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DEAUX FIDINC HEADI	caten, bard-boiled eggs lay beside them. Some Natal Dutchmen were recognized among the dead.	WHEFTED TO BETUDY HONE	loan, with the government as security, of	DEDWAYEVE WHITTADY DOCT.	CONDITION OF THE WEATHER	THEN CHOOT TO ELLY
HEAVY FIRING HEARI	Some Natal Dutchmen were recognized	WHEELER TO RETURN HOME		PERMANENT MILITARY POST	CONDITION OF THE WEATHER	THEY SHOOT TO KILL
ARALLY & A PARALLY ARALLAND	Contraction of the second of t		Mr. Luce, representative of the binking		Forecast for Nebrasha-	THE SHOUL TO HILL
	A number of Boer bodies and carcasses of	and an an international and	firm of De Ford & Co., United States fiscal agents in Puerto Rico, said, in dis-	and the second sec	Partly Cloudy and Warm; Variable Winds.	and the second se
Dilland Berry Any Consumption Dollars	a spruit, which became a raging forrent during	Will Start from Manila This Week for	cussing the aims of the delegation that	Favorable Report on the Bill to Make Fort	Temperature at Omaba vesterday:	
	a heavy thunderstorni.	United States.	they were in no sense pulitical.	McKenzie a Fixture.	Hour, Deg. Hour, Deg.	Kentucky Duel Results in Three Dead, One
Passage of the Tugela.	The British while digging graves were		"Our whole object," said Mr. Luce, "Is		$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Dying, Two Injured.
	fired on by the Boer artiliery and several of	HAV HAVE & STOP AT ISLAND OF SHAM	to try to obtain as speedily as possible	INTERNATE NOTE THESE IN CONSISTER		
RUMOR BRITISH ARE NEAR LADYSMIT	u them were hit. Soft-noted bullets and dum-	MAY MAKE A STOP AT ISLAND OF GUAM	laws in Puerto Rico. We shall go at once	UNANIMOUS VOTE TAKEN IN COMMITTEE		TREATBY ADDING IN FREEMART HATT
HONOR DINTISH AND HEAR CATSINI	H dum cartridges have been found on wounded prisoners. Volunteers carried the Ther dead		to Washington and confer with Senator For-		9 n. m 29 5 p. m 33 10 n. m 30 6 p. m 32	TRAGEDY OCCURS IN FRANKFORT HOTEL
	off the hill and handed the boller over to	Officials at War Department Have Lif-	aker, chairman of the Insufar commission,	Congressman Mercer Desires to Per-	11 n. m	
Brisk Exchange of Shells at Modder	17, " r comrades at the boltom. Over ninety	tle to Say-General Writes	and with the president."	petuate the Memory of Grant by	12 mererer 31 8 p. mererer 32 n. m. m. 21	Former Congressman Colson Chief Actor in
Tuesday Morning.	carried off Wagon hill alone.	Alabama Friend He	In speaking of the benefits which would accrue to the island, if it were included in	a Fitting Memorial Erected	0 5. 10.15111 51	and the second
- working - working.		Has Resigned.	the present tariff laws, one of the party	in Washington.		the Bloody Cccurrance.
	EVEN RUMORS ARE CENSORED		said that an immediate stimulus would be		Wyman of the marine hospital service for	Because as
TROOPS LOSE CONFIDENCE IN METHUE	No News of Any Character Being Tele-	MANILA, Jan. 16 General Wheeler will	given to the sugar and coffee industries,	Transation and and the Consents I cit-	the prevention of the introduction of the babonic plague into the United States and	ALL THE VICTIMS PROMINENT PEOPLE
and a second sec	graphed from Natal-Pence	start on his return to the United States	"On the exports of the former," said he, "there is now a duty of \$1.69 per hundred	gram.)-Congressman Mondell, member of	Ha dependencies.	See The VIGTIMIS FROMMENT FEOREE
Tucker Will Probably Succeed Man Respon		this week, making a stop at Guam on his way thither.	mounds and the island produces annually	the committee on military affairs of the bouse, was instructed today by that com-	and a second second second	The second secon
	and the second	Three additional cases of the bubonic	about h5,000 tons. If the duty were removed the yield would reach \$0,000 tons. Of course	mittee to write a favorable report on his	To Hear Suffragists WASHINGTON Jan 15-The indictary	Battle is Terrific and Bullets Fairly Rain
sible for Magersfontein Defeat.	LONDON, Jan. 17 4 a. m Even ramors are no longer telegraphed from Natal. The	plague have been reported.	the yield would reach \$0,000 tons. Of course there is no duty on coffee, but that at pres-	bill creating a permanent military post at	committee of the house unanimously agreed	Through Hotel Lobby.
and the second se	conclusion deduced from this silence by the	WASHINGTON, Jan. 16 The officials of	there is no duty on conce, but that at pres-	Fort McKenzie, Wyo., near Sheridan. There	to grant the request of the Woman Suffrage	5
DEMONSTRATION BY GATACRI'S TROOP	'S military experts in general is that no de-	the War department had very little to say	land, over 90 per cent of it having been	was not a dissenting vote to the measure.	association for a heaving on February 13, at	CHIR DEGLIS DURING THE STORE
	claive blow has been struck either way, as	in explanation of the return to the United States of General Wheeler. The correct-	wiped out by the last hurricane, so that now,	1979 IOF the crection of permanent barracks.	the time the national convention of woman	FLOD BEGAN DURING THE SPANISH WAR
Force Moves Toward Stormberg i	in such an event there would be no ne-	ness of the report was admitted and it was	instead of a \$5,000,000 crop, there will be only one valued at \$500,000.	the size of the post to rest entirely with	sumragists is in session nere,	
Bellef Boers intended to Seize	Collection way a maximum and a second s	said that the order had been given some	"It is difficult to got a figure on the to-	the War department.	CARNEGIE DID NOT PAY TOLLS	Colson Was Colonel of Fourth Ken-
Molteno-French Continues	quietly formed to represent the peace mi-	time ago, but whether or not it was the	bacco production, but it is that and the su-	Mercer, in speaking of his bill introduced yesterday providing for preparation of plans		tucky Regiment-Scott, a Subordi-
to Shell Enemy.	nority, announces Itself to the country to-	result of an application by General Wheeler	gar which would, if admitted free to the	and designs for a Grant memorial to be	Says He Would Give \$4,000 to Cir-	nate, Refused to Obey Orders-
to such Enemy.	day and asks for support. Among its mem-	himself could not be recalled. It was gathered from preceding statements that	United States, bring prosperity to the is-	erected in this city, sold;	culate Boar's Speech Among Americans.	Court-Martial Followed.
	bers are Lord and Lady Coleridge, Herbert Spencer, Sir Robert Threshie Reid, George	Canoral Oris had not been able to find a		"Washington offers many tempting local-	Americans.	
LONDON, Jan, 17 A diepatch to the	10 John Cham Latanni Phylonia Hamison	place in the field satisfactory to General	HIGH SCHOOLS FOR CUBANS	tiles for the crection of a grand triumphant arch, the intersection of Sixteenth street	NEW YORK, Jan. 16In a dispatch from	FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 16 A shocking
Daily Mail from Pletermaritzburg, date Tuesday, says:	Stephen Gladstone, the counters of Carlisle	wheeler, and the latter having no mind for	and the second se	and New Hampshire avenue, for instance,	Washington to a Philadelphia paper 11 was	tragedy, in which the lives of three prom-
A GCGGGY, BHYN.	and other notable persons. Leonard Court- ney, unionist member of parliament for	BELACC TO MUTUR AND MUTUR TO ICIDID TO	General Wood and Cabinet Decide to Establish One in Each of the	and it is a standing disgrace that this na-	stated on the authority of a congressman that Andrew Carnegic had given \$4,000 to	inent men were sacrificed and that of a
yesternay. I believe the Boera are con	1" the Dodmin division of Commull is most	FLORENCE, Ala., Jan. 16The first ab-	Establish One in Each of the Provinces.		pay the cable tolls on Senator Hoar's speech	extincts submanifestatic community with a submary to the
testing treneral Buller's passage of th	dont of the committee	solute news of the intended course of Gen-		Grant with some statue or other memorial in stone. Almost every square is adorned	cabled last winter to the rebeis in the	juries, occurred here at 1 o'clock today.
Tugela. Howlizers were evidently busy, a	This movement should be distinguished	eral Joe Wheeler, representative to congress	HAVANA, Jan. 18 At today's meeting of	with an equestrian monument to heroes of	Philippines.	The principals in the tragedy were ex-Cou-
heard in Natal."	et from the "stop-the-war" group of extrem-	from this, the Eighth Louisiana district, came today in a letter to W. J. Wood, state	the cabinet numerous matters were under consideration. Definite regulations were	the civil war, and very appropriately, but	Mr. Carnegie gave out the following state-	gressman David G. Colgon of Middlephoro
	ists, of whom William T. Stead is the coest as active member. Its program, summarized, is		made regarding High schools. One will be	the steatest nero of that struckle is not re-		and Lieutenant Ethelbert Scott of Samer- set. Scott was shot aix times by Colson
received the following dispatch, dated Tues	as to wait until a proper opportunity arises for	the general, the letter follows:	established in each province. It was also	membered. This neglect of congress has prompted me to offer a hill for the prepara-	and the second se	and almost instantly killed.
day, January 16, from Pietermaritzburg:	some neaccable settlement. Meanwhile, it	PANAGE PRIMINE OF LERGH, F. L. Dec. 2.	decided that the municipal judges should	tion of plans and desires for a floor we	do not need messages of sympathy or com-	Luther W. Demarree, assistant postmaster
There is no news from the front, bu	ut will gather and distribute correct informa- tion and sound views. The manifesto affirms	In partons from the Patient States that the	be paid definito salaries. The counsel will be appointed at the public expense to de-	morial. I would place the matter in the	fort. "I would, however, subscribe that amount	at Shelbyville, an innocent bystander, was
tion of Frere. It is probable that Gener-	c- tion and sound views. The manifesto affirms al that as "the war was begun amid misunder-	commissioner of the land office was against recommending that our mineral lands be		hands of the secretary of war, the chairman	to a fund for the circulation of the speech	shot three times and died instantly. Charles
Buller is engaging the enemy. A rumor	is standings on both sides, a pacific settlement		Consideration was given to the question	of the joint committee on library, the pres- ident of the senate and speaker of the houre.	among Americans who need it and would	half an hour later, and Caprain B. B. Golden
current here that a portion of the Britis	sh is possible."	until we get our school lands out of it. I	of public works, all of the secretaries ex-	Let them communicate with prominent ar-	follow the advice it contains wisely."	of Barboursville, commonwealth's attorney
force is near Ladysmith."	The War office has issued orders for the	expect to leave in a few days for the United States and will devote myself to getting		tists and architects and obtain designs on	LINETATION OF INDEDITINGTO	of the Twenty-seventh judicial district, was
The Times publishes the following fro Pletermaritzburg, dated Tuesday:	m formation of five new batteries. Seventeen more militia battalions will be embodied in	the bill through, which I think I can do	The wattaw forme statistics since the ha-	the understanding that the five men submit- ting the best designs shall be compensated	LIMITATION OF INHERITANCES	shot in the back and is not expected to sur-
	the course of a fortnight. All the regulars		ginning of the year show improved condl-	for their work. I would like to see an	President Logan of New York Bar As-	vive the night. Colonel Colson himself was shot twice in the arm. Harry Me.
yesterday in the direction of Springfield."			tion. There were only five cases under	appropriation of \$5,000 made by congress		Ewing of Louisville was shot in the foot and
Boers Return British Fire.	infantry hattalions and eleven cavalry bat-	truly your friend, JOSEPH WHEELER,	treatment yesterday. The doctors say the	for the beginning of this project."	Million Dollars.	W. O. Ridpath of Chicago sustained a
MODDER RIVER, Tuesday, Jan. 16. There was brisk exchange of shells th	talions. The War office has placed an order to for 32,000,000 cartridges in cases.	and retter time analysis in manner, assess	from the disease.	Congressman Lamb of the Richmond (Va.) district has introduced a bill for the	ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 16 In opening the	broken leg by the lifeless form of Scott
morning, the Boers returning our fire for th		ber 2, and reached Florence today.		payment of certain claims which interest a	session of the State Bar association Pres-	falling against him as it colled down the stairway. The tragedy is one of the most
first time in several days,	It has accepted 5,000 out of the 10,000 which	Long List of Deaths.	PUERTO RICO NEEDS ATTENTION.	number of persons in Nebraska. It provides	ident Logan made an address on the "Lim-	sensational in the history of "The Dark and
The British entrenchments are being con	Contraction of the American States of The St	WASHINGTON, Jan. 16General Otis		for the payment of \$738.25 to John Brentling	itations of Inheritances," in which he ad- vocated a \$10,000,000 statutory limitation on	Bloody Ground."
tinually strengthened and extended. Th permanent railway bridge is almost con	THE REPORT OF THE REPORT OF THE REPORT OF THE PARTY OF TH	has cabled the War department the follow-		of Nebraska, for commissary stores fur- nished by him in 1862 at Clinton, Ia., to		The killing occurred in the lobby of the
pleted.	the departure from Egypt of a number of			United States troops then stationed at that		Capitol hotel, the principal hostelry of the state capital, the room being well-filled at
Heavy rains have fallen in the hills re-		January 3, Gotta Batch, Mindanao, Thomas	meeting was the present unsatisfactory	place. It proposes to give Henry T. Clarke	First-There is at the present day no good	the time with politicians and others who are
cently and the fords of Reit river are a		J. Williams, Company G. Thirty-first in-	status of Puerto Rico. The president and		purpose to be served by giving a man power	here attending the contests for state offices
impassable. It is reported that it will it necessary to relay the safe over almost th	ATTACK OF BOERS REPULSED	fantry; January 7, Apparri, Luzon, John K.	the members of the cabinet are very much	a building at Fort Creek, used by the gov-	Second-The great power which great	before the legislature.
entire distance from Modder river to Kin	ATTACK OF BUENS BEFULSED	January 8, Montalbon, Wilbur L. Webber,	in earnest of their advocacy of action by congress and particularly desire a material	ernment during the progress of the build-	anothing to be and a solution of the second state of the solution of the second state	Colonel Colson is in jall tonight, charged with murder, but he claims self-defense.
berley, the Boers having used the rails an		Company K. Twenty-seventh infantry;	reduction in the present tariff duties on	Clarke, in 1899 submitted a proposition to	to those who inherit the wealth as to those	
sleepers in building their fortification	5. Yorkshires and the New	Manila, Willie L. Wreen, Company A.	imports from Puerto Rico to the United	the government for the sale of the land	who acquire it by their own exertions.	Stories About Fight Conflicting. The witnesses to the affair were taken so
Stories still reach camp that the Fre Staters desire to end the war. The later		H. Poorman, Company A. Ninetaonth In-	States. In fact, it was stated today that	upon which Fort Crook now stands, ex-	Third-No vested right would be infringed and no injustice done to any one by the	much by surprise when the shooting began
report is that a council was held recent	BENSREEG Cape Colony, Monday, Jan	fantry, Typhoid: October 31, Robert Mc-	an entire removal of the duties would be	empting the buildings on the site. These buildings were used by the military and he	proposed legislation.	that most of them were almost panic-
at Bloemfontein, at which President S.y	15The Boers this morning attempted to	Knight, Company E, Twenty-fourth in-	dealds to it is it is pointed out the	buildings acre made by the married for their		stricken, and there are many and conflicting
and General Cronje were present. It was	13 which a hill hold by a commany of the North-	Jantry; December 30, Winneld Marshail,	Puerto Ricans are practically shut out of	use.	BRYAN AT KENTUCKY BANQUET	stories as to how the fight began. Colonel
the attack by January 17 the Free State	in shires and the New Zealanders, but they rs were repulsed at the point of the bayonet.	Company C. I wenty-fourth infantity, 190-	the second and a second the second of the second se	AND A DECK	· · · · ·	Colson and a party of friends, among whom was Demarree, were sitting in the lobby en-
would return home. The enormous difficult	V The Deeper had dependent over hilled and	Seventcenth infantry; December 18, Harry	of all kinds is stagnant and a general de-	Congressman Mercer introduced a bill to-	Celebration of the Election of Sen- ator Blackburn-Met at Train	gaged in conversation as Scott and Captain
the boers must experience in provisi nin	18 about fifty wounded	rhomas, company G, seventeeath intantry;	valls throughout the Island. Although the	day for the relief of Mrs. Wilhelm Gross, residing at Blair	by Coebel	Golden came up the stairs from the bar-
their speytiontein army, which is far from	m The hill commands a tract of country east	December 5, Henry G. Wharton, Company E. Seventeenth infantry; Benjamin Haworth,	president has no though of urging his views	Congressman Neville asks for a pension		room. When they had advanced about half
the railway head, is very evident,	of the main position of the Boers and they	is, seventeenth infantry; benjamin Haworth,	upon the attention of congress, he feels,	for Ray Joseph W. Skelton of Broken Bow	FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 16 W. J. Bryan	way across the room, walking in the direc-

LONDON, Jan. 16 .- Evidence accumulates the heights.

Troops Lose Confidence in Methnen, had determined to make an attempt to seize

Twenty-fourth

Company C. Third infantry; William M. Bretherton, Company A. Eleventh cavalry; December 7, Patrick Mason, Company I. relieve the islanders from the present de- jett and Josph Cramer.

also a celebration of the election of Senator Instantly returned the fire

The shooting then became general and by

is said to have crouched behind to ward off

bullets from Colson's revolver. In an in-

stant Demarree fell dead, plerced by three

bullets. Captain Golden, who accompanied

that General Methuen's blunder at Magers-fontein has lost him the confidence of his fire at a small wall behind the Yorkshires entire force to such an extent that, it is and compelled the latter to keep close under declared, it is doubtful if the troops would cover. When the Boers rushed the wall the follow him in another attack on the Boers. Yorkshires fixed bayonets and charged.

The War office is understood to be in posform an impossible task, and he had either close range. to obey or surrender his sword.

An immediate change in the command is anticipated in some quarters that Lieuten- | loss. ant General Tucker will succeed General Methuen

proves that the censorship will allow the small kopies at the base of the hill. nothing to pass until General Buller's plans are executed or have failed. Even General Roberts, in his report of yesterday evening, refrained from mentioning a word about Natal or General Buller. From the other columns there is little news of moment. Modder river advices of yesterday's date only report daily long range chelling, from which the Boers are supposed to have suffered severely,

A dispatch from Sterkstroem, dated Monday, January 15, reports that General

to seize Molteno. The burghers were not be in sore straits. sighted and the British remained at Molteno. Arrivals from Stormborg estimate that there are 4,500 Boers at that place, mostly re-

Stevn's brother is the landdrost.

FRENCH VESSEL LANDS GUNS

Six Big Creusots and Fifty Tons of Shells Are Smuggled Through for Boers.

taken place.

LONDON, Jan. 17 .- The Pietermaritzburg correspondent of the Times telegraphing The Associated Press learns that while it Tuesday, January 16, says:

of last month under the noses of two Britblockade.

The Swazi queen mother, since the death squadron when it sails January 30. of the King Bunu, has killed all the chiefs who were ever in England or Capetown and (Copyright, 1909, by Press Publishing Co.) is now plotting with the Boers. The situa- LONDON, Jan, 16-(New York World Cation may fairly be considered grave, and it blegram-Special Telegram)-War expert would be well to send regiments of Guer- with no news generally follow the Lender's Delegation of Representative Citikhas to Swaziland kumediately.

Refugees from Swaziland, living in the sitions and speculate on his changes of suc-Lembobo district, recently brought news to cess. The Leader expert declares he does urenzo Marquez that the queen of Swazi- not expect any official announcement of reland was dead.

King Bunu was looked upon with suspleion. correct but has no new features. According to their story not the queen's mother, but Nececo, Bunu's brother, was acting as head of the Swazi nation, and he conjunction with Tocuba, Umbandine's old prime minister, was carrying on a reign of terror, killing off whole kraais all over the country.

HAVOC WROUGHT BY WHITE'S GUNS.

Scene at Ladysmith Battlefield Described by a Correspondent

LADYSMITH, Monday, Jan. S .- (By Messenger to Weenen, Jan. 16.)-A representa-

Diehl, Company I, Seventeenth , infantry; Just at that moment Captain Maddocks, session of a letter written by General with a small party of New Zealanders, came Wauchope the night before the battle, say- up and the combined force leaned over the

ing that would be the last letter he would wall and charged straight for the enemy, ever write, as he had been asked to per- who fiel, followed by a withering fire at The Boers literally tumbled over each

other in their hurry to escape, but the perof the force may therefore be expected. It sistent fire of the British inflicted a heavy Desultory firing continued for some

time, but the attack was an utter failure The complete absence of news from Natal and the Boers retreated to the shelter of

> BOERS GET IN THEIR STORY Destroy One of the Forts at Mafe- December 27, Charles F. Adams, cook, Com- sene when the shooting was done, as he king-Ladysmith is in Sore Straits.

PRETORIA, Saturday, Jan. 13 .- As a re- comber 21, James Leary, Company 1, Thirtysult of the bombardment of Mafeking yes- fourth infantry. Vari-cle. December 25, torday the British fort at Eastward was de- Charles F. Easley, band, Thirty-fourth molished and the British retired. One Boer infantry: January 5, Austin Greggs, Mr. Shutze and fired. He then placed the was wounded. Advices from the head Company M. Twenty-fourth infantry. Diph-Gatacre's troops had made a demonstration laager at Ladysmith report that the attack theria, January 2, John L. Porter, musician, beyond Molteno, in the direction of Storm- on that place January 6 was disastrous to Company H. Twenty-fourth infantry. berg, in the belief that the Boers intended the British and that Ladysmith appears to Cardiac dilatation, January 7. Andrew P

Plenty of Canadians Willing.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 16 .- A special to monary apoplexy, January 7, William G. volted colonists and Free Staters. President the Dispatch from Winnipeg, Man., says: Liewellyn, Company G, Sixth infantry. En-Premier Haultain of the Northwest Terri- territs, January 12, Campbell Oswald General French continues to shell the tory stated today that Lord Strathsona would geant, Company E. Eighteenth infantry, Boer positions, but nothing decisive has have no difficulty in finding hundreds of good Gunshot wound, Nevember 17, William Polmen only too glad for the opportunity to lock, Company L. Third cavalry; January make up his contingent for South Africa 8, Enos H. Williams, Company H. Twenty-Hundreds of first-class men were refused eighth infantry; January 12, Joseph Cook, places on the second contingent. Haultain Company B, Ninth infantry. says it would be a great mistake to place January 4, William L. Miller, Company D the men under any but western officers. Thirty-eighth infantry. Suicide, January 6 Canada will have no need to be ashamed of Prestwood B. Craddock, Company F. Fourth the physique of her western men.

Forming New Naval Brigade.

is yet uncertain that the entire Special The Delagoa bay correspondent of the Na- Service squadron is going to South Africa Wyman of the marine hospital service has tal Times asserts that six big Creusot guns when relieved at Gibraltar by the Channel received a callegram, dated today, from and fifty toxs of shells were landed from the squadron, a portion of it will be used to con- the Past Assistant Surgeon Perry, who ar-French steamer Gironde about the middle vey the new naval brigade being formed for rived at Manila January 12. He states that service at the front in Cape Colony. This five cases of plague have occurred there. ish war ships and were dispatched to Pre- brigade consisting of 720 men, eight 4.7-inch. This is taken to mean that there have been toria, cnusing much rejolcing at the case guns, 24 maxima and eight 10-poinders but five cases there since the outbreak of with which contraband of war can run the will be taken to Gibraltar by the Channel the plague. Surgeon Perry is at present

> Experts All nt Sea. supposition of yesterday as to Buller's po-

Mafeking Holding Ont.

LONDON, Jan: 17 .- The correspondent of the Times at Lourenzo Marquez, telegraphing Monday, January 15, says; formed on the best authority that six days turists of the island. Six others, including ago Mafeking was holding out as pluckliy J. B. H. Luce of De Ford & Co., George J. as ever. There was then no likelihood of Finlay, Manuel Fernando Juntos, Carlos capitulation. The garrison had plenty of Armstrong of Ponce, Arturo Bravo of Mayacattle and tinned meats."

Helgoland the Wrecked Steamer.

BOSTON, Jan 16 - The Chamber of Com nerce this afternoon issued a bulletin say seemed to have worked great havoc. One Bow was completely disemboweled, another had his head clean shot off and a couple of others were killed by the same shell, evi-dently while eating their luncheon, as half-

cember 10, John M. Healy, Company K. pressing conditions. Seventeepth infantry: December 25, Adam

January 5, John S. Larkin, Company Thirty-fourth infantry: January 7, William F. Lindsay, Company G. Fourth cavalry; January 9. Arthur Turton, Twenty-sixth in-

fantry; January 12, Benjamin Gardner, Company D. Fourth cavalry; January 13, fantry, Charles E. Harter, Company H. shot and instantly killed Teller P. T. Shutze

Eighteenth infantry. Pneumonia: Decem- today and then committed suicide. The murfourth infantry, Malaria: December Joseph A. Crane, Company F. Seventeenth of clerks,

infantry; December 25, Peters Robinson, Captain Murphey, who did the shooting, has ary 7, Clarence E. Whitford, band, Thirty- men of the city for a number of years, but cember 14, George Kitchen, Company K, and suffered two strokes of paralysis. Twenty-fourth infantry. Cerebral congestion. pany D. Twentleth infantry. Malta fever,

Twelfth infantry. Neuralgia of heart, De- other in the business affairs of the bank.

Zweifel, Company D, Twelfth infantry, Tuberculosis, January 13, Harold Reissinger, Company L, Sixteenth infantry, Pulser

Accidental cavalry; January 11, George W. Cartis, Both Get Life Sentences for the Company G. Eighteenth infantry. OT1S.

Pingue Cases at Manila.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16 .- Surgeon General in charge of the marine hospital service



zens is Enroute to Wash-

ington.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16 .- The steamer Philsuits Thursday. He is still confident that adelphia, which arrived today from Puerty owned by Mrs. Brunot, Her death following so soon upon that of his statements as to Warren and Buller are Rican ports, brought a delegation of merchants from that island, who are going t Washington to discuss provincial tariffs wit

President McKinley and to advocate closer relations with the United States. Two of the delegates, Lucas Amadio and "I am in- Eduardo Gonzales, represent the agricul-

> guez and Dr. J. J. Henna of New York City, were appointed by the Chamber of Commerce at San Juan and represent the mercantile interests, while Julio Larriniza and Major Azel Ames were sent by the federal party. All of these delegates are

instructed to bring to the attention of the president and the congress these needs of Puerto Rico: First-Free trade with the United States. Second-The recall of all Spanish coin and

the adoption of the American currency. 1 Third-To use every effort to negotiate a Lawton fund is now \$90,909.

MURDER AND SUICIDE IN BANK Assistant Secretary Melklejohn of the War Captain Murphey, Cashier of Third department and also with Assistant Post-

National of Columbus, Ga., Shoots Teller Then Himself.

Killing of Their Aunt-

Money the Motive.

murder.

Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Lee of Omaha are COLUMBUS, Ga., Jan. 16 .- Captain J. W. the guests of Senator and Mrs. Thurston. Benjamin Grace, Company K, Sixth in- Murphey, cashier of the Third National bank, They will go to New York tomorrow preparatory to sailing for Europe Saturday for

a six months' visit to Berlin and Paris. ber 11, Price Williams, Company H, Thirty- der and suicide occurred while the bank Dr. and Mrs. Lee will be accompanied by 5, was full of customers and the full corps Mrs. Mary H. Dundy, widow of the late Judge Dundy.

Edward Gillette of Sheridan, Wyo., is in Company K. Thirty-fourth infantry; Janu- been one of the most prominent business the city on matters connected with surveys fourth infantry. Cerebral hemorrhage: De- of recent months he had been in ill health ritory. Gillette has also had the contract in Alaska for a line of railroad in that terfor surveying a line of railroad from Fort It is believed that he was temporarily in-Custer into the Big Horn basin of Wyoming for the Burlington road. This proposed road and Shutze had long been the closest of pany D, Twentieth Intanti, and Shutze has been associated with each will be several honormous section of country to permanent settlement, rapping the

The evidence before the coroner's jury richest portion of Wyoming and eventually shows that Murphey, presumably insane, reaching Hot Springs in the Big Horn placed the platol close to the temple of country. It is understood that the railroad will commence shortly to negotiate for a uletol in his own mouth and fired twice, right of way along the line of preliminary both balls penetrating his brain. Captain surveys made.

Murphey was found lying by the side of Secretary Hitchcock has disapproved the the wall, several feet from his private desk. contract of Colonel John A. King to repre-The blood was streaming from his month sent the Rosebud Indians of South Dakota and he was dead Teller Shutze was sitting here as resident attorney. Senator Kyle in the chair he occupied when the shot was filed a strong protest against the renewal fired. His head was lying far back and from of King's contract with the Rosebuds and a frightful hole in his right temple the this was the basis on which the secretary's

blood was running to the floor. disapproval is made Captain Murphey was formerly assistant Captain Charles L. Brockway, First South state treasurer and one of the best known Daketa regiment, is in the city. Superinpolliticians in the state. Mr. Shutze was a tendent C. J. Crandall of the Crow Creek member of the aldermanic board of Colum-(S. D.) Indian school has been ordered transferred to the Santa Fe (N. M.) school. The bus. Both men leave families.

ransfer involves an increase of salary from CONVICT YOUTHS OF MURDER \$1,200 to \$1,700 per year. F. W. Smith was today appointed postmas-

ter at lyyville, Adams county, Ia.

FOR MILITARY SUPPLY DEPOT

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 16 .- A special to the Post- Thurston Introduces the Promised Bill to Establish a Station Dispatch from Taylorville, Ill., says: Fred Sibley was today convicted of complicity in at Omaha.

the murder of Mrs. Jane Brunot, near WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.-(Special Tele-Paris, last summer, and was centenced to the penitontiary for life. His counsel has gram.)-Senator Thurston today introduced made a motion for a new trial. Henry a bill providing for a military supply depot Brunot, a nephew of the murdered woman, at Omaha.

has also been sentenced to prison for life. DECEMBER IMPORTS AND EXPORTS. Neither of the youths is over 19 years of age. Each accused the other of the actual For Twelve Months They Show an In-

crease in Business.

Mrs. Jane Brunot was a wealthy widow WASHINGTON, Jan. 16 .- The monthly from Dana, Ind., who was visiting her sigter- statement of the imports and exports of the in-law, mother of Henry Brunot. She disap- United States for December shows as folpeared and her body was finally discovered lows:

in a well. The crime was committed to Merchandise - Imports, \$71,547,273, of cover up forgeries by the young men and which \$31,198.614 was free of duty; total into secure additional money and property crease, as compared with December, 1898. \$16,400,000, Exports, \$123,285,163; decrease,

\$14,500,000. STRANGE DOUBLE SUICIDE Gold imports, \$5,489,246, a decrease of

\$3,300,000; exports, \$11,857,111, an increase Two Men Turn on Gas in a Chicago of \$10,660,000. Silver imports, \$3,627,271, a Hotel, Then Lie Down to

decrease of \$172,200; exports, \$5,723.857, a decrease of \$104,000. For the twelve months of the calendar

CHICAGO, Jan. 16 .- Two unidentified year the imports and exports were as folmen, one about 45 to 50 years old and the lows: Merchandise: Imports, \$799,834,620, other about 25 to #0, were found dead in a of which \$351,814,004 was free of duty. In room at the Sauta Maria hotel today. Gas 1898 the total imports were \$634,964,448, of was escaping from a jet and appearances which \$268,384,173 was free of duty. Exindicated a carefully planned suicide. The ports, \$1,275,486,641; last year, \$1,255,546,265 Gold-Imports, \$51,184,964; last year \$158 .men lay side by side on the hed, with all their outer clothing removed. Nothing 165,952; exports, \$45,379,411; last year, \$16,was found to establish their identity. Both 154,956.

bad good clothes and in the pockets of Silver-Imports, \$30,844,981; last year, the elder man was found \$71. An insur- \$29,131,380. Exports, \$53,584,680; last year, for Ho ance policy was also found, but the name \$53,797,104.

of the person insured had been torn away.

Die.

Blackburn, Mr, Bryan arrived at 4:35 and R. B. Schneider of Fremont, who arrived in the city last evening, left today was met at the train by a committee, of standers are at variance as to the number for New York. He had a conference with which Blackburn and Goebel were mem- engaged in it. Demarree was standing hers. Ex-Governor James B. McCreary pre- slightly in front of Colson and young Scott

sided as toasimaster at the banquet. master General Perry Heath as to matters By W. J. Bryan, "The Democratic Party, its Future and its Politics;" Senator J. C. S. Blackburn, "Old Kentucky;" Senator Scott, reeled to one side, falling into the

William Goebel, "Kentucky and Her Re- arms of ex-Governor James B. McCreary, lations to the National Democracy."

CLAIMING NEERASKA LAND

Missouri to Sue for a Portion of Nemaha County-Fight on Canal.

ST. LOUIS. Jan. 16 .- Governor Lon V. gered back and fell down the stairway Col-Stophens and Attorney General Crow have left here for Washington, where the latter tinued to fire till the form of Scott rolled institute proceedings in the United over and showed life extinct. will States supreme court against the city of

Chicago and the trustees of the Ohicago The battle was terrific and bullets fairly drainage canal to restrain them from turn- rained through the lobby of the hotel, seving the sewage of Chicago into the Missis- cral of which went wild, piercing window sippl river. glass or embedding themselves in the walls

They expect to remain, in the national and furniture of the hotel. It was not discapital for several days and the attorney covered for several minutes that Julian, who general will also institute suit for a strip died later, had been shot and at first his of land between Nehama county, Nebraska, wound was thought to be only trifling. and Atchison county, Missouri, which, it is

of the hotel and hurried to the residence of believed, properly belongs to this state. Chief of Police Williams, where he sur-REFUSE TO RETIRE HAMNER rendered. He was almost exhausted and as

he would not let me alone. There were Retiring Board Refuses to Grant Request of Omaha Paymaster-Must

Serve Out Time.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16 .- The retiring board occurred and in the dining room nearby, summoned to Chicago to hear the case of where about 300 guests had been seated at Major Hamner, paymaster at Omaha, who, dinner when the fusiliade began. Men fell when recently ordered to Manila for duty, over each other in frantic efforts to get to asked to be retired from the service, refused places of safety, women fainted and it was the major's request today and ordered him several minutes before the awful scope of back to his post. Major Hamner, who the tragedy was fully known. has two more years to serve, has seen were left lying in pools of blood and meaforty-five years' service. Any further action sengers were dispatched in every direction must come from the War department offor physicians and nurses to care for the ficials at Washington.

ONLY CASE IN SPANISH WAR leg, died shortly after reaching a room, William A. English, Son of Former shock to his nervous system. Captain Gol-Vice Presidential Candidate, Re- den was removed to a room and made a

turns Pay to Treasury.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16 .- William A. English, a son of a former democratic vice presidential candidate from Indiana and a captain of volunteers in the war with Spain. has returned to the treasury a check for then at the hands of the republican party of \$172, sent him paying for his army services, the Eleventh district in 1858 in order to acwith the statement that he would not ac- cept the colonelcy of the Fourth Kentucky cept pay for service to his country in time of regiment in the Spanish war. Scott was a It is the only case of the kind in licutenant and Golden was captain of a cavlanger.

the Spanish war. PASSENGER STEAMER SINKS gan then. A feud sprang up between Colson Strikes Wall of Lock While Racing

with a Rival-All Passengers Saved.

GALLIPOLIS, O., Jan. 16 .- The fine pasmeeting between them in a restaurant, which senger steamer Lexington, owned by the resulted in Colson being shot by Scott. Carr line of Charleston, W. Va., while racing with the opposition packet Argand feud between the officers and the serious struck the lock wall near Scary, breaking in two and sinking immediately. The $\Delta\tau\cdot$ charges and counter charges which they had gand went to its assistance and took off tha made at Washington against each other as passengers and crew. The steamer will officers. Since then the parties had not met probably be a total wreek.

that blood would be spilled should they meet Movements of Ocean Vessels, Jan 16, as both were understood to be looking for At New York Arrived Amsterdam, from In erdam, Salled Bremen, for Southamp-on, Marinette, for Landon, from Tacoma At Kobe Arrived Tacoma, from Tacoma Colonel Colson was removed to the rest-

Manila-Arrived-Victoria, from San

the person insured had been torn away. Lewton Fund Now \$00,000, WASHINGTON, Jan 16.—The total of the Lawton fund is now \$90,909. Lawton fund is now \$90,909. Control to the supervision of Surgeon General Lawton fund is now \$90,909. Control to the supervision of Surgeon General Control to the supervision Control to the supervision Control to the supervision to the supe under the supervision of Surgeon General York.

exclaiming, "I am shot," The smoke in the locality of the antagonists became dense, but Colson continued to press Scott, who retreated backward, shooting as he moved. Colson emptied the chamber of a 35-caliber revolver and quickly brought a 44 into action. Scott by this time had been shot several times and as he stag-

son, who was within a few feet of him, con-

After the killing Colonel Colson ran out

se entered the house gasped: "I am screy

valled in the hotel lobby where the killing

Charles H. Julian, who was shot in the

eath being due to loss of blood and the

statement that Colson was the aggressor.

Feud Starts at Anniston.

figure in Kentucky politics. He served two

terms in congress and declined a renomina-

airy troop in Colson's regiment and the

trouble which led to the tragedy today he-

and Scatt while the troops were in camp

at Anniston, Ala., and in this, it is said

by Colson's friends, that Captain Golden

was a warm partizan of Scott. The trouble

between them at the time culminated in a

The regiment was shortly afterward mus-

tored out of the service as a result of the

till today and it has generally been believed

dence of Chief Williams, while the surgeons

dressed his shattered arm and he was not

taken to jail till 5 o'clock. He begged to

imorning. Colson tonight still declined to

Colonel Colson has long been a prominent

The dead

Meanting the wildest excitement

three of them shooting at me."

wounded.

Bullets Fairly Rained.