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So busy had they been in getting ready for a supreme struggle that they had neglected to make their customary attacks by sharpshooters on our out posts. The fighting today was desperate on the part of the Filipinos and de termined on the part of the Americans. The result was disastrous to the rebels.

flying brigade.

Whereas. The expense of submitting such an amendment is very great, amounting SANTIAGO DE CUBA, March 24.-John Sherman has been safely moved from the Sherman has been safely moved from the probably to nearly \$50,000.

to vote thereon is in effect recorded against

now considering a proposition for the cruiser Chicago. Mr. Sherman rested easily amendment of the constitution, by which it during the night and awoke cheerful and is hoped to make practicable an amendment meeting the demand for an enlargement of prepared for the change. supreme court; therefore, be it

recognize the overburdened condition of our the transfer of Mr. Sherman from the passuprema court, there being upon the docket senger vessel to the war ship. He was carof said court at present nearly fifteen hun- ried on a stretcher which was laid on one dred cases for hearing, many with voluminous records requiring much time to read that from past experience it is advisable to the water and was taken in tow by a steam and consider, yet this house does not think adopt the suggestion of his excellency, the launch. Two umbrellas were placed over governor, and entail an expense of nearly the sick man in order to prevent the sun \$50,000 upon the taxpayers of Nebraska, to from overheating him. Mr. Sherman was ubmit such an amendment with the pracical certainty that it will be equally foremed with those previously submitted to fail of the required constitutional majority, but believes the supreme court commitution can be accomplished.

#### Great Mistake Made.

In speaking on the resolution Prince said a great mistake had been made in striking predicted that within two years the people of the state would all see it that way. The supreme court had in the fast year decided | Tuesday. 1.079 cases, a larger average than any other calendar would now be buried under an avalanche of cases. The people of the state were largely in favor of an increase in the get enough of them to vote on the question to carry it at a regular election. The proposition had twice been defeated because of the failure of the people to vote. There was this time no hope of better results to

justify the submission of the amendment. Easterling of Buffalo spoke against the resolution. He believed the amendment The first was on the Forty-seventh street would carry now if submitted. The legality side of the ruine. They consisted of a part of the old commission had always been of the skull, a piece of the vertebrae and doulatful and the governor did right in veto- part of the pelvis. No clothing was found ing the bill. The estimate of expense of a near these bones. resubmission of the question was much | The second body was found in the northoverdrawn. The expense ought not to be east portion of the rulns. The finding of over \$10,000.

Polinrd of Case called attention to the cation that the body is that of a woman bill to authorize a constitutional convention. Near where the bones of this body were He had no doubt that the bill would pass and that the question would be submitted of them were written in lead pencil. On to the people next year. It would be use- one of them could be deciphered the name less to submit this question and also the constitutional amendment at the same election.

#### **Resolution** Carries.

The resolution was adopted by a vote of 48 to 40. The republicans present all voted for the bill except Haller, who asked to be excused because he favored a constitutional convention but did not favor the retention | hotel were examined today by Fire Marshal of the commission and could not approve of the whole resolution.

The fusionists present all voted against the resolution except Cawthra, McGinley and Shore. The absentees were Conwell, Cox, Crockett, Ditmar, Grafton, Hathorn, Mann, Moran, Weaver, Wenzl and Woodard.

Wheeler of Furnas offered a resolution calling attention to the fact that the staistics and other compilations of figures conhed in the governor's message had not is a included in the printed copies of the lished in the fire of last Friday. 1 N U asage, and asking that an investigation be made to learn who was at fault.

Chairman Evans of the printing committee explained that he had acted as chairman | Kinley. of the joint committee to arrange for the water out of the cellar. printing of the message, that the job had | been let to the lowest bidder and that he had transmitted to the printer the copy that

had been furnished him by the senate and of the committee. If parts of the copy had been omlitted he knew nothing of it at the time he sent the copy to the printer. The degree, his punishment to be life imprison-ment. The murder was the result of a lov-

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American line steamer Paris to the quarters Whereas, Furthermore, this legislature is prepared for him on board the United States

The Chicago arrived here after daylight Bryan of Nebraska, "Democracy." It is also Resolved by this house. That while we and preparations were immediately made for likely that Governor Thomas of Colorado will attend.

> FRENCH OPERA IS NAUGHTY of the boats of the Paris while fast to the davits. The boat was then lowered into Management Must Tone Down of Archhishop Bruchesi Will Forbid Faithful to Attend the Show. MONTREAL, March 24 .- Archbishop Bruhoisted on board the Chicago in the same chesi, the head of the Roman Catholic

manner. He was accompanied by F. B. Wiberg, Dr. Magee and a nurse. Immediately after Mr. Sherman had been should be continued, even as a makeshift. taken on board the Chicago, the Paris, with until the desired amendment to the consti-Cienfuegos. The Chicago will leave here

later in the morning. WASHINGTON, March 24 .- Mrs. McCal-

made public yet.

ers' quarrel.

that it was recognized by this house that lum, former Secretary Sherman's daughter, attend. today received a cablegram from Mr. Wiborg down the supreme court commission, and saying that Mr. Sherman would sail today on the Chicago and requesting Mrs. McCallum to meet the party at Fort Monroe on Mrs. McCallum will leave here next Monday in order to be at Fort Monroe tion today M. Ballet de Baupre, president court in the country. The curtailment of when Mr. Sherman arrives. This cablegram of the civil section, read a report recomthe court would work a great injury, as the evidently determines the destination of the Chicago. It was thought the vessel might take Mr. Sherman to Tampa.

# number of judges, but the difficulty was to RUINS GIVE UP THEIR DEAD

Remains of Two More Bodies Found in Wreckage of Windsor Hotel.

NEW YORK, March 24 .- During the fore

noon portions of two bodies were found. 100 francs.

stays near the bones is taken as an indi-

found were discovered several letters. Some "Miss ---- Casey." Among the hotel servants was a Miss Casey, but she is safe. Some attaches of the hotel thought that the

bones might be those of a girl who roomed with Ler

R. A. Merritt, who claimed to have been the first to have turned in an alarm, and Detective Harry Nichoff of the Windsor Seery, who is conducting an investigation day. upon the origin of the fire. Neither witness

could give any testimony of importance in regard to the origin of the fire. Marshal Secry intimated that the witnesses heretofore examined had given some important information, but said that it would not be

There are 200 men at work today overhauling the ruins of the Hotel Windsor, HAPPIER DAYS FOR LI HUNG CHANG. searching for the bodies of those who per

Among the things dug out today was a netal box containing a lot of soiled and

burned telegrams addressed to Abner Mc-Two pumps are kept at work getting the

LONDON, March 24 -- Replying to ques Final Act in Lover's Quarrel. tions in the House of Commons today, Rt. LEBANON. Ind. March 24 -- William Blum, who has been on trial here for the nurder of Grace Harvey at Indian: it was not expected that it will be neceswas today found guilty of murder in the first

WYMORE, Neb., March 24 .- (Special.)-, of a special act of congress authorizing him Since the citizens' ticket was placed in to do so in special recognition of his heroic nesota, "Gold and Silver, the Coinage of nomination at Monday night's caucus new services in the Spanish war. He went to the Constitution;" Senator James K. Jones men are being brought out by petition. For | the Philippines on the hospital ship Solace, of Arkansas, chairman of the democratic mayor, J. R. Dodds, editor of the Arbor and did not know of the legislation in his national committee, "Organization for State, who was defeated in the caucus, will favor until so informed by Secretary Long 1900;" Champ Clark of Missouri, "Prosperrun against J. A. Renling, the regular by cable on his arrival at Manila. He will PREPARING FOR THE FIGHT a complete reorganization of the army is ity-Past, Present and Future;" William J.

Fisticuffs at Tecumseh.

Telegram.)-Force had to be resorted to by

City Tickets in Nebraska.

Aged Farmer Loses a Leg.

Hotel Changes Hosts.

Bryan Pauses at Memphis.

the traveling public.

New Candidates Are Appearing.

nominee. In the First ward C. A. Mur- return to the United States by, the first dock, editor of the Reporter, is out by available steamer and take the examination petition for councilman against Charles for admission to the academy, Hemperley, and in the Second Tony Hir- Senator Thurston left today for a short

mon has been brought out to run against visit to Barnegat, N. J., on the Atlantic Julius Neumann. Other petition candidates coast. President and Mrs. H. G. Burt of the are F. E. Culp and H. B. Ware, for the Union Pacific leave this evening for New is extremely active in the vicinity of Malalong and short terms of school directors. York, The campaign is becoming lively and the

candidates are making an active canvass. TECUMSEH, Neb., March 24 .- (Special

## and Contrary to Expectations Cerries It Out.

may enter the naval academy in pursuance

of her majesty's theater, stating that unless Sperlein from gaining possession of the some of the pieces contained in the reper- Catholic parsonage here this evening, and MARYVILLE, Ma., March 24 .- (Special The Oregon volunteers and the Twenty- from escaping by the American gunboats now tory of the French opera to be produced at as a result the reverend gentleman has a cutting down a tree on his farm. It was morning and an early move is probable. a difficult task and Colby became angry and declared that he would make the tree fall terday from Dagupan, the railroad terminus, the way he wanted to or would died in the on board the steamer Saturnus. They re- carries, the insurgents can longer avoid a attempt. He climbed it and fastened a port that the natives are generally friendly rope to it a number of feet from the ground, and the officers invariably courteous. Mr. the other end being attached to a stump. Higgins, manager of the railroad, and about the tree tottered. When it fell it went in business interests, incline to take adan unexpected direction and Colby was vantage of the opportunity to leave. caught in the rope and thrown to the ground. The back of his head struck a stump and he American planters at Calumpit since hostiliwas fatally injured. ties began. According to Filipino accounts a thousand



Jason L. Lamb, a Nebraska Pioncer, the United States troops "rushed like mad-Dies a Pauper in Colorado.

FORT COLLINS, Colo., March 24 .- (Spement report that the Filipinos have concial Telegram.)-Jason L. Lamb, a pioneer. centrated their forces at Malabon and Polo. was buried today in the potter's field. He They add that only Aguinaido's bodyguard was 73 years old and came here from Ne- is at Malolos and that the rebel leaders ap- Hobart remained behind. The president has braska. In the construction of the main parently intend to stake their fortunes on heard a good deal of Tailahassee, largely line of the Union Pacific railroad he was a fight at Malabon, where it was expected through President Frank Thompson of the a prominent contractor and built many an engagement would take place yesterday. Pennsylvania railroad, who has a place miles. He lost his property through In- If detented, it is further asserted, the rebels there, and as the distance is only about dian depredations, but never recovered any- intend to disperse to the swamps and mounthing from the government, and died in the tains. The rebels were putting their Bolos poor house. He was once mayor of Omaha in front, believing that the Bolomen's capital. and took a prominent part in the early his+ charms will avert the bullets. The Balos tory of that city. He came to Fort Collins of the Filipinos greatly outnumber the system, and included two Pullmans, one at the time of construction of the Greeley, rifles in their hands. The rebels are further Salt Lake & Pacific road. said to have admitted that they cannot

withstand the American shells and bayonet GETS TEMPORARY SETBACK charges.

Kipling Overexerts Himself Thursday stories told of food shortage among the rebels and they added that their hospitals and Has Fainting are short of supplies. Srell.

NEW YORK, March 24 .- Rudyard Kipling, who had steadily improved in his recovery from his long illness from pneumonia, had a temporary setback Thursday night when he was seized by a fainting spell. Mr. Doublelow the knee. The limb had been severely day said Mr. Kipling had been made somefrostbitten and the effects threatened his what weaker, but he stated today that the life. The patient, who is past 70 years of author had fully recovered during the night. age, stood the operation remarkably well. Mr. Kipling exerted himself a little too much on Thursday. He is still in hed.

#### STELLA, Neb., March 24.-(Special.)-J. T. Crippled Child Receives Damages

Cox purchased the Howe hotel at this place CHICAGO, March 24-Emma Grenwell vas awarded \$29,000 today in a street railtoday. This has been a popular hotel with vay damage suit. The girl, who is 6 years ld, was run over and crippled for life. At a former trial the jury failed to agree. It is alleged that two of the jurors were bribed. larly prominent. Otis has procured thirteen

### No Quorum at Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG, Pa., March 24 -- The fifty seventh ballot for United States senator an important part in the development of the senator sary to send an expedidition against the hight Mr. Bryan will deliver a lecture at Quay, 35; Jenks, 34; Daizell, 10; Stone, 2; the Auditorium under the auspices of the Irvin, 4; Huff, 5; Stewart, 5; Widener, 3; he added, were not armed with rifted. 11; total vote, 103; no quorum.

#### now in progress. The reinforcements now arriving at Manila are being used to main-Filipinos Entrench Themselves in the tain the strength of the lines running from Hope of Defeating the Amer-Manila to Pasig, established by Wheaton's

ican Forces.

men against a storm of bullets."

The escaped Spanlards corroborated the

Next Move Will Be Final.

ave ceased to exist

WASHINGTON, March 24 .- It is under-

The next movement that is expected here MANILA, March 24 .- Noon .- The enemy is by water. It is believed that Otis will place a complete brigade on board vessels, bon in preparing defenses, evidently anticisteam rapidly northward and land it beyond pating an attack. They keep well under the insurgent headquarters at Malolos. If KILLED IN CHOPPING A TREE cover. A small body of rebels, however, this movement succeeds, as it should, if emerged from the jungle on the extreme made with rapidity, the insurgent army will Farmer Suggests a Fatal Alternative left yesterday and fired upon the Kansas find itself completely penned in with no troops in the trenches, fatally wounding opportunity for retreat. To the north will Private Cohen of Company B and Private be this flying brigade, on the east Laguna de Muser of Company E. Bay, across which they will be prevented

Telegram.)-Fred Colby, living a mile and second regulars marched to the front today. affoat there; the Pasig river to the south is a half from Bolckow, received a curious ac- The Third and Seventeenth regiments have well policed by tin-clads, and with a strong eldent yesterday, from which he died this disembarked from the Sherman. General line in the position occupied by Wheaton's morning. Colby and two neighbors were H. G. Otis' brigade struck its tents this brigade will cut off any movement in that direction, while to the west the Bay of Sixteen English refugees arrived here yes- Manila is closed by Dewey's vessels. It is hard to conceive how, if this plan

decisive conflict which must end either in their breaking through the American lines or in their surrender. It is evident that Otia The choppers then went to work and soon a dozen unmarried men, in charge of various expects the latter, for he has already advised the War department that the insurrection cannot last much longer. Nothing has been heard from the two

EXCURSION TO TALLAHASSEE

## President McKinley and Party of Friends Make Flying Trip to the Ancient Capital.

THOMASVILLE, Ga., March 24.-President Two Spanish prisoners who have escaped McKinley and quite a large party today from Polo to the lines of the Kansas regimade a flying trip to Tallahassee, Fla. Vice President Hobart has not been well, never having recovered from the effects of an attack of grip last winter, so he and Mrs. sixty miles through a rather interesting country, he decided to visit the ancient

A special train was provided by the Plant extra coach and a baggage car. It left Thomasville shortly after 10 o'clock and returned late in the afternoon. The president was looking very well and evidently has been benefited by the trip.

## LAWYER TAKES HIS REVENCE

#### shoots the Judge Who Refuses to Approve His Hill of Exceptions.

stood here that General Otis has so far ST. LOUIS, March 24 .- A special to the matured his plans of campaign that within a week or ten days he will be able to begin Post-Dispatch from Dallas, Tex., says: At a movement which is expected to mark the Sweetwater, F. P. Woodruff, a lawyer, atis struction of Aguinaido's army. Although | tacked and shot Judge John H. Cochran in tragglers and fugitives may infest the chambers, the trouble growing out of the island of Luzon for some time, it is believed | court's refusal to approve a bill of excepthat after Otis has delivered his next blow | tions in a lawsuit. Judge Cochran attempted

the insurgent army, as an organization, will to defend himself and a bystander named R. P. Watts was shot in the hip. Watts The new movement will be carried on, it | and Judge Cochran are in a critical conunderstood, by a combined land and water dition. Woodruff is under \$3,000 ball. Judge attack, though it is not expected that the Cochran is an ex-speaker of the Texas house navy's part in the program will be particuand was a candidate for governor in 1894.

#### Roosevelt Will Come West.

of the gunboats formerly owned by the Spanish government, and these are to play ALBANY, N. Y., March 24 .-- Governor toosevelt stated today that he would, if pos-Rough Riders to be held in the west June campaign. Many of the troops which had been engaged on the outer lines up to the date of General Lawton's arrival ut Manila cause he does not know but that business of have been withdrawn to the water front and state may prevent his attending.

# Well-Founded Rumor that He is to Return to Power. PEKIN, March 24 .- It is learned on good

Khalifa is Considered Harmless.

mentary secretary of the foreign office, said leave for Little Rock.

the theater, are eliminated he will be obliged very black eye. Catching Kelly in the yard to issue a letter forbidding the faithful to and off his guard Sperlein made a rush for the door, which was open. The men met on the porch and the guard caught hold of OBNOXIOUS JUDGES RETAINED. Speriein. Sperlein resisted and Kelly struck him with all his might squarely in the eye. Court of Cassation Will Not Honor The blow, the only one struck, dumbfounded Madame Dreyfus' Prejudices.

Allen O. Myers of Columbus, O., "The Eas

church in Montreal, has created something

Sperlein for a second, but soon regaining PARIS, March 24 .- In the court of cassahimself he started for the door again Kelly, who is a duly qualified officer, warned him not to attempt to enter if he valued mending the rejection of the application of his life and he gave it up as a bad job Mme. Dreyfus for the exclusion from the Sperlein says he will have Kelly arrested for

of a sensation by writing to the proprietor Guard John Kelly to keep Rev. Frederick

revision inquiry of three judges, MM. Petit assault in the morning. Crepon and Lepellotier, who, in the early stages of the proceedings, decided unfavorably on a Dreyfus question. The public

FREMONT, Neb., March 24 .- (Special.)prosecutor. M. Manau, recommended that The democratic city committee has placed contrary action be taken, formally support- Benjamin T. Roberts on the city ticket for ing the granting of the application of Mme. clerk in place of Oscar Widman, declined. Dreyfus. After a long deliberation the Roberts was a private in Company L. Sec-

court decided to reject the application and ond Nebraska volunteers, but has not yet condemned Mme. Dreyfus to pay a fine of been mustered out on account of ill health J. R. Henry also declined to run for the The fining of Mme. Dreyfus was a formal school board and Miss Lucy Griswold was

matter. The civil code dictates that if named in his place. a request for the exclusion of the judges is refused the applicant must pay a fine, At a mass meeting last night the following

the minimum being 100 francs. WAIL OF THE SPANISH PRESS.

Americans Darken Page of History by Camping in Park.

MEXICO CITY, March 24 .-- Correa Espanoia, the organ of the Spanish colony. sent Senator Thurston relative to the Holt continues to insult the Americans in Cuba and says today: troubles

"Civilization has disappeared from Cuba "J. M. Thurston, Washington, D. C .: In with the disappearance of the Spanish flag. Morgan-Holt troubles at Winnebago agency No spectacle could be more repulsive. The false imprisonment of Henry Holt, Indian

taken by North America in letting loose its has suffered the amputation of his leg be immoral and cynical soldiery on those un-

happy countries."

the point of returning to power.

Hon. William St. John Broderick, parlia-



"Oh, what a sad page to the history of the human race is the United States writing in AUBURN, Neb., March 24 .- (Special.)-Cuba and the Philippines. What a step back-Walter Nicholson, a Scotch farmer who has ward in the path of civilization has been been a resident of this county since 1864.

authority that Li Hung Chang is again upon

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 24 -- William J. Bryan arrived in Memphis early this morning. He was met by a local committee and escorted to the Peabody hotel, where a public reception will be held this afternoon. To

ST. EDWARD, Neb., March 24.-(Special.) were nominated for village trustees: Dr O. H. Flory, A. J. McKelvey, R. E. Case, A. A. Aller and J. B. Carter. The issue is

#### license or no license Asks Thurston's Assistance. PENDER, Neb., March 24 .- (Special Telegram.)-The following telegram has been