general hospitals in the United States.

about 160 hospital stewards and acting stewards and about 1,200 privates. In addition to the usual equipment of stretchers 150 ambulances of the most modern design will be used, 100 of which are already with the troops, and the remaining fifty were ordered shipped from Indiana to Tampa today. Not more than one-third of the entire sanitary organization will accompany the first force of regulars that lands in Cuba, the Buyers Jump at Any Offer and the remainder following with the volunteers.

SHIP PASSES TWO TORPEDO BOATS.

Captain Confident They Were Not United States Vessels. NEW YORK, May 12.-The British steamer Menantic, which arrived today, reports that two torpedo boats were passed near Nantucket shoals yesterday. Captal Mann said: "'At about 1 o'clock in the norning of May 11, in latitude 40.50, longitude 68, a long, low-lying craft was seen approaching under the shadow of day and bulllish reports from other markets Menantic's smoke. It came along rapidly and was seen to be a torpedo boat. It flashed a light on us and crossed under our stern, going to the east-northeast, and fired any accuracy the effect Wednesday's big a rocket, which was answered to the south rise in provisions should have on hog by dot and dash flashes. The night was too values, and the result was a wide spread in dark to distinguish anything or define the bids, sales and the prices asked. Sales nationality of the stranger. At daylight, were made from 10 to 30 cents higher, with about twenty miles off Nantucket south the bulk of sales at a 20-cent advance. The shoal lightship, another torpedo boat was seen in the line of the sun, which dazzled the average, but weight cut little figure. the water too much to make out its color It was one of the class of torpedo catchers advance there was no especial excitement and a very large boat with one funnel. Guns were mounted on the bow. It ap-

The Menantic ran close to the lightship or waxed hot and prices went upward with a Nantucket and reported the presence of the torpedo boats.

peared to be one of the recent English type

WASHINGTON, May 12 .- Assistant Secretary Allen of the navy has received inforof torpedo boats are now off the New Engbefore the war board at once. It is not known how accurate the information given Mr. Allen is.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 12.-Captain Bruns of the German steamer Sophia Rickmers re ports that while crossing the New Foundland banks he was chased by a Spanish war ship. The latter was very speedy and fired three shells at the Rickmers, but the latter being an eighteen-knot boat, and the weather becoming hazy, it got away, Captain Brunst says the Spaniard was a torpedo boat with three funnels and was very low in the water. The Rickmers proceeded to New York.

PROVISION FOR EIGHT THOUSAND. Transports for That Number Now a Tampa.

TAMPA, Fla., May 12.-The cavalry regijump of 33 cents yesterday. Lard went up ments from Chickamauga, the first train 75 cents per 100 pounds over Tuesday's clos- load of which is expected to arrive in Tampa late this afternoon, will be encamped in West Tampa. A location for the infantry regiments has not been definitely decided upon, although it is quite probable they will encamp near the cavalry. The place selected is convenient to the railroad and is fully three miles nearer the Port Tampa docks than the camping grounds of the infantry already here. The Orizaba, the big Ward line steamer which has been regiment of infantry marched from Camp at quarantine station down the bay for several days, passed into the slip near the coal docks last night, and today took on a full supply of coal. The work of fitting it for transport duties rushed to a conclusion. Including the Olivette and Gussie, both of which boats are expected here by tomorrow night, a fleet of eleven transports will be gathered at Port Tampa ready for the embarktion. These boats can easily carry a force of from 7,000 to 8,000 men with about 2,000 horses and mules.

The Salvation army may furnish a corp of nurses for the army in Cuba. A delega tion of Salvation army leaders from New York, including Mrs. Captain Sam, sent mission to send twenty-five or thirty Salvation lassies, all of whom, it is asserted, are Permission, it is said, was refused, although it was intimated that after the troops go into Cuba there would be no objection to the Salvation army nurses, should any be required.

DEDICATING BATTLE MONUMENTS Tennessee Turns Them Over to the

Park Commission CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., May 12.-The dedication of the four handsome monuments and the many markers erected by the state of Tennessee in the Chickamauga park, oc-PROVIDING FOR HOSPITAL CORPS. curred at 10 o'clock this morning on the famous Snodgrass hill, where the confed-Most Elaborate Arrangement to Care erate advance bivouaced on the night of September 28, 1863. The monuments were turned over to the government in an eloquent address by James D. Porter, ex-governor of the state, and were accepted by General A. P. Stewart, a member of the Park commission. Eloquent addresses by General G. Puriton, Generals Boynton Brooke and Joseph Wheeler followed. An immense crowd from all over the section was present. Tonight a campfire will be enjoyed by the veterans of the blue and the gray at the city auditorium.

Troops Now at San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, May 12.—The troops now encamped at the parade plain at the Presidio are: First regiment California United States volunteer infantry, twelve companies, 1,208 men; Seventh regiment California United States volunteers infantry twelve companies, 950 men; battallo Fourteenth United States infantry, fou companies, 250 men; the First and Secon

Walsh Joins Rough Riders. BOISE, Idaho, May 12.-First Lieutenant R. D. Walsh, Fourth cavalry, U. S. A. stationed here and now acting as mustering officer for Idaho volunteers, has received a dispatch from Colonel Wood of the cowboy regiment, offering him a captaincy. It is understood he will accept. Wood knew him in Arizona during the Geronimo war, where he (Walsh) distinguished himself as a tireless, resourceful campaigner.

Passengers Were Artillery Officers. CHICAGO, May 12.-The Evening Post' Key West special states that some of the passengers on board the French steamer Lafayette, brought here a few days ago for blockade running and afterwards released, were artillery officers hired by Spain on ac count of their marksmanship. One Minnesota Regiment Goes West.

ST. PAUL, May 12.-Governor Clough this About 180 medical officers, sixty surgeons afternoon received a telegram from the War and 120 assistant surgeons will accompany department asking him to designate one reg the invading army, the ratio being one lment to go to the Philippines. He sclected

GENERAL MERRITT GOES TO MANILA HOG PRICES TAKE A FLYER medical officer to about 400 soldiers of the the Third, Colonel Reeves, which was mustine. The medical corps will also include tered on May 1, the Fourth regiment, which was mustered on the 16th, having been previously selected for the Tampa assignment. Colonel Clague of the quartermanters department, U. S. A., also received orders and has called for bids on transportation to San Francisco. They will probable leave tomorrow. Mohlean Arrives at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 12 .- The United States stramship Mohican, which sailed from Honolulu April 29, arrived here this morne

#### NERVOUS DEPRESSION.

[A TALK WITH MRS. PINKHAM.] A woman with the blues is a very uncomfortable person. She is illogical, unhappy and frequently hysterical.

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