BATES RETURNS TO COMMAND

After Acting on Beard of Generals to Reorganize Army Pesta.

BOUBT AS TO CONCENTRATION OF TROOPS

While it is Understood that Board Recommended Some Action Definite Information is Not Ready for the Public.

General Bates, commander of the Department of the Missouri, returned yesterflay from Washington, where he has been some time on the board of generals palled to consider a reorganization of the posts of the army in the United States. According to instructions the members of the board are to consider their recomndations as confidential, and for this reason no authorized report of the proceedings of the board will be given out before it is

issued from the office of the secretary of war. It is understood, however, that the report goes into details as to the chappes necessary in the several departments of the country, and that a recommendation was pent to the secretary upon the subject of concentration of the troops near the large transcontinental railroads, so that they could be moved with the greatest fapility. This is the policy which has been opposed by several of the officers of the army and many of the representatives of the labor unions under the plea that it would be taken as a threat to the workingmen of the large cities. None of the memers of the board will say what the recom-

edation was upon the subject. Bates Worked in the East.

The session of the board in Washington was of short duration, lasting no more than four days, but the work of the mempere extended over a longer time, as upon formation the board organized several inmittees which investigated the conlition in the several departments. General ates was on the committee which investirated the condition of the eastern departnents and spent considerable time in the sastern states, returning to Washington the last day of January, when the final sestion of the committee opened and lasted hree days.

"While in Washington," said the general, "the principal theme that interested the lawmakers and public generally was the question of reciprocity with Cuba. The matter has developed factions, one favorthe broadest trade arrangements with the island, and the other taking an opposite view. The western men are taking the greatest interest in the question on account of the beet sugar interests, and the result is still in doubt,

"I met General Manderson fust before l left. He will not return to Nebraska for some time, I understand, as he is to take Mrs. Manderson to the south for the benefit of her health. She is not as well as was hoped and it is believed that a month or so warmer climate will do her much

SURETY COMPANY IS LIABLE

New York Corporation Held for Shortngo of Cashler Grimstend of Humboldt Bank.

Judge Munger has filed in the United States circuit court an opinion in the case COLORADO MADE CHEAP AGAIN the National Surety Company and others against the State Bank of Humtoldt, in which he finds for the bank.

The case came up on a complaint filed by the National Surety company to render perative a judgment secured in the ot Nebraska by the ba Grimstead committed suicide and it was He said: und that he was short in his accounts. Buit was instituted and a judgment setransferred its business to the New York the service secured upon the Missouri cor- times \$19. ation was effective as to it and that the liability of the New York corporation must stand with the liability of the corpoeation making the engagement.

An Officer and Several Privates of Military Company Create Some Commotion.

went to the theater during the performance serio comite; Miss Miller, danseuse; T. V. and attempted to enter. The doorkeeper Mulcahey, sidewalk comedian; Albert Mordid not intend to pay admission, enforcing vocal expert; Datsy Bell, the queen of ance explained, after which the men were for by 7:30 o'clock. Howed to search the house and leave with their prisoner.

Billous Colie.

H. Seever, a carpenter and builder of Kenton, Tenn., when suffering intensely rom an attack of bilious colic, sent to a earby drug store for something to relieve him. The druggist sent him a bottle of Chamberlain's Collo, Cholera and Diarr-hoea Remedy, three doses of which effected permanent cure. This is the only remedy at can be depended upon in the most evere cases of colio and cholera morbus. lost druggists know this and recommend when such a medicine is called for. For sale by all druggists.

Mortality Statistics.

The following deaths and births were re-ported to the city health commissioner for the twenty-four hours ending at noon Frifirths—Mildred Wilson, girl; Zimmer-in, 1814 Webster street, boy; O'Rourke, I South Fourteenth street, boy; W. C. wdin, 2807 P street, girl; Bullivan, 2920 ward street, boy; Bruner, North Twenty-urth street, girl; Bartho, 1308 Dodge daren street, bov.

Deaths-Mrs. John Houghten, Siz Burdette street, 47; James C. Lanktree, County
nospital, 49; Lafayette H. Garner, E33 California street, aged 52; Francis T. Harris,
113 Maple street, aged 79; Mrs. J. E.
Goings, St. Joseph's hospital, aged 59.

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Three Important Valentine Purchases Result

Valentines, Saturday.

From two of the most prominent manufacturers in this country we bought their entire stock on hand at about 20c on the dollar.

From a prominent claim agent we bought a case of Valentines that had been in a railroad wreck and were refused by the consignee. We bought them at 10c on the dollar, and tomorrow we will inaugurate the greatest Valentine sale that Omaha has ever witnessed. All week they have been on display in our show window, and have been very much admired. Those fancy celluloid Valentines that are generally priced more than most people care to pay, will now cost no more than one of those flimsy lace affairs. These are all in the newest designs and ideas. We have divided the entire purchase into lots:

In one lot we place all the Valentines that generally sell for up to 25c each, one in a box, they go at 5c.

The 50c Valentines go in one lot at 10c. The 75c Valentines go in one lot at 25c. The \$1.00 and \$1.25 and \$1.50 Valentines

in one lot at 50c. The Valentines worth up to \$5.00 go in two

lots at 50c and 75c. The small lace Valentines that generally sell at 5c and 10, go in one lot at 1c.

The large and small comic Valentines go in one lot at 10 for Ic.

Half of our basement will be devoted to this sale. We recommend an early call as the best will go first. Never before was there such a Velentine sale.

BOSTON STORE, J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS

cides to Make Low Summer Tourists' Bates.

against the surety company on a bond the Burlington returned yesterday from given to secure the bank against one a meeting of the executive committee of the Grimstead, the cashier of the institution. Western Passenger association at Chicago.

"Two matters of importance were discussed at the session. The first related to bured. The surety company alleged in its | what tourist rates should be established for bill in the United States court that the Colorado travel the coming summer. It was company giving the guaranty, a Missouri determined after some debate to make the cern, had gone out of business and rates as low as last year, so the mountain outings will be as cheap as they were then. company and that no service had been had During certain periods of time the round upon that company. The judge holds that trip from Omaha was only \$15 and at other

"The other matter was the colonists" rates to points in Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana during March and April, good from prominent terminal points at this end, such as Chicago and the twin TAKE DESERTER IN THEATER cities. It was proposed to make these rates good also from intermediate points along the lines. This question was not decided.

Announcements of the Theaters. The amateur show at the Orpheum tonight will bring out another installment An officer and several privates of the Mil- of new aspirants with pretensions to fame and Rifles created some commotion at the and fortune before the footlights, and occadero theater Thursday night by arpromises fun galore. The curtain will ring sting one of their company there. The up on the regular bill at 8 o'clock sharp. armed with guns and bayonets. Among those to appear are: Miss Delain, fused to allow them to do so without ris, negro delineator; Harry Swanson, the ickets. The officer then explained that pocket edition of Lew Dockstader; Willie se had come after one of his company and Tate, the man who imitates; E. O. Boyd. threat by calling his company and song; the Expectation octette; Katherine They were immediately Wedleigh, the lady that made the hit last ustled out through the barroom without amateur night; Amy Warren, coen singer The manager of the and dancer; Sadie Fairfield, mezzo soprano, heater was then called and the disturb-and others. Tickets ordered must be called

> The character of Lisa, the White Slave, in Bartley Campbell's play of that name, is one that has been played by some of America's foremost leading women. The long list includes Georgia Cayvan, Julia Stuart, Isabel Morris, Mary Newman, Adelaide Fitz Allen, Jeffreys Lewis, Valerie

> Bergere and Helen Collier. A very careful survey of the field was made before Lillie Thurlow was selected for the new production of "The White Slave" this season. She is an English woman who has done nothing here except Mercia in Wilson Barrett's "The Sign of the Cross." In Lisa she has a congental role, and her success is a foregone conclusion. The play will be seen at the Boyd Sunday matinee and night.

The Little Magnet Burlesquers close their engagement with two performances today. For tonight the management announces the event of the sesson. Farmer Burns, who defeated young Youssuf Thursday evening, will meet the big Terrible Turk. For this match no time limit has been set, the bout being decided by the first fall. Next week Ziaka and his company of vaudevillans are announced.

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SCOFIELD

DONAHUE AS DANCE CENSOR Chief Puts Ban on Several New Dances Popular in Motley Gatherings.

The "Chicago glide," the "Buffalo" and the "shine" are doomed. Chief of Police Donahue so decreed yesterday in a letter to the captains of police. Patrons of public ces in the future will be compelled to confine themselves to the walts, the two step and dances of the forefathers. every public dance hall in the city. I have

Chief Donahue said: "These dances must be discontinued even if we have to close forbidden them and shall detail an officer hereafter to go to every public dance, and should the dances again be attempted these officers have been ordered to bring the of-

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at \$2.95. \$2.50 boys' storm reefers, for 95c. \$4.50 boys' extra fine Norfolk suits, \$1.85. 12 to 19, at \$2.95, \$3.75 and \$5.00

\$6.50 boys' Norfolk vestee and manly suits, \$5.00 to \$12.50 boys' long pants suits, sizes

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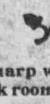
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