Base Ball Kills Boy.

the 15-year-old son of P. O. Hicks, a well

in the head by a ball while watching a

game at the park. The injury did not ap-

pear serious at first and young Hicks was

about as usual until last Tuesday when he

complained of a pain in the head. A few

hours later he became unconscious and died

this morning without regaining conscious-

Damages for Logan Wreck.

result.

ONAWA, Ia., May 5 .- (Special Telegram.)

accident followed heart failure.

MUCH DAMAGE BY HAIL STORM

Falling Ice Breaks Hundreds of Wind we at Cambridge.

Railroad Track East of Town is Reported Covered with Water in Severnt Places and I neafe for Train Service.

CAMBRIDGE, Neb., May 5 - (Special Tel-

fruit is ruined.

The railroad track east of town is covered with water in several places and is reported. Nebraska City or Beatrice, unsafe for train zervice. The westbound flowing over a bridge were of Cambridge.

ROBBERS LOOT DILLER STORE Bloodbounds Sent For and Hopes Intertained Burgines Will

He Caught. .

DILLER, Neb., May 5,-(Special Tele-The Fulten bloodhounds were telephoned for license after a notice of appeal had been having formed a combination. Few would and will be here this foreneon and as an ex- given and transcript demanded. cellent trial has been kept it is thought they will be able to locate the cobbers.

Narrow Escape of Boy. was by not seeing the lad were filed during the month. and the fact that the horses were standing at one place so long. No doubt the boy's

life was saved by the kindly disposition was not much hurt.

York's City Officials.

YORK, Neb., May 5 - (Special)-The newly elected city officers who took the bath of office last evening are York's most , rogressive business men. C. A. McCloud. mayor, is one of the leading real estate Harrison Nursery company of York. Hilldruggist permits to sell liquors were referred to the committee.

Woman's Club Elects Officers.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., May 5 .- (Special.) Woman's club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Elson last evening and a large number of the members were present. The annual election of officers resulted as follows: Mrs. R. O. Fellows was re-elected president; Mrs. H. J. Streight, vice president; Mrs. H. D. Travie, recording sccretary; Mrs. J. N. Wise, corresponding sec-J. I. Unruh, at he pointed Mrs. B. | rk a delegate to athe held in Milwaukee from June 4 to 8. husband, is the only inmate of the count Misses Helen Travis and Mina Herald assisted Mrs. Elson at the banquet.

Adams County Mortgages. HASTINGS, Neb., May 5.—(Spec(al.) -- During the month of April there were twenty-six farm mortgages filed in Adams county, aggregating \$29,670.75, while there were fifty-three released, aggregating \$41 .-376.16. There were eighteen city mortgages filed, amounting to \$18.575 %, and fourteen released, amounting to \$14.257.

School Trouble Adjusted. FREMONT, Neb., May 5 .- (Special.) - The fliculty between the senior class of the High school and the superintendent has been adjusted and the class, after a two days' vacation, is again at school. The school

A REASON FOR IT.

There is Only One Pile Cure that Has Reached a National Popularity and Reputation.

There are many popular medicines that are known in every household in America. There are blood purifiers, nerve tonics, headache remedies, dyspepsia cures, and cough cures, which are sold in every drug

store in the nation and beyond. But all of these must divide their popularity with many rivals, no one remedy has the field to itself, with the single exception of pile cures, for it is a singular fact that there is but one pile cure that can be considered as having a national reputation, without a rival, and the referred to is the Pyramid Pile Cure, which for seven years by reason of its extraordinary merit, until filed, \$55,170; released, \$79,196. City prop-It is known from Maine to California and erty: Filed, \$3,760; released, \$5,510,

It is true there are many pile remedies having a small local reputation for a year or two, but the Pyramid Pile Cure has rapidly supplanted them all and really has the field to itse'f when anything like national popularity is considered.

from Manitoba to the guif.

The explanation is simple. It is because piles is in no sense an imaginary trouble that a bread pill or a simple salve or cint. ment will cure, but an obstinate, painful and often dangerous trouble, and a remedy to give satisfaction must peasess positive

the first application of the Pyramid and a ment young people, the groom being the

Its regular use. Medicine men use it in preference to eperations, because it is safer, is perfectly painless and the cost to partent is a mere trifle, as all druggists sell the Pyramid Pile Cure at 50c, and as it is used at night. It cures without interfering with regular occupation

If suffering from any form of piles, bleeding, itching or protruding, a trial of the Pyramid will cure you and add another to its thousands of friends.

board was in session from 8 o clock last night 1 1 30 this morning wrestling with the problem. They then adjourned to 9 o'clock this morning, when they decided to settle the matter by deducting to per cent from the marks in deportment of the entire class, but not requiring those whose marks in other respects were above the required per cent to take the examinations. The class ex-MOST FRUIT IS THOUGHT TO BE FUINED pressed itself as satisfied and every- VILUED POLICY INSURANCE BILL VETOED thing is now harmonious.

SEEK TO CAPTURE REUNIONS Union Commercial Club of Lincoln

Lavs Plans to Scenre Grand Army Encampments.

LINCOLN, May 5 .- (Special Telegram.) -egram) - A very heavy rain with hall fell The Union Commercial club of this city this gram.) - The republicans of Folk county at this place this evening. Within two hours afternoon began to lay plans for securing held a large and enthusiastle convention two inches of water fell and the exceets are the location of the Grand Army reunion for here today and selected state and congresthe next five years.

A hard wind was blowing and the hall. The annual encampment of the Nelraska endorses McKinier and all that has been came with terrible force, breaking a number department will be held in Beatrice in June done by the administration, endorses Gov- Chicago & Northwestern Railway company, of plate glass fronts and hundreds of win- and at that meeting a location for the re- eruo. Shaw, presents and endorses Serredow panes. Trees are stripped of their union will be decided upon. As all Grand tary of State Dobson as a candidate again, leaves and it is thought that most of the Army reunions have been held in this city coderage Congressman Hull and instructs for the last five years there is a disposition, the delegated for him and endorses Lafe to favor some other town, either Omaha. Young of the Des Moines Capital as a dele-

At the meeting of the Commercial club convention, freight set out a number of cars here and today a special committee was appointed to arrived safely at McCook, but reports water prepare a bid to be presented at the Pettrice | encampment. Unlimited accommodations and free water and light will be offered by the veto was received this afterno n from the city.

Remonstrance Overraled. RED CLOUD, Neb., May 5 .- (Special.) -The hearing of Dr. E. S. Reed and seven- fullting faces, the unditions of the passage teen others, remoustrators against the iss of the bill and the reasoning which brought suance of a saloon license to M. M. Stern, forth the conclusion that he had reached. gram.) The general merchandise store of was heard by the mayor and council yester. He states in part: "I would promptly sign Lightner & Hutchinson was broken into last day. The principal abjection to the saloon the bill if I were not convinced of its evil evening by burglars and about \$250 worth of was that it was selling adulterated whisky. effect, and if I were not quite sure if ence dry goods taken. The burglars broke open Dr. Clark, chemist of Sutton, made the placed upon our statute books it would rethe section house and secured tools, then analysis of a sample of the whisky and found main forever. If rates were to gradually broke the plate glass window in front of it to be adulterated. The council, however, advance, as they surely would, popular this city, Colter Bros. trading their livery the store and took what goods they wanted, overruled the remonstrance and insued the or nion would charge the companies with

Platte County Mortgage Record. COLUMBUS. Neb., May 5 - (Special.) Following is a copy of the mortgage indebt-LYONS, Neb., May 5, (Special) Fred, edness record for Platte county for the the 16-year-old con of William H. Hoar, month of April, 1900; Thirty-one farm advantage that may be gained thereby." living east of town, while driving three mortgages filed, \$42,975; same released. horses to a disk on his father's farm yes- fifty-nine, aggregating \$47,331.31. Town and among other things that an insurance comterday morning, slipped forward from his city mortgages filed, eleven, \$7,141; same scal and the disk, in passing forward, release i forty-nine, \$33.819.15. The chattel twisted his feet in such a way that they record shows seventy-eight mortgages filed, were pinioned in a most dangerous and pain- \$48,599.94, and fifty-three released worth ful peatti n, where he was found by his \$54,896.32. It will be seen that the real mother several hours thereafter. She hap- estate indebtedness was reduced during the pened to be attracted to where month over \$30,000. No deeds in foreclosure

Sale of Registered Cattle. TILDEN, Neb., May 5 .- (Special) - The crty was insured and the property may of the horses he was driving and the nerve first sale of registered shorthorn cattle along have sustained between the time of issuing of the lad to endure the awful torture until the Fremont, Elkhorn and Missouri Valley the policy and the time of the loss. All help came to his relief. If the horses had in north Nebraska occurred here yesterday; moved the disk either way it would have that of T. A. Shafer and Son. Twenty-nine put upon the insurance company with the severed the boy's feet and limbs from his females were sold at an average of \$125.17 presumption, as the insurance men alleged, being removed from the and nine bulls realized an average of \$142,- that the insured was an honest man. cramped position his lower limbs seemed 23. A few ran hmen of Antelope and Holt to be paralyzed from the twisted position counties were among the purchasers, but the insurance interests was the alleged had remained in so long; otherwise he the bulk and the best of the stock w.s premium which the bill put upon incendibought by local farmers. Red Knight of arism. They declared that it offered induce-Meadow Brook, the herd bull, was sold to B. ments to the dishonest to over-insure their H. Baker of Tilden, Neb.

Juniors Entertain Seniors. HASTINGS, Neb., May 5 .- (Special)-The tendered a reception to the members of the and grain men; Samuel Cain, dealer in live senior clars last night at Elk's ball. The much higher than in lowa that the comstock; Jack Moist, appointed to fill a va- rooms were handsomely decorated with the cancy, is a contractor; George W. Post is class colors and potted plants and cut flowpresident of the First National bank and ex- ers were in profusion. Miss Inez Neimeyer chairman of the state central republican delivered the address of welcome, to which committee; James Frickey, contractor; S. E. Archie Hopper responded on behalf of the them. The killing of this bill is a victory ber yards of the Hoffmer-Lotham Manu-Marsfelds, one of the leading merchants:

Stocke, a pioneer successful business of a cross and the refeshments served in man, and H. S. Harrison, member of the class colors.

Archie Hopper responded on business them. The killing of this bill is a victory ber yards of the Hoffmer-Lotham Manual Services of the Hoffmer-Lotham Manual Serv class colors.

a beautiful suburb, petitioned for Charged with Attempted Poisoning. water service. Six drugglets' petitions for COLUMBUS, Neb., May 5 .- (Special) -Charles Sampek, a Pole, was bound over to the district court yesterday on a charge of attempting to poison some children. The evidence disclosed that he threw a piece of cooked meat into the yard, which the -The regular meeting of the Plattsmouth physicians testified contained arsenic enough to kill a dozen adults. Sampek is about 69 years old. He furnished bond for appearance at the district court, where the matter will be thoroughly investigated.

Prisoner Taken to Penitentlary. YORK. Neb., May 5 .- (Special.) - The county sheriff left on a morning train for to the national convention. retary; Mrs. B. Elson, treasurer, and Mrs. Lincoln, taking Sam Roby, the one arme! Mrs. Fellows ap- man, convicted of obtaining money under false pretense, to the penitentiary, where tend the blennial top ontion of the General Roby goes for two years, sentenced at hard . Clubs which is to labor. Mrs. Frest, accused of poisoning ber

> Colored People to Celebrate. LINCOLN, May 5 .- (Special Telegram.)-The colored people of the city will hold an anniversary celebration in honor of John Brown in this city May 9. The affair will be under the auspices of the Douglas Debating club. Many prominent colored peo-

> have been asked to participate. Date for Higginson Case. LINCOLN. May 5,- (Special Telegram.) The case of Higginson against the State Board of Transportation, the injunction suit recently tried before Judge Munger in Omaha, will be heard in the United States court of appeals at St. Paul May 7. Attorney General Smyth will leave tomorrow

> to present the side of the state. Date for Teachers' Meet. TECUMSEH, Neb., May 5 .- (Special.) The time fixed for the holding of the annual teachers' institute is June 4 to 9. A good program of work has been mapped out by the county superintendent and some of the best talent in the country secured as in-

structors. Nebraska Postmaster Named. TECUMSEH, Neb., May 5 .- (Special.) Dr. Charles Ziegler has been appointed postmaster at Vesta in place of Dr. N. Stewart, resigned. Dr. Stewart was obliged to give

up the office as he removed to Tecumseh. Cass County Mortgage Record. The following is the Cass county morthas steadily worked into the public favor gage record for April: Farm mortgages Tamisa of Missouri Valley and George A.

> Curfew Bell at Shelton, SHELTON, Neb., May 5 .- (Special.) - The new curfew bell, which will be used by the town authorities, arrived today and small boys hereafter will be warned off the streets

promptly at 9 o'clock. HYMENEAL.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., May 5 .- (Special)-

Mr. Arthur Avery and Miss Grace Dennis thirty-six new threshing machines, the last and very apparent merit. A person suffer- were united in marriage on Welnesday even- one being in operation, was an attraction ing from piles will not experiment for ing at the home of the bride's parents north on the Omaha line this evening. The shipmonths with a remedy; it must give relief of town. A small company of relatives and and a cure in short order or it is con- friends witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. E. M. Evans of the Meth-The worst cases of piles are relieved on odist Episcopal church. Both are promstockraisers of this section. The couple will make their home near this city.

Frick-Carnegie Suit Ends.

PITTSBURG, Pa. May 5. The court litter action for judge of the supreme gation brought about by the rusture between H. C. Frick and Andrew Carnegie. Which threatened to seriously involve the extensive interests of the great steel-producing firm, was cleared from the record today. Upon application of counsel for the Dairtiff formal orders were made by the judge of common pleas courts Now 1 and 2 allowing the discontinuance of the Frick suit and the coke contract suit.

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ENTHUSIASM AT DES MOINES

Republicans of Polk County, Iows, Hold Large Convention.

Show Sends a Message of Several known Northwestern conductor, was struck Thousand Words Detailing Arguments Which Brought Forth His Opposition to Measure.

DES MOINES, May 5 .- (Special Telesional de egations. The platform adopted gard-at-latge from lows to the national his damages at \$5,000. This is the second

Veto to Brighton Bill.

Governor Shaw veters the valued policy insurance bill known as the Brighton bill. Chicago, It was generally anticipated that the governor would veto the measure. The veto consisted of several thousand words be ready to admit the element of celfdefense. The bill is not rejected in behalf ners, which includes real estate property. of insurance companies, but because euch invostigation as I have been able to make convinces me that it increases insurance rates far cut of proportion to any possible

The bill vetoed by the governor provides pany shall not be permitted to deny that the property insured, in case of a lose, was worth at the time of isening the policy the full amount of the insurance. In case of total less the measure of damages in an action to recover should be the amount for which the property was insured, with the saving clause, less whatever depreciation in value below the amount for which the propthrough the bill the burden of proof was

One of the strongest objections raised by property and then in the event of fire the damages could be made the amount for which the property was insured. The govct.or's chief objection to the measure was have valued policy laws the rates are so panies have been driven out of business and that farmers have suffered hardehips from being unable to get companies to insure

Choice of lown Countles. endorsed McKinley and instructed the dele- entire loss is covered by insurance. gates for Congressman Lacey for renomination and for G. H. Woodson for alternate to

the national convention. lesire to see Speaker Henderson succeed of the fire is unknown. himself and decided to present Charles L. Ransier of this city as a delegate-at-large

COLFAN, In., May 5 .- (Special Telegram.) Delegates chosen at the republican cauus here were instructed for Congressman

MARENGO, In ., May 5 .- (Special Telegram.) -lowa county republicans today in. ance, about \$10,000, structed their delegates for Congressman hane of the Second district and endorsed the administrations of McKinley and Governor Shaw.

Osccoln County Convention. SIBLEY, In., May 5 .- (Special Telegram.) The Osceola county republican convention rganized here this afternoon by the selecple of Omaha and other Nebraska towns tion of Hon. G. W. Lester for chairman and F. Y. Locke for secretary. The following delegates were closen to the republican ctate convention: P. Y. Licke, M. Welch, W. L. Benjamin, A. Romey, W. J. Miller and Will Thomas. The convention unanimously adopted the following recolutions: We, the republicans of Osceola county, in ration, assembled, declare that we tily endorse the able and patriotic adstration of President McKinley and ris renomination at the Philadelphia sation. We endorse the canable adstration of Governor Shaw. We comnend the course of our representative oneress Hon, Lot Themas, and favor enomination. We heartily units with renomination. We heartily unite with the regulations of northwestern Iowa in presenting the fame of J. W. Hallam of Woodbury county as a candidate for attorney general. We congratulate the people of Iowa on the unparalleled good times that have followed the fulfillment of every pledge made by the republican party in its platform of four years ago and look forward with confidence to the endorsement thereof at the coming election.

Sue Railroad for Damages. ONAWA, Is., May 5 .- (Special.)-The case Northwestern Railway company, a suit for damages growing out of the wreck at Logan, Ia., July 11, 1896, is now on trial Monona county district court. Hon. Harrington of O'Neill, Neb., Frank Oliver of Onawa appear for the plaintiff and Hubbard & Dawley of Cedar Rapids. a., and McMillan & Kindall of Onawa for the railway company. The case was tried winds. once before in the district court of Monona for \$5,000, which was set aside by the supreme court. The trial is attracting unusual ttention and every stage is closely contested

Threshing Machines Enroute.

SIBLEY, In., May 5.- (Special Telegram.) A gaily decorated special train containing ment is by the Minneapolis Threshing Mathine company. The train is billed for Texas and its wheat fields.

McLain Named as Candidate. IOWA CITY, Ia., May 5 .- (Special Telecure will result in a reasonable time from son of P. O. Avery, one of the foremost gram . At the republican county convention today a resolution was passed endorsing Chancellor Emlim McLain of the Unicorelly of lowa as a candidate before the mate convention for judge of the supreme

came to a sudden death, probably following

heart failure. He was scated on his wagon driving leisurely along when auddenly he was seen to fall from the sent to the ground, When persons came to where he was lying

it was found his neck was broken and that War Ships Fire Salute as the Transport life was extinct. The coroner decided the

MANILA, May 5.-The United States transport Meade sailed for the United States at 5 o'clock this afternoon, with Major General Otis and two aides-de-camp on board.

-In the case of Fitzgibbons against the general's salute as the steamer raised its

The governor's launch left the palace at which has been on trial this week in the Monona county district court for damages sustained in the Logan, Ia, wreck, July 11, 1896, the jury came in tonight with a verdict in favor of the plaintiff and asserted trial of the case in this court with the same Released and Arrested. OTTUMWA, In., May 5.—(Special Tele- at work with his accustomed energy until

gram.)-At Chariton today the jury in the the moment of leaving. case of Charles Essex, charged with wrecking a Burlington fast mail train last fall, returned a verdict of not guilty. Immediately upon his release Essex was arrested seen on the Luneta, like the other officers on a federal warrant charging him with ob- and only two or three times has he been structing the United States mail and was seen in society and these occasions were taken to Des Moines pending his case. Atlantic Business Change.

ATLANTIC, Ia., May 5 .- (Special.) -- Another business change has just occurred in business to J. A. McKenzie of Adair county for a fine stock farm of 450 acres. Mr. Mc-Kenzie at once took possersion of the busi-

Cabill Dies Suddenly. CEDAR FALLS. In., May 5 .- (Special suddenly this morning at the hotel office of heart trouble. He was on the street twenty minutes before his death.

FIRE RECORD.

Big Varnish Works. NEW YORK, May 5 .- The Standard Varnish works at Elm Park, Staten leland, were damaged by fire to the extent of \$200,-000 today. The loss is partially covered by

The fire is supposed to have been caused by an explosion of gas in one of 'he company's tanks. Later seven great tanks containing turpentine and linseed oil exploded Philippine islands. in succession. The contents poured in grea volume into the waters of the Kill von Kull and Newark bay. Fire tuge from Bayonne arrived soon after the fire started, but they Election of Municipal Officers Pro-were forced to confine their efforts to keepwere forced to confine their efforts to keep ing the burning fluids from flowing down the Kull and setting fire to the boats tied up at different points.

The fire gutted half a dozen small brick storehouses containing barrels of varnish. linseed oil and turpentine. The storehouses contained about 1,000 barrels of oil. Three junior class of the Hastings High school the fact that in so many of the states which oil, were destroyed. On the docks there tanks, each of which held 5,000 gallons of were fully 1,000 barrels of turpentine, all of which were consumed.

St. Louis Has a Fire.

LOUIS, May 5.—The Mississippi them with this sort of a law hanging over Valley Hay Storage company and the lum-OSKALOOSA, Ia., May 5 .- (Special Tele- about \$40,000 and the Hoffmer-Lotham derstand their duties as free citizens

Grease and Fertilizer Plant. WASHINGTON, May 5.-The tallow, day endorsed McKinley's administration and exirts of this city, was destroyed by fire natural aspirations to become educated and expecially his action in regard to the Philipatra at an early hour today. Loss, \$60,000; worthy to enjoy all the benefits of civilizapines. Porto Rico and Cuba, expressed a partially covered by insurance. The origin tion.

lows Opera House.

FORT MADISON, Ia., May 5 .- (Special Telegram.)-The explosion of a gasoline capitals of the provinces or districts and stove used by colored people to heat water each municipality is the legitimate adminfor scrubbing the floors of the Ebinger intrator of the interests of the town and Grand Opera house caused a fire which will keep, preserve and expend for the pubgutted the building. Lose, \$25,000; insur- lie welfare the municipal funds."

Business Portion of Town. PETERSBURG, Ind., May 5.-A fire which started in a livery stable early today swept and beneficent intentions of the United through the business portion of town, leav- States government. Naturally, it is imposing but three stores on the main street. The sible to frame legal provisions which are loss is \$80,000, partly insured.

Hotel in Ohio. CRESTLINE, O., May 5.—The Depot hotel here was destroyed by fire today. The loss is not heavy. The Pennsylvania and Big Four depote were in danger, but were saved.

Seven Business Buildings. GLASGOW, Ky., May 5 .- Fire destroyed the business part of this town early today. Seven principal buildings were burned. Less, \$150,000; partly insured.

"DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the finest pills I ever used."-D. J. Morre, Millbrook. Ala. They quickly cure all liver and

Entire Village Sold. MILWAUKEE. Wis., May 5.—What is known as Ellis Junction, Marinette county, Wis. was today sold to the Polska Industrial company. The village is included in a tract of 19,600 acres. The tract will be colonized by a co-operative community of Poles. The amount of money paid is said to have been over \$100,000.

TODAY'S WEATHER FORECAST of James J. Fitzgibbons against the Chicago | Fair in Eastern Nebraska; Probably Thunder Showers and Cooler in Western Portion.

> WASHINGTON, May 5.-Forecast for sunday and Monday: For Nebraska and South Dakota-Fair n eastern portion; probably thundershowers and cooler in western portion Sunday Monday showers and cooler; southwes

lowa and Missouri-Fair Sunday; ounty and plaintiff obtained a judgment Monday fair in southeast; probably showers and thunderstorms and cooler in northern and western portions; southerly winds. For Kansas-Showers, probably thunderstorms Sunday; cooler in western portion; Monday cooler, with fair in western; showers in eastern portion; south to westerly winds

> For Wyoming-Showers Sunday; Monday fair; west to north winds. Local Record. OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA. May 5.—Official record of tem-OMAHA. May 5.—Official record of tem-perature and precipitation, compared with the corresponding day of the last three

> Maximum temperature ... Minimum temperature..... Average temperature...... Precipitation Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1, Normal for the day

GENERAL OTIS STARTS HOME

Fairs Its Archor.

MACARTHUR AND STAFF BID FAREWELL CLINTON, Ia., May 5.—(Special Tele-gram.)—About two weeks ago Harold Hicko-

> Bands Play "Anid Lang Syne" at the General's Departure - Root Praises Otis in His Official Order.

The war ships in port fired a major

4 o'cleck, carrying General Otia' and General MacArthur's staffs to the Meade. The Twentieth and Fourteenth infantry, drawn up ashore in front of the city wall, presented arms and the bands played "Auld Lang Syne," while a shore battery mainted During the morning the supreme court udges and many officers called at the palace to bid farewell to General Otia, who kept

Since the beginning of the insurrection General Otis has kept at his desk from early morning until midnight. He has never been semi-official receptions. The general leaves the army admirably organized, provisioned and clothed.

Official Order is Issued.

WASHINGTON, May 5 .- The order issued by the War department yesterday, relieving General Otic of the command of the division of the Philippines and assigning General MacArthur thereto, concludes as follows: "On completion of the transfer of the command, Major General Otis, accompanied by his authorized aides, will repair to San Telegram.)-W. E. Cahill, a barber, died Francisco, Cal., reporting on arrival to the adjutant general, U. S. A., for the further orders of the secretary of war.

"Major General Otie is relieved from command only in compliance with his own expressed wish. The president directs that this order record his high appreciation of that officer's distinguished and successful services in the Philippine Islands in both civil and military administration. They entitle him to gratitude and honor from his country.

"ELIHU ROOT, Secretary of War." General MacArthur, in addition to his duties as division commander, will exercise the authority of military governor of the

GOVERNMENT IN PHILIPPINES

erni Otis.

WASHINGTON, May 5 .- Secretary Root today sent to congress a copy of an order issued by General Otis and just received here, providing for a system of civil municipal government in the Philippines and for the election of municipal officers by the people. The order says, in part: "It is with great satisfaction that the

United States authorities, in sensonance with former promises, promulgate in this order the law by which the municipal les of the towns of the Philippices are to be established and governed in the future. The law is inspired by a genuinely liberal spirit night. The total loss is estimated at \$350,- culated to urge the people on in the path of 000, of which the hay company sustains true progress, if they are desirous to ungram.)-Mahacka county republicans today Manufacturing company the remainder. The make legitimate use of their privileges. For the first time the Philippine people are to exercise the right of suffrage of election of municipal officers-a right only slightly restricted by conditions which have been im-INDEPENDENCE, In., May 5 .- (Special greate and fertilizer plant of the Norton posed for the purpose of rewarding as well Telegram.) - Buchanan county republicans to- Manufacturing company, located on the out- as encouraging the people in their just and

"With the municipalities a really autonomous and decentralized municipal government will be established in the towns, since no provincial assembly is created in the

After further explaining the general purposes of the law the order proceeds: "A reading of the provisions of the law clearly demonstrates the purpose, tendencies perfect, but these are susceptible to future improvement in order that they may meet future necessities and keep pace with the development in political knowledge of the Philippine people, wit' whom now rests the creation of municipalities which shall faith-

fully administer their interests and protec their rights and liberties." It is added that if, notwithstanding the prudent foresight of the United States government, errors should occur and abuses should be committed by the local officials, the abuses will be strongly repressed under

the penal la v. The provisions are divided into chapters, showing in detail the powers of the alcaldes municipal councils and other officers and nodies. The councils number from eight to eighteen, according to the size of the town. The electors "must be male persons, 23 years of age or over," who have resided in the town six months and are not subjects of any foreign power. It also is a condition of beheld one of certain designated offices, or pay 30 pesetas in taxes annually, or speak, read and write English or Spanish.

The elector also must take and subscribe to an oath embodying the foregoing and stating: "I recognize and accept the supreme au thority of the United States of America and will maintain true faith and allegiance thereto," etc.

Most of the order is given to details of ad-

ministering the towns.

REBELS TAKE TO MOUNTAINS Insurgents Found by Troops Smaller Islands of Philippines.

MANILA, May 5 .- Colonel Hardin's exedition recently landed two companies of the Twenty-ninth infantry on the island of Marinduque. The troops have already taken missal of an officer of the army. four towns without opposition, the few armed insurgents encountered taking to the mountains. Leaving one company to garrison the island the expedition proceeded to Mashete. The cable to the southern islands is broken and details of the recent fighting are not obtainable at present.

DISMISSAL OF KIRKMAN UPHELD. Lieber Says Otis Acted Fully Within His Authority.

WASHINGTON, May 5 .- Judge Advocate General Lieber has given an opinion to the secretary of war to the effect that General Otis, commanding the division of the Philippines, acted fully within his legal

This opinion carries with it, by implication to George Krug, manage tion, the idea that a state of war exists in handed down today the supreme court de- will be promptly executed.

Spring Opening Sale In our drapery department we

begin a Lace Curtain Sale tomorrow morning (Monday) that will astonish you. We name a few prices that cannot be duplicated any more in the city for first-class up-

to date stylish goods. We are showing the latest domestic and imported effects. Come down early-you will profit by it. Please ask for lace curtains by these numbers

No 1-Nottingham lace curtains, latest 150 designs and extra well made-on sale

No 2-Nottingham lace curtains, 3½ 750 vards long, full width, latest styles—others

No 3-Irish point lace curtains, full 95 length and width, exregularly 84 a pair on

No 4—Irish point lace curtains, you 250 will wonder how we can sell such dainty curtains at even 85, at ...

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