LOW AS LOWEST SALOON Grain from Chicago and Duluth is brought in large steamers to Parry sound, Georgian

Rev. Wilbur F. Craft Unsparingly Condemns Canteen System.

OMAHA MAN BEFORE SENATE COMMITTEE

Declares That He Witnessed a Reg-Duluth via New York. ular Orgie at Newport News by Soldlers, Who Afterward Deserted.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- The senate committee on military affairs this evening continued its hearing on the anti-canteen provision of the military bill. Speaking for the advocates of the measure, Rev. Wilbur F. Crafts gave the result of his own observations of the operation of the canteen at result being that most of the soldiers at the post descried that night. He quoted General Sternberg as saying the canteen caused many soldiers to contract the drink babit and General Miles as opposed to the ippines commission saying that he was greatly interested in the movement in behalf of the native races of the Pacific

Mr. Kelly of Mississippi spoke for the mothers of the soldiers, saying that all of them favored the suppression of the liquor

Mrs. Ingalls of St. Louis said she knew of many soldier boys who had contracted the liquor habit from the canteen. Miss Kearney of Mississippi said she had been informed that General Eagan had been a notable exception among general army officlais in favoring the canteen.

Mrs. Allison, superintendent of legislation for the Woman's Christian Temperance union, said that official statistics show that the liquor traffic is literally following the American flag in the tropics. She presented figures to show that the liquor exportations from the United States to Cuba for the first five months of 1899 had reached \$472,200, as against \$18,796 for the entire year of 1898. In the Philippines and Porto Rico there had been a corresponding increase.

Rev. Mr. Miller, an army chaplain, gave his unreserved endorsement to the canteen and said that this view was the result of actual observation in the Philippines.

THINKS WELL OF CANTEEN

Inspector General Breckinridge Be Heves Present System Better Than Any That Preceded.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- A report of General J. C. Breckinridge, inspector general of the United States army, to Major General Miles urges an increase of the tions of Secretary Long. inspector general's department in order to put it on a more efficient basis, and also calls attention to the uncertain and hampering effects of detailed instead of permanent officers in that department.

A lengthy chapter of the report is devoted to the Philippines, setting forth the initial lack of a properly organized system of land transportation in the islands and the scarcity of well equipped pack trains and the improvements and effects in those con itions.

The evolution of the army ration is dwelt upon at some length. General Breckinridge also touches upon the success which sugar and sweets have attained as a part of the soldier's food, especially in the inauguration of post exchanges or canteens at garrisons throughout the country is noted, and it is stated that the concensus o' opinion in the army is that the system promotes the morals, temperance, discipline and the health of the men as compared with the former regime. Sales of liquor are confined to soft drinks, beer and light wines, a radical departure from the oid system, when whisky was one of the arti-:les issued by the subsistence department

Departmental Notes. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Congressmen Gamble and Burke conferred with Indian Commissioner Jones today concerning proposed enlargement of crease the capacity of the schools will be recommended by the commissioner.

T. C. Powell was today appointed postmaster at Gilead, Thayer county, Neb., vice A. J. Manschal, resigned, and M. J. McCaffrey at Stoddard, Thayer county, Neb., vice H. E. Gravely, resigned. Also D. O. Campbell at Cleveland, Lucas county, Tex. Leonard Underwood of Pierre, S. D., private secretary to Congressman Burke, ar-

rived here today. Mr. and Mrs. William L. Holzman are at present in Washington on their bridal tour. From here they will go to Richmond and Baltimore, reaching their New York home next week. Mrs. Holzman is the daughter of Mr. M. Levy, one of Omaha's school com-Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Oxnard are in the

New Canadian Grain Route. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—United States Consul Henry at Quebec reports to the State department the completion of the Great Northern railroad from Quebec to Parry sound on Lake Huron. The line opens up new Canadian grain route and the promoters of the road assert that it is the shortest McLean, mother of John R. McLean, proand cheapest route now existing for the transfer of grain from the great lakes to Mrs. Dewey, wife of Admiral Dewey, is seri-

in large steamers to Parry sound, Georgian bay and thence by the Canada Atlantic, via Ottawa to Hawkesbury. Here the new road takes up to Riviere a Pierre, fifty-eight miles Distinguished Guests Accept Hospitality of from Quebec, where the largest ocean steamers can be loaded from a fine grain elevator of modern construction, which has just been completed. The new line is said to reduce the distance to the markets at SENATOR DOLLIVER PUT ON HIS DEFENSE Liverpool, England, by 800 miles, in con-

STRINGENT MORTUARY RULES

trast with the route from Chicago and

German Government Takes Precautions Against Spread of Tuberculosis.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- The German Detions to be taken against the spread of called in a number of skits, in which the tuberculosis in the empire, a copy of which members of the club burlesqued the incl-Newport News after the close of the Cuban has been sent to the Department of State dents of the canvass. Each guest had a "full war. He said he had found it as low as by United States Consul Monaghan at dinner pail" at his plate which contained the lowest saloon and that a regular orgie | Chemnitz. The instructions consist of seven the menu. Then there was a golf tournalung or laryax tuberculosis must give written notice to the police as soon as the case in question has been diagnosed, that immediately after the death of a person from use of intoxicants by the soldiers in the this form of disease the deceased's room tropics. Mr. Crafts said he had received a and effects must be thoroughly disinfected; Statement from President Taft of the Phil- that professional women who lay out the dead must report at once in writing to the police authorities whether the disease was of the lungs or larynx, and that keepers of hotels, lodging houses, asylums or other public institutions shall report immediately the appearance of the disease in the establishment under their control. compliance with these regulations is subject to a fine of \$35.70 or six weeks imprison-PENSIONS FOR WESTERN VETERANS

War Survivors Remembered by the General Government. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.-(Special.)-The following pensions have seen granted:

Issue of November 22:
Nebraska: Origina!—James A. Nichola,
Amberst. 86; George F. McNamee, Union,
36; Charles Balduff, Fremont. 36. Additional—John Basaker, Wymere, 310; Addison H. Vanderbergh, Talmage, 3. Original widows, etc.—Virginia C. Willard, Kearney, 3.

ney, 58.

Iowa: Original-Edward C. Bangs, Bur lington, 58: Alfred Baker, Rolfe, 8. Ad ditional-Jacob J. Noffsker, Cedar Rapidditional—Jacob J. Noffsker, Cedar Rapids, \$8. Mexican war survivors (increase)—John F McKisstek, Hamburg, \$12. Colorado: Original—Amada Aguirres, Talpa, \$5; John R Hall, Vulcan, \$12. Additional—John T. Fitch, Aspen, \$12. Increase—Peter Maroney, Cripple Creek, \$12. South Dakota; Original—George L. Mutzig, Hermosa, \$8; Charles E. Huston, Armour, \$8. mour, \$8.
North Dakota: Renewal-Owen Jones.
Jamestown, \$8.

For More Fighting Boats, WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.-It is expected

that the forthcoming naval appropriation bill, now being framed by the house committee on naval affairs, will contain provision for two more battleships and two armored cruisers, following the recommenda-

Admiral Hichborn, chief of the bureau of construction, was before the committee today. His estimates are about \$21,000,000 for the construction already authorized. This is considerably more than ever before required, and Admiral Hichborn explained that it was the necessary result of the large amount of naval shipbuilding which recent congresses had authorized.

Joe Manley's Predicament. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- Hon. Joseph Manley of Maine, who was offered the office of commissioner of Internal revenue made vacant by the death of George W. Wilson, called on the president today and arranged for another audience Monday. Mr. Manley has been elected speaker of the house in the Maine legislature and it is understood he feels it incumbent upon him to serve out the present term, which runs till next April. It is said that he probably will accept the office if the offer can be held open until that date. The matter probably will

be definitely settled Monday. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- The secretary of war today sent to the house of representatives a plan for the permanent improvement of the Arkansas river. The total estimated cost for open river navigation is \$25,263,400. The river extends about 1,460 miles from its source in Colorado to its mouth, but the beard of army engineers recommends that indian schools at Rapid City and Chamber- the improvement be confined to the lower iain in South Dakota. Appropriations to in- | reaches below Grand river. The usefulness of the improvement and its value to com-

> merce are set forth. College for Women in Spain. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- An effort is being made in this country to raise funds to erect a college for women in Madrid, Spain. Mrs. Alice Gordon Gulick of Auburndale Mass., who over twenty years ago founded a school for girls in northern Spain, is at the head of the movement. Money has been secured to buy land for the proposed building and a committee of women having the matter in charge has issued an appeal for funds for building purposes.

Population of Oregon Towns. WASHINTON, Dec. 8 .- The population of certain incorporated places in Oregon having more than 2,000, but less than 25,000 inhabitants fo'lows:

Albany, 3,149; Ashland, 2,634; Astoria, 8, 381; Baker City, 6,663; Eugene City, 2,326; Grant's Pass, 2,290; Lagrande, 2,991; Oregot City, 3,494; Pendleton, 4,406, Salem, 4,258; The Dalles, 3,542.

Mrs. Dewey's Mother III. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- Mrs. Washington prietor of the Cincinnati Enquirer, and of Europe.

The read forms the connecting link behere. The attending physicians have little tween the Quebec & Lake St. John railroad. hope of her recovery.

GRIDIRON CLUB AT DINNER

Famous Organization.

Late Campaign is Recalled by Presentation of Unique Relies, Including a Pair of Pigs Feet to Senator Hanna.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- The Griditon club gave its December dinner tonight at the Arlington hotel and a large number of partment of Agriculture has issued a set of distinguished guests were present. The instructions conveying compulsory precau- campaign that closed a month ago was representation of campaign relies to the Gridiron museum, including several disearded platforms, the clothes of candidates, etc. The incident in the campaign when Senator Hanna was sent a bill for a pair of pigs' feet was recalled by giving the senator a pair of the same charge. The reorganization of the democratic party was accomplished in the Gridiron way. Senator Dolliver, who was sworn in last Tuesday, was called upon to explain how executive session secrets leaked out since he has been a member of the senate. The various skits were interspersed with some good speeches and

Among the guests were: Ex-President Harrison, Secretary of State John Hay, Postmaster General Charles Emory Smith, Senators Depew, Dolliver, Hanna, Mason, Platt of Connecticut, Spooner and Shoup; Representatives Cannon, Cromer, Cummings, Dick, Pearre and Tawney; Generals Miles, Corbin and Bates; Majors Bird and Carson, U. S. A.; Admiral Melville, U. S. N.: Assistant Secretary of War Mciklejohn Scott C. Bone, Washington Post; J. L. Bristow, assistant postmaster general; Robert M. Collins, war correspondent Associated Press; George B. Cortelyou, secretary to the president; Charles H. Cramp. Philadelphia; J. M. Culp. Southern railway; Charles G. Dawes, comptroller of the currency; John Joy Edson, chairman inaugural committee; ex-Secretary Foster of the State department; Evan P. Powell, Atlanta; Joseph Jefferson, E. R. Johnstone, Minneapolis Times; Thomas Lowrey, Minneapolis; J. H. Maddy, Baltimore & Ohio railroad; J. H. Manley, Maine; Paul Morton, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway; N. C. Murphy, governor of Arizona; Frank B. Noyes, president Associated Press; Tom C. Noyes, Washington Star; Harrison Gray Otis, Los Angeles Times; Richard Sylvester, superintendent police, Washington; W. A. Turk, Southern rallway; F. D. Underwood, Baltimore & Ohio railroad, and Thomas F. Walsh of Colorado, member Paris Exposition commission.

SIMPLY A WINTER'S CRUISE

Navy Department Denies that There is Anything Alarming About War Ships' Sudden Departure.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- It is announced no emergency whatever requiring the hasty may be put off from the war ships if occadeparture from San Francisco of the Iowa sion demands. and Philadelphia. As already stated in Washington dispatches, the vessels simply GETTING READY FOR TEMPLARS are going on their usual winter cruise to the

A cablegram from Admiral Remey announced the temporary transfer of his headquarters from Cavite to Iloilo. He sailed oday with the flagship Brooklyn and the Zafiro for Iloilo, at which port the Don Juan de Austria arrived today. The admiral's movement to the southward was explained at the Navy department by the statement that he is engaged in an inspection of eligible sites for a naval station.

Grants for State Mining Colleges. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- The heads of number of agricultural and technical institutions, including Profs. Atherton of Pennsylvania, Goodell of Massachussetts and Cope of Ohio, were heard today by Speaker Henderson and other members of the house committee on rules as to advancing the Mondell bill granting the State Mining colege the proceeds of certain public lands, similar to the present grants of agricultural colleges. No decision was reached.

Gridiron Club Elects. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- The Gridiron the ensuing year: President, Arthur W. Dunn, Associated Press; vice president, preparation of the program. Robert J. Wynne, New York Press; secretary, Richard L. Fearn, New York Tribune; reasurer, George H. Walker; executive committee, Albert Miller of the Kansas City Star, F. E. Leupp of the New York Evening Post and O. O. Stealey of the Louisville Courier-Journal.

House Pays Tribute.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.-Under a special order adopted at the last session the house devoted today after 1 o'clock to paying tribute to the memory of the late Representa ive A. C. Harner of Pennsylvania.

When the house met a bill passed to include cherries in the list of fruits from which brandy can be distilled under section 3255 of the revised statutes, after which the house took a recess until the hour set for the eulogies

Text of Agreement Being Translated. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- The text of the agreement reached between the powers at

Pekin has been received at the State department and is now in process of transiation from the expher code. It is not definitely known whether the acceptance of any of the powers except that of Japan has

been had, but assurances have been received that the remainder of the powers will promptly ratify the agreement. Kentucky to Proceed to ManMa. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- Secretary Long of Cuba

oday called instructions to Captain Chester at Constantinople to proceed with his ship, the Kentucky, from Smyrna on his interrupted voyage to Mandla, to replace the Oregon, on the Asiatic station. It cannot be learned officially that the mission debts have been discharged, but it is said that the Kentucky's mission, which was one of courtesy, has been discharged.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- The river and harbor committee is holding daily executive sessions and is making such progress that there is fair prospect of completing the bill before the holiday recess, owing to reports that a horizontal reduction was to be made on all estimates, the statement was in progress the day he was there, the articles, providing that doctors under all ment between McKinley and Bryan, which is made that no such reduction is contentcircumstances where their patients have McKinley won handsomely. There was a plated. The committee is taking up each project on its merits.

Coal Discovered in Hungary. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.-United States Consul Hughes, at Coburg, has reported to the State department the news of the recent discovery of a large deposit of "house coal" estimated to contain at least 1,600, 000,000 tons at Barcomoz, Hungary. The quality of the coal, he says, remains to be proven, but the deposit is to be developed on scientific lines at once.

Paying Interest on Bonds. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- The secretary of the treasury has directed that the interest due on January 1 on 4 per cent 1907 bonds and 2 per cent 1930 be prepaid without rebate. The coupons will be received after December 15 and interest checks will be payable after December 20. The total amount involved is about \$5,250,000

Klamatha Relinquish Reservation WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- The Secretary of the Interior has sent to the house of representatives an agreement with the Klamath Indians relinquishing their reservation in Oregon.

TROOPS TO LAND AT ISTHMUS United States Will See to it that

Travel is Not Interrupted in that Quarter.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8 .- A special to the Record from Washington says: The immediate movement of the war ships Philacelphia and Iowa from San Diego, Cal., to Scuth American waters is an immediate result of the rebellion in Colombia. According to officials of the navy, Admiral Kautz is going there with his ships to police the isthmus of Panama and see that there is free communication across the strip of land connecting the two continents of the western hemisphere. This is taking advantage of an old treaty

which was entered into several years ago by the Colombian government and that of the United States, when the latter government agreed that in time of international disturbances in the small South American republics the United States would see that travel on the isthmus was not interrupted, landing troops for that purpose if necessary. Several times this country has landed men for this purpose, and the present movement is along this same line, and this time. t the Navy department today that there is as in the past, a landing party of marines

Louisville Making Great Preparations for the Triennial Conclave to Be Held Next Year.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 8 .- The Knights Templar executive committee, which is preparing for the triennial conclave to be held in this city August 27-30 next, today announced plans for the accommodation of the visitors to the celebration. A "city on wheels" will be established near the Naticual league ball park, within ten minutes' car ride of the heart of the city. Accommodations will there be provided for about 4,000 Templars and their friends on sleeping and dining cars that bring them to Louisville.

The cars will be "parked" on sidings laid out in parallel lines and facing on a large campus. On the campus will be several electric fountains and a display of fireworks will be given each night. The village will be patroled by police and a sanitary equipment will be provided. Grounds will be provided for the competitive drills. The local Templars have raised a fund of club today elected the following officers for \$100,000 to furnish entertainment for outsiders and fifty committees are busy on the

Quick Retribution. ROME, Ga., Dec. 8.-The negro who yesterday assaulted and fatally wounded Mrs. Joseph White, the wife of a farmer living twelve miles from Rome, was caught and lynched near here today. Mrs. White

is not expected to recover. The negro's name was Bud Rufus. He was taken from the county officers about midnight and hurried to the home of Mrs. White, who, though in a semi-unconscious condition, nodded that he was the man. The negro was then hanged from a railroad bridge and riddled with builets. A placard inscribed: "A warning to all negroes," was pinned to his clothing.

Rufus denied having committed the

Kansas City Policemen Disciplined. Kansas City Policemen Disciplined.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 3.—The board of Police Commissioners today suspended Captain Thomas P. Fishive for thirty days. This action was taken as the result of the recent examination of the police commissioners at which Captain Fishive testified that Chief Hayes issued orders to him to permit a gambling house to run on Union avenue during convention week. Chief Hayes was exonerated.

The charges against Captain Fishive included "insubordination and the medical results of the property of the charges against Captain Fishive included "insubordination and the medical results of the medical captain for the form of the medical captain for the medical captain for the medical captain for the medical captain for the form of the form The charges against Captain Flahive in-cluded "insubordination and the making of false statements concerning his superior

officers."

Captain Flahive has been connected with
the police department for many years.

James Lills, a patrolman, who sustained
Captain Flahive in his statements, was
suspended for fifteen days.

Boy Pleads Guilty to Big Theft.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. S.—Morris Aarenburg, the lad charged with stealing \$8.537 from Mrs. Margaret A. Heck of this city on November 13, was indicted for larceay by the grand jury today and subsequently was brought into court and pleaded guilty to the charge.

This action was a surprise to the government, as the case against Aarenburg was not very strong. The young fellow has been playing fast and losse with the police ever since he was arrested, and a day or two ago he had them disging all day at a certain spet trying to find the money, and when they gave up the job he told them he was only joking. He has never denied that he knows where the money is, but he has kept his secret thus far. Boy Pleads Gutlty to Big Theft.

Marsh in a Hurry to Settle.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Dec 8.—General F. Marsh, who was convicted of compilcity in the state military frauds and pardoned on Tuesday by Governor Pingree, conditional on his paying \$6.000 fine in five installments, today telegraphed Treasurer Kingsbury of Ingham county, to whom the money was to be paid, that he had forwarded the first installment of \$1.000. He also offered to immediately settle the remaining \$4.000, which he has four years to pay, if it be discounted 5 per cent. Marsh in a Hurry to Settle.

DENVER. Dec. 8.—One hundred and sixty miners at the Simpson coal mines in Lafayette, Colo., have gone on strike because the Northern Coal company, which operates the mine, refused to increase the wages of top men from \$2.50 to \$3 a day. Should a settlement not be reached within a few days the company's other mines, employing several thousand men, may become involved.

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sale tomorrow RECEPTION CHAIR-Beautiful finked golden oak, plane polished, saddle sent, rare design, on sale tomor-COBBLER CHAIRS-Also wood seat, in beautiful quartered golden oak er makogany Anish, very swell, on

sale tomorrow REED CORNER CHAIR-Pretty roll edge, very stylish, would make a handsome present, sale price ROCKER-Golden oak, large pretty rope spindles in back, roll seat, on

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REBELS SUFFER REVERSES Colombian Government Cables Signal

Victory Over the Forces of General Uribe. NEW YORK, Dec. 8 .- Senor Artuero de Brigard, the Colombian consul in this city, made the following statement to the Asedited Press this evening:

"I have this day received a cablegram rom Senor Carlos Martinez Silvia, minis er of foreign relations, dated Bogota, December 6, which reads as follows; "'After several encounters with the

cebls in the department of Bolivar and the itles of La Mesa, Glardet and Buena Ventura, the rebel forces under General Uribe and others have been dispersed. Sevral departments are in entire peace. The rebellion is dying out and the government, surrounded with enthusiastic followers, is preparing to re-establish normal communination for commerce and desires to maintain friendly relations with the neighboring countries.

Litigation Extends Over Two Decades Litigation Extends Over Two Decades ST. LGUIS. Dec. 8.—The case of Mary Hillman of Leavenworth. Kan, begun twenty-one years ago against the Connecticut Life Insurance company to recover about \$20,000, alleged to be due in policies on the life of her hasband, John J. Hillman, was submitted to the United States court of appeals for final decision today. The transcript in the case contains upward of 3,000,000 words. This case mas been reversed and remanded a score of times, and in registing the suits the defendant corporation is said to have expended not less than \$100,000.

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poration is said to have expended not less than \$100,000.

Mandened by Her Child's Absence.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Alice O'Donnell, the nurse girl who killed the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. James Jones in Brooklyn lust night, was arrested today. She admitted killing the child, saying that ner own baby, which was born eight months.

FREE TRIAL!

On this 17th of October, 1900, before me, Thos. W. Folsom, a notary public, personally came Dr. A. T. Sanden, to me personally known, and who, being duly sworn, declares that he will give to any sufferer of either sex his new Herculex Electric Belt on absolute free trial, without one cent in advance or on deposit, and that

> he agrees to forfeit \$5,000.00 if this offer is not lived up to in both letter DR. A. T. SANDEN. Sworn to before me this 17th day of October, A. D. 1900. THOS. W. FOLSOM. Notary Public (87). The above offer holds good for my 1899 Electric Belt, as well as my latest invention, the Her-

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