Advantage Won by Troo Now Be

TOWNS CAPTURED MUST BE ABANDON

Filipinos Lie in Wait to Reoccupy the Vacated Villages.

OTHER PARTIES HARASS SMALL GARRISONS

Watch for Chances to Attack Scouts or Detached Companies.

PILAR SETS A TRAP FOR THIRD REGIMENT

Rebels in Ambush Open Fire and Give One of the Hardest Fights in Campaign-Small Provision for Native Wounded.

of a much larger army here, without which, according to the best authorities in Manila, it would be attempting the impossible to of small encounters, without material reing has been in territory which the Amerimbandon because they could not spare troops

The forces commanded by Generals Macof communication and commerce, the railroad to San Fernando and the Rio Grande river. But much of the country they have there. uncovered, simply for want of men to hold. them, and the insurgents have returned and are occupying the towns the Americans and woods outside others, on the watch for

the Third regiment between San Miguel and clear the vessels in question, but at present and yet might find solution in arbitration. open, both being retaliatory. The first is Balinag were past of Pio del Pilar's army, they will have to sail at their own risk, so closing with the more difficult problems. He the preparation of an amendment to the They came from the south across the moun- far as any fines or penalties are concerned, then presented a scheme already introduced tariff act largely increasing duties on lumtains, presumably to meet a wagon train to which they may be subjected in foreign to the full conference by a Russian delegate, ber and forest products imported into the which General Lawton expected along the ports. The matter has been referred to the a scheme consisting of forty articles. The United States from Canada. There is posroad. They also planned to capture several Treasury department as to whether or not statement of M. Bourgeois was clear and sibly another course. A section of the large detachments and were placed in am- the War department has the right to au- concise, commanding the closest attention. Dingley act authorizes the United States bush at different points. They fired from the jungle at a distance of 200 yards and gave under the American ensign. There is no perienced in the campaign. The Filipinos decide that there is no existing law which permanent tribunal of arbitration. He did goods coming to the United States. The generals take the loss of arms more to heart an opinion, whether under a broad construc- suggestions offered by Count Nigra and has prohibited their exportation from Onthan they do the loss of men.

of expulsion, say the cemeteries in all the towns are filled with fresh graves. A majority of the Filipinos' wounded die because

COMMISSARY SERVICE IS PERFECT.

Inspector General at Malolos Says Issue Could Not Be Improved Upon. WASHINGTON, May 26 .- The following dispatch was received by Lieutenant Colonel Brainerd of the Commissary department at Manila, in reply to a message sent by him

to Inspector General Mallory at Malolos, asking for any suggestions as to the improvement of the service. He has forwarded the following to the War department for in-"Replying to your dispatch of yesterday Subsistence department is rendering ideal service. If you continue to keep here beside division commissary, two commissaries, one

available to make issues and the other to

make sales, and continue to furnish ground

coffee when required, methods and conditions could not be improved. I state this as the result of inspection." PORT SAID, May 26 .- The United States cable ship Hooker, from New York, May 1, for Manila, has arrived here. The Hooker has on board some passengers and 250 miles of cable, to connect the important islands of

the Philippine group. It was to have taken

on some electric equipment at Gibraltar, at which place it stopped May 15 and left Preparing Camp for Volunteers. SAN FRANCISCO, May 26 .- Pursuant to instructions from the War department. General Shafter is taking steps to prepare a model camp at the Presidio for the accom modation of 4,000 men. It will be occupied

by volunteers returning from the Philippines until they can be mustered out. A board of officers will select a site and attend to the details of establishing a new camp. Clearances Under Cuban Flag. HAVANA, May 26 .- The collector of cus

toms here, Major T. H. Bliss, has ordered be forwarded in batches of fifty to San Franthe island collectors to issue clearances to cisco in charge of a boatswain. A surgeon vessels carrying the coasting flag, going to will accompany Lieutenant Hines to examine the United States or foreign ports, but he the men physically. stipulates that the government cannot guarantee to protect such vessels either in the United States or elsewhere.

Promotion for Distinguished Service ST. PAUL, May 26.—Captain Masterman, most severe service the Thirteenth Minnenota regiment has seen, has been commissloned a major by Governor Lind. appointment is ratified by the War depart ment the junior officers of Company K will

Gives Kansas Troops an Option. TOPEKA, May 26 .- Governor Stanley re ceived a telegram today from Secretary of War Alger saying that the Twentieth Kansas will be permitted to decide where it wants to be mustered out if the state will provide a suitable place. Governor Stanley at once telegraphed that the state will pro vide a suitable place.

None of the Prisoners Have Died. MOSCOW, Idaho, May 26.—Governor Steunenberg was seen by a reporter on the southbound train on his way to Boise, and in answer to the charges made by the Silver Bow leaders and labor assembly of Butte Mont., to the effect that four of the Wardner miners had died since their imprisonthat not a single prisoner had died, and only one had been seriously ill, and the Philippines, to sail on the transport Sheridan physician in charge stated he was much for Manila. This ship will be utilized to improved, having been sick of typhoid fever.

Movements of Ocean Vessels, May 26. At New York-Arrived-Lucania, nol and Queenstown; Fuerst Bismarck from Hamburg, etc.

Brisbane Arrived Warrimoo, ey, N. S. W., etc., for Vancouver, At Liverpoc!—Arrived—Canada, from Boson; Belgenland, from Philadelphia. At Queenstown-Arrived-Campania, from Now York for Liverpool, and proceeded.

NEED FOR MORE MEN MODIFIES THE CIVIL SERVICE PROGRESS AT THE HAGUE

President McKinley Finally Approves of the Changes to Be Made in the Rules.

setting today was devoted to the consideraof minor matters. The final changes he order will be ready for the presis signature as soon as the changes are incorporated into the final draft of the document. All the members of the cabinet expressed themselves as satisfied with it.

It is said the order will exempt about 4,000

of the 65,000 positions in the classified serv-

The question of Cuban shipping was again reported that the shipping was valued at S\$6,000,000, but it turns out that there are head of the American delegation here, forewere owned by American citizens. The States last Monday, question, with the data furnished by the Treasury department, was turned over to the most that is expected to be accomplished

amination and report. franking privilege in Cuba and Porto Rico. gates have begun a formal exchange of MANILA, May 26 .- 7:40 p. m.-The events and local officials were entitled to the frank- committees to receive all suggestions, proof the last week have emphasized the need ing privilege and have been allowed to exercise it since we assumed control. The siders, but so far as is yet ascertainable, postmaster general read a letter from Major these will be pigeonholed without considera-Rathbone, who is at the head of the postal tion unless they come within the purview expect to establish American supremacy in affairs of Cuba, saying that the number of of the questions enumerated in the circular the Philippine islands. The inadequacy of persons exercising this privilege is excessive of Count Muravieff, the Russian minister of the American forces is said to be respon- and the question arose as to whether it foreign affairs, in outlining the subjects for sible for the large total loss in the number | would not be wise to cut the privilege off consideration. altogether. It is largely a question of before final action is determined upon. Arthur and Lawton held two important lines for the purpose of examining the situation hour of adjournment. there, with a view to determining whether or not a postoffice shall be re-established

abandoned and are camping in the jungles partment's order yesterday giving clearance presented the questions of mediation and stopped all progress. to Cuban ships under Cuban flags has raised arbitration and suggested a program which | The Department of State has referred to chances to harass the garrisons and attack the question as to the right of the United the committee might follow, urging recourse the Treasury department the arrangement scouting parties or detached companies with greater forces. This is the kind of warfare they prefer to regular battles.

States to take this step, and will ultimately to all pacific means to settle international of a plan to protect the interests of the United States and a decision from Secretary the prefer to regular battles.

The order, as issued by the War department, submitted a long list of possible subjects tary Gage is expected very soon. The It appears that the Filipinos who attacked simply authorizes its officers in Cuba to of dispute which might arise between nations Treasury department has now two courses rain and hail fell here about that time, Foreigners who have arrived here from the country can authorize the use of this com-

the ports of foreign countries. interests of Cuba just now, and the depart- Estournelles de Constant of the in the emergency.

Internal Trade and Domestic Industry in Good Condition

WASHINGTON, May 26.-Native industries in Spain did not suffer during the war of 1898 as greatly as was feared. This is the statement of the British commercial attache at Madrid, H. Harrison, whose report to the British government on the trade of Spain for the year 1898 has just reached the Treasury Bureau of Statistics.

Mr. Harrison's statement begins by saving: "In spite of the wars and consequent general excitement and heavy taxation native industries in Spain have not suffered as greatly as it was feared they would. The loss of the colonial markets, on which the export trade of Spain greatly depended, has take serious steps for finding new markets ment congress at The Hague are working for Spanish products and for stimulating

LANDSMEN WILL FOLLOW THE SEA

hese countries."

West in Interest of Hartford. WASHINGTON, May 26 .- Under the direction of Captain Hawley, who is to com mand the Hartford, Lieutenant J. H. Hines will leave Washington on May 31 to recruit the west 300 landsmen required to man this ship. Lieutenant Hines will go first to Cleveland, thence to Chicago and St. Pau in order. As the men are recruited they wil

Lieutenant B. W. Welles, in charge of the recruiting rendezvous at Chicago, will also begin recruiting for the Hartford in Chicago and after that will go to Cincinnati for the ame purpose. In addition to enlisting landsmen the navy is recruiting musicians for able conduct of two battalions during the and it is said at the department that the entire regimental band of the First Ken tucky volunteers has volunteered if the men can be taken en masse.

Freaty with Guinna and Barbadoes WASHINGTON, May 26 .- Sir Cavendish Soyle, government secretary for British Guiana, will arrive in Washington next week assist Reginald Tower, charge d'affaires reciprocity treaty with Commissioner Kas on, covering British Guiana. He comes direct from London, where he has been conferring with officials of the colonial office regarding the affairs of the colony. He also has the advantage of years of experience in Guiana and a thorough knowledge of its statistics and trade' requirements. Mr Tower at the same time will carry on negotiations for a reciprocity treaty covering

the Barbadoes. Recruits Sail June 7.

WASHINGTON, May 26.-The secretary of war has ordered 2,000 recruits, now a San Francisco, for regular regiments in the bring home volunteers now in the Philip

Western Postmasters Appointed. WASHINGTON, May 26.—The president day appointed the following postmasters colorade-Denver, John C. Twombley. Indian Territory-Hartshorne, Frank D. Ungles; Tahlequah, Joseph L. Worthington. Oklahoma-Woodward, E4ward B. Roll.

Conference on Working Basis and Delegates Pursue Specified Duties. WASHINGTON, May 26 .- The cabinet

te civil service order were approved ARBITRATION CONSIDERED IN COMMITTEE

Great Importance is Attached to Its Acceptance by the Conference Today-Americans Have Made No Report.

THE HAGUE, May 26.—It can now be brought up by Secretary Gage, who furnished stated with some degree of confidence that some data showing that the amount of ship- the delegates to the peace conference are ping tied up because it has no flag to sail gradually arriving at the belief that its outunder has been greatly exaggerated. It was come will be very much what Andrew D only six or seven vessels. These vessels casted to the correspondent of the Associated could sail under the American flag if they Press in the interview cabled to the United

So far as armaments are concerned, the utattorney general and Secretary Hay for ex- is some slight recommendations to the governments participating. The various commit Postmaster General Smith brought up the tees have now settled to work and the dele-Under the old Spanish law many municipal views. It was decided today to appoint posals and petitions emanating from out-

The disarmament committee met this suits as a compensation. Most of the fight- policy and Postmaster General Smith will morning, and M. Bernaert, chief of the Bel- no excuse to say they yielded their interests ascertain exactly to what extent the privi- gian delegation, who presided, set forth the to Great Britain. cans had swept, but had been compelled to lege is exercised and report to the cabinet points submitted for consideration. The two sections immediately divided and proceeded The postmaster general has decided to to a discussion of the questions of firearms send a special agent to Lake City, S. C., and explosives, which continued until the

Arbitration and Mediation.

the Americans one of the hardest fights ex- question that the Treasury department will fore all else to consider the question of a such export duty to add the equivalent of such export duty to the import on such lost more heavily than the Americans in all would justify this step. The matter then not, however, submit any plan, and event- Canadian government is not imposing in so of the recent encounters. The insurgent will be referred to the attorney general for ually withdrew his motion in view of the many words an export duty on logs, but it tion of the law of military occupation this others, who urged the wisdom of following tario. The question before Secretary Gage the program of the president, in which the is whether this prohibition may not be reinsurgents' country, under the recent order bination of flags and enforce its respect in question of a permanent tribunal follows the garded as in principle the same thing as an general subject of arbitration.

the insurgent hospitals are inadequate, med- States to the recognition of the independent Bourgeois appointed the following subcom- it seeks in the shape of an order prothe insurgent hospitals are inadequate, medicines are scarce and they have few surgeons except Spanish captives who have been important of the independent bounded. The matter of the modern of the independent bounded in the season of the season of the independent bounded in the season of the sea is one of vital importance to the material cillor of the Netherland delegation; Baron very heavily upon other provinces in Canment feels justified in taking an unprece- delegation; Frederick Holls, secretary of the dented course to furnish the island relief United States delegation; M. Lammasch of the Austro-Hungarian delegation, Maarten of the Russian delegation, M. E. SPAIN NOT IN SUCH A BAD PLIGHT. Odier of the Swiss delegation and Dr. Zorn of the University of Koenigsburg, representing the German delegation.

Sir Julian Pauncefote and Count Nigra were appointed honorary presidents and M. Bourgeois and M. de Staal were empowered to attend its meetings.

This arrangement gives representation to all the great powers, as well as to Holland, Belgium and Switzerland. Chevalier Descamps-David was appointed chairman of the subcommittee.

Great importance is attached to the meetings held today and to the unanimous acceptance of the general principle of arbitration and mediation.

Delegates Stick to Instructions.

in conformity with the instructions they once with the department, their purpose "Commercial attaches have been appointed then being simply to have made more clear was ignored. for Mexico, Brazil, Uruguay, Argentine Re- certain details in the instructions. They public and Chili and all possible steps are have made no further report to Secretary being taken to increase Spanish interest in Hay of the progress of events at the conference, not even mentioning the difficulties deemed so essential by the United States, dividual property at sea.

> RIOTS IN FRENCH WEST INDIES Trouble Arises Between the Natives and British La-

> LONDON, May 26 .- Advices received from Guadeloupe, the French West Indian island of the Leeward group, report a recurrence of serious rioting between the native population and British contract labor immigrants which culminated in the recent fire. Continuous fierce fighting is said to have taken place on the plantations and the police and military, it appears, cannot suppress the dis-turbance. Several fatalities are reported. As a result the British consul there has appealed to Great Britain for that protection for British subjects which the local government is seemingly unable to afford.

The secretary of state, it was announced from Washington, received on April 18 a telegram from Consul Ayme at La Pointe-a-Pitre, Guadeloupe, saying that fires, alleged to be of incendiary origin, started at midf the British embassy, in negotiating a night, April 17, and destroyed sixteen squares in the vicinity of the American consulate. The consul caid that 400 houses were destroyed, thirty-one lives lost and 2,000 persons rendered homeless. The loss, he estimated, would approximate \$1,000,000. The consul added that, though the fire was out, great uneasiness prevailed among the people and that the governor had arrived at La Pointe-a-Pitre with fifty soldiers.

FINNS ARE GREATLY WROUGHT UP Incendiary Proclamations Circulated

Among the People. HELSINGSFORS, Finland, May 26.-The Finnish Diet, after a protracted deliberation over the new military law, is discussing a counter measure by which some of the Russian institutions will be accepted, but the principle of the rights of Finland will oo strictly safeguarded.

The closing of the Diet is now imminent and will accentuate the differences between the Russians and Finns. The Finnish press declares proclamations are being circulated among the rural population urging them to ambassador, General Horace Porter, make common cause with the Poles against South Dakota-Centerville, Victor G. Wass. "Stussian barbarism" and declaring that the Loubet and Mr. Harrison.

acceptance of Russian rule will result in a division of the land among the poor. The press adds that this agitation is inspired by malevolence and with the object of involving the Finns in difficulties with the Russian government.

DEADLOCK OVER BOUNDARY Agreement Regarding Alaska Appears | CONSIDERABLE PROPERTY IS DESTROYED to Be Further Off Than

Ever Before.

LONDON, May 26.- The foreign office of ficials confirm the statements made by the New York correspondent of the London Times, to the effect that the negotiations with the Canadian government on the subject of Alaska have reached an almost hopeless stage, owing to the insistence of the Americans that they receive a slice of Times, "by publishing its correspondent's etween the American and the Canadian

deadlock seems very serious."

The St. James Gazette thinks American Lincoln. politics are playing an important part in the situation and says: "The republicans are disposed to a friendly arrangement with England, but it must be on terms so favor-

the field for the reassembling of the joint found. The report comes from seven miles The Arbitration committee met this after-noon under the presidency of the chief of the British foreign office, which had seemed swept, including scores of the smaller towns and some of the larger ones, have been left CUBAN SHIPS UNDER CUBAN FLAGS. the French delegation, Leon Bourgeois, who was flanked by the honorary presidents of the spirit of compromise that promised well, Order Granting Shipping Rights to the committee, Sir Julian Pauncefote, chief has been again influenced by Canada's re-Be Ruled Upon. of the British delegation, and Count, Nigra, fusal to agree to anything less than a con-WASHINGTON, May 25.—The War dechief of the Italian delegation. M. Bourgeois cession of all of their demands, which has

excessive and therefore prohibitive export ada outside of Ontario.

SOLDIERS MUST SHUN COURT

French Officers Are Ordered to Keep Away from Public Hearing of Dreyfus Case.

PARIS, May 26 .- The minister of war, Camille Krantz, has issued stringent orders that no officer, either in civilian costume or in uniform, shall frequent the palace of justice or its precincts next week during the public hearing of the demand for a revision of the Dreyfus trial, and during the trial before the court of assizes of Paul Deroulede and M. Marcel-Habert, on a charge of provoking offenses against the security of the state and inciting the army

On the day of the funeral of the late President Faure, February 23, last, as the WASHINGTON, May 26 .- It is learned troops led by General Roget were returnmade it necessary for the government to that the American delegates to the disarma- ing from the cemetery of Pere La Chaise to barracks at Neuilly-Sur-Seine Paul Deroulede, chief of the League of Patriots and enlarging those already known. With originally received from the State depart- and a violent opponent of Dreyfus revision. this intention several important measures ment. They have communicated so far but called upon General Roget to march his troops on the Elysee palace. The request

M. Deroulede, who was then joined by M. Marcel-Habert, member of the Chamber of Deputies for Rambouillet, another vio lent anti-revisionist, headed a band of mer they are reported to have experienced in se- and entered the courtvard of the barracks curing proper understanding of the one point with the brigade. Deroulede and Marcel-Habert boldly proclaimed that they wished namely, the protection from seizure of in- to lead the army into a revolutionary movement and to replace the parliamentary republic by a plebiscitary republic. They refused to quit the barracks and placed under arrest. On the following day the facts were reported to the Chamber of Deputies, which promptly authorized the public prosecutor to take proceedings against them on the charge of attempting to turn the troops from their duty.

The public hearing of the demand for Dreyfus revision is expected to open on Monday next. The speeches will probably occupy four days and the decision be given

SUPREME EFFORT TO FLOAT PARIS Grip of the Rocks Loosened Some

what, but Leaks Increase. COVERACK, Cornwall, May 26 .- A supreme effort to float the American line straining engines was audible afar.

A fresh eastsoutheast breeze was blowing and the sea was rising as an attempt was made to refloat the steamer. When the curious to see what proportion of the num tugs and the engines of the Paris were going full speed the latter appeared to swaying a trifle, but the leakage in the tenant Colonel George M. Randall of the steamer's engine room was increasing. 6:20 p. m .- The attempt resulted in another failure. The Paris is in the same position, which is now regarded as very crit

Importance of Shipbuilding BERLIN, May 26 .- Emperor William, re plying to Privy Councillor Busley, who has Prussia, charged with systematically drugannounced the foundation of the Technical ging recruits so as exempt them from mili-Shipbuilding association, has telegraphed expressing keen interest and saying the persons thus treated have died from the reassociation will be called upon to "help the progress of this great industry which exercises such far-reaching influence over the success and development of the nation."

Ex-President Reaches Paris. PARIS, May 26 .- Former President Ben amin Harrison, who is acting as the legal representative of Venezuela on the boundary commission which meets here on June 13 has arrived in this city. The United States ranging for an interview between President

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PRESIDENT MAY VISIT OMAHA

Gate City in His Western

Tour.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—(Special Tele-

Indian Commissioner Jones has returned

Director Merriam of the census bureau

has requested Representatives Gamble and

Assistant Secretary of War Meiklelohn

oday presented to Secretary Alger a re-

quest of the Greater America Exposition

officials that fifty Filipinos be permitted to

come to the United States under the aus-

pices of the exposition association. Secre-

tary Meiklejchn said no decision would be

reached before tomorrow, as it might be

necessary to consult the president regard-

days ago to General Otis at Manila au-

therizing the transportation of fifteen

What action Commissioner of Labor

Powderly would take in view of the order

Filipinos destined for Glen Island, N. Y.,

coln and Omaha, where he has private in-

Matt Daugherty, receiver of the land office

tified by the civil service commission.

of General Ludington of the War depart-

ment, is the guest of the latter at Portland.

O. J. Collman and wife of Beatrice, Neb.,

stopped off in Washington today on their

Jesse Gidley was today appointed post-

master at Sand Creek, Saunders county,

George L. Parker, Iowa, was today ap-

Flagship Brooklyn, Modeled in Flow

ers, Goes Into Dry Dock on the

Mountain's Summit.

SUMMIT PIKE'S PEAK, Colo., May 26 .-

Admiral Schley and party reached the sum-

dock, as he smilingly remarked, on the

A public reception was held this evening

Tomorrow morning the party will resume its

TWO KILLED BY AN EXPLOSION

Several Others Injured-Steam Drying

Cylinder in Dye Works Causes

PHILADELPHIA, May 26.—One man was

instantly killed and another so badly injured

that he died by the explosion of a steam

drying cylinder in the dyeing and finishing

mill of James Martin & Co. today. Three

others were injured, one probably fatally.

The side wall and some of the partitions

were blown out by the force of the ex-

plosion. The loss on the building and ma-

OUICK TRIP OF AUTOMOBILE

Vehicle Travels from Cleveland to New York in Better Time Than

Was Expected.

NEW YORK, May 26.-The carriage con-

taining Alexander Winton and Mr. Shinks

arrived at the city hall from Cleveland, O.,

The mayor was unable to remain at his

The automobile left Cleveland at 6 o'clock

office so late, and the mossage will be de-

the Trouble.

the Alta Vista hotel, Colorado Springa.

Fike, at Calvin, Black Hawk county In-

terests to look after.

way west from New York.

agency, at \$600 a year.

pany.

The dead:

DANIEL HUSTON.

WILLIAM LANG.

Robert Underworth

Michael McDonough; may die.

chinery is estimated at \$10,000.

livered tomorrow morning.

The injured are:

Michael Carlin.

at 5:45 o'clock

owner.

bill teday.

representative Filipinos.

ing the matter, as an order was sent some

after an absence of several weeks. While in

gram.)-Senator Carter of Montana said to

Destructive Storm Said to Have Passed Near Minden and Kenesaw.

Details Are Difficult to Obtain, but No Lives Are Reported Lost-Cyclone at River Falls. Wis., Plays Havoc.

Meager reports came in late last night of a tornado in the vicinity of Minden and Kenesaw on the line of the Burlington rail-Alaska, which apparently precludes any road. Hastings also reports that at 9 o'clock the atmospheric condition gave every indieation of a tornado and it was rumored high commissioners. The evening news that the storm had passed south of that day that the president had promised to papers here reproduce the New York dis- town. This report, however, could not be make a trip through the Yellowstone Napatch with comment, generally regretting substantlated. The Minden storm was said tional Park this summer and now that Ad the situation, but objecting to be con-clusions that Canada is blamab. The Globe says: "The Canadians would be far erable damage to property, but no lives less patriotic than they are if they yielded were reported lost. At Kenesaw, about mid- here about July 1. St. Paul will entertain to what they consider to be an unjust and way between Minden and Hastings, the wind the president and Omaha, it is expected, indefensible demand for the sake of the establishment of more friendly relations with their big neighbor."

way between animen and frastings, the wind the president and Omaha, it is expected, is said to have destroyed several buildings. Owing to the lateness of the hour at which wilson of the Agricultural department said the reports came in it was impossible to ob- this afternoon that it was his internal to the reports came in it was impossible to ob- this afternoon that it was his internal to the reports came in it was impossible to ob- this afternoon that it was his internal to the reports came in it was impossible to ob- this afternoon that it was his internal to the reports came in it was impossible to ob- this afternoon that it was impossible to obthe reports came in it was impossible to ob- this afternoon that it was his intention to The Westminster Gazette says: "We cer- tain any details. No one at the Omaha make the trip with the president should be tainly hope a better face can be put on office of the Burlington had heard of the go to the Pacific coast, and otherwise he things, so far as we are concerned, but the storm. This is not to be wondered at, how- would go to the Pacific coast alone. ever, as the train dispatcher's office is at

Damage Done by Heavy Rain. the west the commissioner visited Canton. BANCROFT, Neb., May 26 .- (Special.)-A S. D., and selected a site for the hospital rain visited this vicinity last night that for insane Indians to be constructed at that able to America that the democrats will have did many thousand dollars of damage. For place, for which congress appropriated \$25, about an hour and a half it rained in | 000. The site selected is east of Canton and torrents. A great deal of the corn is washed | contains about 100 acres of land. It is said WASHINGTON, May 26 .- There is little out, fences and even buildings on low to be an ideal location. Work on plans for doubt that our government is inclined to ground have been carried away by the this structure, the first of its kind to be retaliatory considerations against Canada flood. Just south of town August Blone built in this country, will soon be inauguby the discouraging results of the negotia- is thought to have had twenty-five head of rated. tions in London, looking to the clearing of cattle drowned. Two carcases have been southwest of this place that Peter Buyers' Burke of South Dakota to file recommendawife and child and Mrs. Jerome Pflaum tions for census supervisors of that state as were drowned while attempting to cross soon as possible. The director is now mak-Cuming creek. ing up a list to be submitted to the president and a large number of nominations

LYONS, Neb., May 26 .- (Special.)-Farmers living west of here report a severe | will probably be made about July 1. wind and hail storm for that locality last evening about dusk, which did much damage to the buildings upon the farms of Peter J. Lawson, four miles west, and doing no damage, however,

Cyclone in Wisconsin. RIVER FALLS, Wis., May 26 .- A tornado struck this city shortly after 6 o'clock tonight. It seems to have had its inception in the Fourth ward of the city, where it and landed it upside down. It then passed up South Fork valley, and at George T. Smith's brickyard the sheds were demolished and considerable damage done. A cellar and escaping injury.

Half a mile further up the valley a large scattered over half a section of land. Maz the contract labor law. Powderly, speakstroyed.

missile and had his back injured. Another boy is said to have been hurt, but partic-

Large trees were twisted off or uprooted The cloud was funnel-shaped and after moving up the valley for three miles it began to move to the north and slowly

TALKS ON WOMAN'S RIGHTS As Alumna of Illinois Institution Mrs. Bryan Makes Address to Reigning Class.

JACKSONVILLE, III., May 26 .- Mrs. W J. Bryan, herself a graduate of the Academy for Young Women in this city, made the chief address to a graduating class today. Mrs. Bryan spoke on "The American Woman." She said, among other things:

"The public finds the American woman an interesting subject. This interest follows from the unique position in which American woman stand today. The American women should be sufficiently independent to study her own surroundings, choose her own course and live the life which pleases herself and those nearest her, without regard to the opinions of the outer world.

"While we hear a great deal these days about equality, the real permanent advancement of weman depends on her own individual development. When man finds in woman a thorough appreciation at his work and aims; when the mind of weman becomes the perfect supplement and complement of the mind of men, which the Creator in tended it to be, then will all the discussions as to rights and privileges cease. Woman has long been a recognized power in the spiritual world and when one looks into a church in any part of our land and sees how much of the work is done by women it seems almost superfluous to say that the ideal of American womanhood is attained under three-fold development of the physical, the mental and the spiritual."

GOLD OFFERED TO THE CUBANS Distribution of the Three Million Dollar Gratuity Begins-Rolls

Thought to Be Swollen.

HAVANA, May 26 .- The distribution of the \$3,000,000 which the United States govsteamer Parls commenced at 5:10 p. m. to- ernment has offered as a gratuity to the day. Smoke was then belching from all its Cuban troops on disbanding and surrenderfunnels and the tugs assisting it churned ing their arms, will begin at 10 o'clock tothe water into foam. The noise of the morrow morning at the foot of the Prado Under the swollen rolls prepared by the late Cuban military assembly the Americans who have closely followed the subject, are bers listed will actually appear. There are only 400 on the list for Havana, and Lieu-Eighth United States infantry, the commissioner superintending the distribution

> Physicians Drug Recruits. BERLIN, May 26 .- A sensation has been Elberfeld and Renischeid, towns of Rhenish tary service. It is asserted that four of the sults of the drugs administered to them. The prisoners offered ball in the sum of 50,000 marks, but this was refused.

> Water for Summer Use LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 26 .- Congress. nan R. J. Waters is collecting data with a lew to attempting to secure national legis authorizing the building of reseroirs for holding the great quantity of storm water which goes to waste in southern California every year. Waters will make an effort to be placed on the arid lands com-mittee of the house in order that he may work to this end.

CONDITION OF THE WEATHER DEWEY RECUPERATES Forecast for Nebraska-Fair, Cooler, Variable Winds, Temperature at Omaha yesterday:

Hour, Deg. Hour, Deg. 5 n. m. . . . 69 1 p. m. . . . 72 6 n. m. . . . 68 2 p. m. . . . 89 Cool Air and Freedom from All Anxiety Brace Up the Admiral. 3 p. m..... 82

> WILL BE HIMSELF AGAIN IN SHORT TIME 6 p. m..... 84 7 p. m..... 83

> 9 p. m..... 79 Lives in Comparative Quiet and Declines Many Urgent Invitations.

Chief Executive Likely to Include SAYS HE WILL BE HOME OCTOBER FIRST

Leisurely Voyage on Return Trip with Steps at Various Points.

AMAZED AT PLANS FOR HIS RECEPTION

Sends His Grateful Thanks to His Countrymen for Their Kindness-Expresses Consideration for His Officers and Men.

Copyright, 1899, by Press Publishing Co.) HONG KONG, May 26 .- (New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-1 gave to Admiral Dewey today this first information that the city of New York will expend \$150,000 and the state of New York \$75,000 in giving a fitting welcome home to the hero of Manila bay. The admiral expressed himself as amazed

at the lavish preparations for his reception, adding:

"I wish you would convey to the public my grateful thanks." The admiral's itinerary after leaving Hong

Kong is indefinite. The repairs to his flag-ship, the Olympia, will be finish at in about a week, he expects. When they are done to his satisfaction he will sail immediately for New York. Regarding his homeward voyage he said:

"I cannot say definitely when I shall reach home, but probably it will be about the 1st of October. The Navy department very kindly has permitted me to select my own route and take my own time.

"As the officers and men of the Olympia have been in Manila bay more than a year with no recreation, they deserve consideration. So I shall proceed toward home leisurely, staying a while at various ports in order to give the men some well merited recreation.

When Admiral Dewey arrived at Hong Kong, it cost him an effort to even write a letter, but the cool air of the Peak district has acted like a wonderful tonic and he has recuperated rapidly. He walks out every evening with United States Consul General of the War department to General Otis Wildman. There is no doubt of his complete recov-

permitting Filipinos to land in the United ery ultimately. While he remains here he States is a puzzling question. Collector North of San Francisco refused some forty will live in comparative quiet. He is constantly declining the invitations of his large to land about ten days ago and on appeal number of callers. His presence has aroused small building used for the employes was this matter is pending before Commissioner all classes to a high pitch of enthusiasm Powderly. Collector North has taken the and numerous banquets have been tendered position that the Filipinos are aliens, and him by the governor of Hong Kong, all the as they were brought from the Philippine official bodies, the Boards of Trade, the barn on the farm of C. P. Burnett was islands for show purposes they came within Hong Kong club and many individuals. The This also may bring out the question of hard the committee was too tax. If this view is found committee was too exceedingly delicate and he could not say and with the governor if his health permits

Advices from Washington. had ribs broken. John Deois, aged 14, who and a decision is expected to be handed telegraphs the Navy department that he WASHINGTON, May 26.—Admiral Dewey will stop at various places on his way to the Comptroller Dawes leaves Saturday for United States and will reach New York Illinois, but before returning will visit Lin-

about October 1. Admiral Dewey's dispatch did not enumerate the points where the Olympia will touch enroute to New York. It may be that at Sidney, will appoint a clerk for that an effort will be made to ascertain these office, no eligible register having been cerfor the benefit of officials of some of the towns, especially along the Mediterranean, Dr. Paul Ludington of Omaha, a nephew who may desire to take official notice of the visit to their ports of the distinguished naval officer and his famous flagship. Some of Dewey's friends in the Navy de-

partment suspect that the admiral is purposely evading a statement of his itinerary, desiring to avoid as far as possible all demonstrations.

Neb., vice W. Gidley, resigned; also B. J. One result of the postponement of the admiral's arrival in this country until October is the impossibility of the admiral pointed blacksmith at the Rosebud, S. D., being present at the Grand Army of the Republic encampment at Philadelphia. His SCHLEY ASCENDS PIKE'S PEAK friends there say that after all that was the only occasion which the admiral had positively promised to attend and they intimate that in having been obliged by his health to decline the dinner at Hong Kong in honor of the queen's birthday, Admiral Dewey will find it impossible to depart from the rule he there established and attend any banquets or popular demonstramit of Pike's Peak at 1:40 p. m. today. He tions in this country. Most of the time of brought a miniature of his flagship Brook-Admiral Dewey before his return, it is exlyn, done in flowers, and placed it in dry pected, will be passed in Mediterranean ports and a generous part at Malta and highest point reached by a railroad in the Gibraltar and perhaps, coming by the south-United States. The party was the guests of ern route, the Olympia will touch at the the Manitou & Pike's Peak Railway com-

> NEW YORK, May 26 .- A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from Hong Kong

westward journey in a special train provided says: Admiral Dewey shows great improveby the Denver & Rio Grande railroad. A ment already. Installed spaciously at the stop of several hours will be made at Glen- Peak hotel, with lofty windows that catch every mouthful of wind from the sea, he is wood Springs and Salt Lake will be reached losing the air of languor that he wore when he landed from his blistered cruiser. It was rest that he needed-rest and oler air. He is getting both. Society at the Peak is well bred. There are no disturbing factors there. It is here that the English officers and their wives, the government officials, the rich merchants and distinguished travelers take refuge from the heat and noise of the town. They all feel a deep interest in the hero of Manila bay,

Detectives Guard the Admiral.

but they respect his desire for quiet. He has already become one of themseives. With the case of a pelished man of the world he has dropped into his place in the little community that really resembles a house party at an English country residence. Strangers to that community cannot intrude upon him, however. The government detectives see to that. So do the detectives hired by Consul General Wildman. So do the swarms of Chinese servants,

If the Filipino junta ever meant more than bluster by its hints of assassination it has been thoroughly cowed by the British police. Howard Bray, the English confederate of the insurgents, has been suddenly stricken dumb. So have his American fellow schemers. These people received brusque warning from the authorities that if they did not behave themselves they would be treated to a dizzy surprise. The Filipinos themselves were similarly cautioned and are under close surveillance.

At dusk today, when the sea breeze set in, Admiral Dewey took a walk along the bluff with Consul Wildman and they renained out for half an hour. The victor's

Monday morning, making the trip in four Singers Exchange Greetings

days, eleven hours and forty-five minutes, CASSEL, H & e Na sau, May 26. At a bancovering the distance of 707 4-10 miles in uet today, given by the municipal council two days better than was hoped by the a celebration of the competition of the erman choral societies. President Seidlitz read a cable message of greeting from Presi-Roosevelt Signs Franchise Tax Bill. dent Wieland of the choral societies of New York, whereupon three cheers were given Roosevelt signed the amended franchier tax for the German singers across the ocean.