Panama company. speech, which consumed more than four ours, Mr. Platt of Connecticut called up the Chinese exclusion bill passed by the house. He then moved that all after the enacting clause of that bill be stricken out and that the measure as passed by the senate yesterday be substituted for it. The

motion was carried without comment. This action on the part of the senate wa necessary in order to facilitate consideration of the measure in the house. The sen-ate at 5:50 then went into executive session and at 4:55 adjourned.

### TO BE BRIGADIER GENERALS Bird, Snyder and Augman Are Nomtnated by President Roosevelt.

WASHINGTON, April 17.-The president today nominated Colonels Charles Bird, Simon Snyder and William Augman to be brigadier generals in the regular army to fill exitting vacancies.

Colonel Bird, whose promotion to the grade of brigadier general is announced today, is well known in Omaha. He came here about 1889 and served for four years as depot quartermaster at this station. He was then a captain in the quartermaster's

department. The appointment of Colonel Bird, if confirmed, will raise Major John M. Pullman. now chief quartermaster of the Department of the Missouri, to the rank of lieutenant colonel in the regular establishment. a rank he held in the volunteers during the Spanish war.

Colonel Charles Bird entered the service as a first lieutenant of the First Delaware infantry March 20, 1861, and emerged from the civil war as colonel. He was brevetted four times for gallant and meritorious services and was severely wounded He participated in numerous battles. He entered the regular service as a on the frontier since the outbreak of the war with Spain. Colonel Baird has had charge of the transportation branch of the quartermasters' department.

Colonel Simon Snyder entered the service as a second lieutenant. Fifty-eighth infantry, April 25, 1861, and became colonel in September, 1892. During the war with Spain he commanded a brigade of volunteers and has been in the Philippines since

Colonel William Auman enlisted as a private of the Twenty-fifth Indiana volunteers in July, 1861, was mustered out as a captain four years later and entered the for about ten minutes. regular service in May, 1866. He was brevetted a captain of volunteers for services before Petersburg, Va., and was recommended for distinguished gallantry at San Juan. Colonel Auman's regiment had the the charge of Contract Surgeon Lyons and greatest per centage of loss in killed of that Captain Glenn and Lieutenant Conger those who went to Cuba. He has just returned from the Philippines.

#### UNANIMOUS IN THE REPORT Presbyterian Committee Completes Pinn for Revision of the Confession of Faith.

WASHINGTON, April 17 .- The Presbyterian confession of faith revision committee completed its labors today and adjourned. The committee agreed upanimously upon a report to be made to the General Assembly, which meets in New York May 25. The members reserved the right to differ upon minor matters in the report to be made to the assembly, but the final report, an authorized statement says, was unanimous and hearty. The differences refer entirely to the question of phraseology and do not apply to that of principle or doctrine. As finally determined upon this brief statement is to contain sixteen articles as follows:

First—God.
Second—Revelation.
Third—Divine purpose.
Fourth—The creation.
Firth—The sin of man.
Sixth—The grace of God.
Seventh—Riection.

Eighth-Our Lord Jesus Christ. Ninth-Faith and repentance. Tenth-Holy spirit. Eleventh-The new birth and the new

life.
Twelfth-The resurrection and the life to come.
Thirteenth—The law of God.
Fourteenth—The church and Sacraments.
Fifteenth—The last Judgment.
Sixtsenth—Christian service and the final

The committee also was charged with the work of the revision of the confession of faith by the preparation of a declaratory statement defining the meaning of certain portions of the confession. This feature of its labors had been completed at previous sessions of the committee and was finally reviewed and unanimously agreed

The declaratory statement deals with chapters 3 and 10 of the confession, the former referring to the eternal decrees of God and the latter known as the elect infant clause; also with that portion of the confession relating to good works, which was revised by a change in the text. That concerning oaths and the pope of Rome clause will be dropped from the confes-

### SEVEN SUITS AGAINST PAYNE Action Begun by Aggrieved Publish-

ers to Recover Second-Class

Mati Rates.

WASHINGTON, April 17 .- The recent policy of the postoffice department in excluding publications from the second class mall privileges under new rulings designed to correct alleged abuses, was the cause of seven injunction suits being filed today against Postmaster General Payne, to restore the second-class rate to the publications of the petitioners. The suits were filed separately in the district supreme court and the court issued a restraining

order on the postmaster general returnable

The complaints allege that the department makes no charge that the publications do not comply with the requirements of the federal laws defining second-class mail matter, but threatens to exclude on the alleged ground that the literary merit of the publications is beneath an arbitrarily fixed standard by which "the defendant seeks to impose a literary censorship over the press and on the alleged fact that the lists of subscribers are not legitimate because they have been to some extent, received by means of so-called premiums and other inducements, consideration of all of which is, manifestly, beyond the power and scope of the authority vested in the

## Garfield is Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, April 17.-The senate has confirmed the nominations of James R. Garfield of Ohio, to be United States civil service commissioner, and William Wil- tainable with the few days remaining before liams of New York, to be commissioner of immigration for the port of New York.



## SOLDIERS TORTURE NATIVES

At the conclusion of Mr. Morgan's Another Witness Tells the Senate Committee About the Water Cure.

NATIVE TOWNS ARE ALSO BURNED

Order to Destroy Town is Given by Captain Glenn and Executed by Lieutenant Conger of

the Regulars.

WASHINGTON, April 17.-Edward J Davis of Greenfield, Mass., who was a sergeant in Company M, Twenty-sixth volunteer infantry, was before senate committee on the Philippines today. He was present in the convent at Igbaras November 27, 1900, when the "water cure" was administered to the presidente of the town of Igbaras, as testified to by Sergeant Riley and Private Smith and related the incidents connected

therewith. He was sworn before being examined and was questioned by Senator Rawlins. He spoke of the arrival of the regulars under the command of Captain Glenn. He said that under orders from Captain Glenn, he. with a squad, had taken the presidente into custody on November 27 and had escorted him to the convent where the "cure" was administered.

#### Reports Story of Torture.

He repeated the story of the torture of man was, he said, about 40 years of age. obtaining a pension." When he was taken into the convent he was asked to give information as to whether PRESIDENT WIRES runners had been sent out to notify the insurgents of the arrival of the scouts in the town. Refusing to do this, the water detall, consisting of two privates of the Eigtheenth infantry, was ordered by Captain Glenn to strip him. The man's clothing was removed above the waist and his hands tied behind him, when the cure was administered by this detail. "He was then," the witness said, "taken to the water second lieutenant in May, 1866 and served tank and thrown upon his back, and while an interpreter stood over him a stream of water was directed into his mouth, which was held open.'

"Who gave the command for this treat-

"Captain Glenn." "How was the man's mouth kept open?

"By means of a stick, but I could not see just how it was done." Continuing, the witness said that when the victim of the cure was filled with water the members of the detail would force it out of him by rolling their fists over his stomach, and that the process was kept up

He described the second application of the cure, as previously testified to and corroborated Sergeant Riley in the statement that the details of this performance were under were both present when it occurred.

### Effect of the Treatment.

the physical effect of the process that the merchandise coming from the United States man "squealed" terribly and that his eyes were bloodshot, but that the next day he was able to mount his horse and lead the 1900, while the exports for 1901 amounted scouts to the mountain. Afterward he was. the witness said, taken to Rollo and placed is shown that the export of Cuban sugar to in prison.

The witness also repeated the statement that two police officers of the town of to \$18,634,001. Igharas had been subjected to the water "There was," he added, "also a nacure. tive school teacher there who was maltreated at the same time, but the water cure was not administered to him. He was taken into one of the back rooms of the convent by Dr. Lyons, who secured the vicinity of Shick Wan Fu are devastated information he wanted from him by placing two Colt's revolvers to his head, thus rendering "it unnecessary to administer the cure.

"Did you see this?" "I did."

Mr. Davis also gave the details of the burning of the town of Igharas, which, he said, contained about 10,000 people, but no business place. All except about 15,000 houses were destroyed and men, women and children were forced out indiscriminately.

Senator Burrows-Who gave the order to burn the town?"

Witness-Captain Glenn. "To whom did he give it?"

"To Lieutenant Conger. He told the lieutenant to burn the town." "Did you hear him?"

"Did he say why it should be burned? "He did not." The witness also said that a neighboring town containing about 12,000 people had been burned, but that he did not know

who had given the order for its destruc-Conducted by Regulars.

He stated in reply to questions that the torture in all the instances mentioned had been conducted by the regular soldiers, and that they had not been participated in by the members of his regiment, the Twentysixth volunteers. "My orders were," he said, "to treat the natives kindly, and so far as I observed the soldiers generally so treated them, with the exceptions I have mentioned."

He added that the presidente had been traitor to the American cause and that the other natives did not generally seem to have any sympathy for him. Mr. Davis said he had been in charge of a detachment of fifteen men in the town of Igbaras for several months before the arrival of the regulars and also for some time afterward. and that he had never had any trouble whatever with the natives. He had talked with the regular soldiers about the water cure and had been given to understand that its administration was not of rare occurrence, but said they had not given names of persons or places. He replied to Senator Lodge that he knew of the murder of several of the members of Company F of his regiment by natives at another point, but it had been his understanding that they were killed by ladrones rather than by the town authorities, as Colonel Dickman had re-

ACCEPT SENATE SUBSTITUTE House Members Agree to Chinese Exchasion Bill in Its New.

ported.

Form.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The members of the house who have been chiefly interin advancing the Chinese exclusion bill after informal conferences today de cided to accept the senate substitute adopted yesterday continuing in force the present laws and applying them to our insular pos-

Representative Kahn of California, who introduced the drastic exclusion bill in the house and Representative Combs of Cali-fornia who aided in perfecting it, both expressed the view that the senate measure should be accepted as the best measure ob the Geary law expires by limitation. This view was made known to Senator Perkins of California, who reported the house exclusion bill from the foreign affairs committee, and an informal understanding was reached that if the California members were willing to accept the senate substitute this course undoubtedly would be taken by

the committee and the house.
"The senate substitute as finally amended really gives us all we want except in emit-ting the satiors clause," said Mr. Kahn, "and it is much more drastic than is gen-

erally understood. It goes much further than the original Platt substitute and by re-enacting the present law and the law of 1888, extending them to our Island possess sions and continuing these laws indefinitely, we get almost, if not quite, as much as we would by the original bill. But in any event, as the present exclusion law runs out on May 5 it will be desirable to accept the senate substitute, for if we were a sin gle day without an exclusion law thousands of Chinamen would cross the border from Canada.

### VETOES BILL FOR A PENSION President Refuses to Condone Inex-

ensable Offense of a Civil

WASHINGTON, April 17.-President Roosevelt sent today to the house a veto to the bill pensioning Tobias Walter, a Heutenant in a Pennsylvania volunteer regiment during the civil war at \$17 per mouth. The veto message states that the records of the War department show that this soldier was cashiered by sentence of a general court-martial for disobedience of orders as to going on picket duty and that this disobedience was admitted.

To inscribe his name on the pension roll," the message says, "would be to condone an inexcusable offense, detract from the high estimate in which the pension roll ought to be ever held, and to do injustice to soldiers, now on that roll, especially those under the act of June 27. 1890, where an honorable discharge from the presidente, adding some details. The the service is a condition precedent to

### PRAISE Extends Congratulations to General Bell for His Forcing Filipinos

to Surrender.

WASHINGTON, April 17.-Adjutant Geeral Corbin has sent the following cable message to General Chaffee at Manila:

"The acting secretary of war directs me o inform you that the president wishes through you to express his gratification and the gratification of the American people at the results of the campaign of Brigadier General J. Franklin Bell and the officers and men of his command in the Batangas and Laguna provinces, which culminated in the surrender of the insurgent forces under Malvar, and which will further extend the territory in which civil government is exercised."

### Commerce of Cubs.

WASHINGTON, April 17 .- A comparative statement issued today by Colonel Edwards, chief of the division of insular affairs, shows the commerce of Cuba for the calen dar years of 1901 and 1900. The total value of merchandise imported during the year 1901 was \$66,583,973, against \$66,658,589 for 1900, and the exports of merchandise during the year ended December 31, 1901. amounted to \$63,278,380, against \$48,904,684 for 1900. These figures show a very slight decrease in the imports and an increase of Mr. Davis said in reply to questions as to 29 per cent in the exports. The value of for the calendar year 1901 was \$28,078,633, a The score: decrease of \$1,097,369, as compared with to \$48,066,579, an increase of \$14,819,970. It the United States amounted in 1901 to \$30,-814,196, in 1900 to \$16,763,852 and in 1899

Fatal Sweep of Disease.

WASHINGTON, April 17.-United States Consul McWade, at Canton, has cabled the State department as follows: Whole villages on the banks of North River in the by smallpex and typhoid. Fatshan is sufering from cholera and plague

WASHINGTON, April 17 .- The president has nominated James S. Clarkson to be surveyor of customs of the port of New York MUTUAL RESERVE IS OLD LINE

After Successful Examination by New York Insurance Department It Reincorporates.

NEW YORK, April 17 .- (Special Telegram.)-Yesterday afternoon at Albany the Mutal Reserve Fund Life Association of New York received its charter as an oldcompany. Under its new title Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Company." the organization now is a purely mutual insurance institution, incorporated under the legal reserve statute of New York. The examination by the New York Insurance department preliminary to granting the right of re-incorporation has occupied three months. The condition of the company was determined from the standpoint of its ability to comply with the requirements of the statute governing legal reserve companies. The result of a most careful and thorough examination undertaken by the department shows that the company possesses a surplus in excess of all liabilities, including the full statutory reserve of about \$500,000. The insurance department increases the value of the real estate holdings beyond the estimate of the company. At the beginning of the examination the management asked of the department the utmost strictness of inquiry into its affairs and this course was rigidly adhered to. Superintendent is amply able to comply with all requirements of the law for re-incorporation as a legal reserve, or old-line mutual life insurance company. On this showing the charter was granted yesterday afternoon and now the Market Research Stoles have the Bases on Beaumont. Stoles have David. Bases hits: Donovan, Leach. Three-base hits: Donovan, Leach. Three-base hits: Donovan, Leach. Three-base hits: Donovan, Leach. Bases and now the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company takes its place as the third largest purely mutual life insurance company of New York. President Frederick A. Burham has thus fulfilled his pledge to the policy holders of placing the Mutual Reserve under regular law without depriving the policy holders of any part of their ownership in the institution. The Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company begins its new career prosperously. Founded in 1881 is has within a period of twenty-one years paid in death claims to its members \$50,000,000. It has thousands of members in practically every state of the union and its interests in Europe are important.

Meteor on the Other Side. LONDON, April 17 .- Emperor William's yacht, Meteor III, in tow of the steamer Scotia, passed Frawle point at 8:40 o'clock this morning. Meteor, which was built at Shooters' island, passed out of Sandy Hook under sail, at 3 o'clook on the after-

noon of April 1. The steamer Scotis was

under orders to convoy the yacht on its

voyage across the Atlantic.

Natural Food Maintains the Natural Condition of Health. IS NATURAL POOD.

## 'VARSITY MEN LOSE AGAIN | hit and went out twice on line files. At-

Put Up Fast Enough Game, However, to Interest Leaguers.

STUDENTS WILD IN THE EARLY INNINGS

Hickey Done His Batting Togs for the First Time This Season and Looks Good to the Crowd.

Omaha, 5; Nebraska University, 2. New York, 7; Philadelphia, 0. Brooklyn, 2: Boston, 1. Pittsburg, 1; St. Louis, Chiengo, 6; Cincinnati, 1.

Wednesday's little breathless experience with the collegians from the University of Nebraska had put "Pa's Pets" on their guard and they were careful to win the game without any eleven-inning complications, so irksome to men not yet in the best of condition. A score of 5 to 2, however, which was practically a duplicate of its 2 to 1 predecessor, is good evidence that the business at Vinton street park yesterday was a matter of base ball from the start. Though the 'varsity men did not make quite the showing of Wednesday afternoon, their work remained eminently satisfactory, and the game was one of intense interest all the way.

Fast, snappy ball was the order of th day. It was marred only by the fatal wildness of some of the students, too eager in the earlier innings to repeat the performances of the previous day. Reckless throwing, however, constituted the major portion of the collegiate mistakes and later in the game the amateurs steadled down in great

Hitting was even more closely restricted than the first day. The leaguers made eight off Bobby Gaines, just the number they poled off Leatherby Thursday. The students meanwhile were put up against a double battery proposition and failed to find the combination of Risley and Graham so easy as Owen alone had been. Six hits was their quota, to which fact may be attributed their failure to score more.

### Risley in Fine Form.

Risley threw a handsome game while he remained in the box. He was as steady as a clock, never giving a base on any account. Graham was not quite up to his last Sunday's trim and passed out free firsts with some liberality. This habit of his gave the 'varsity boys their only two runs in the last inning, and it looked for a minute that they would make it 3 to 4.

Thirdbaseman Hickey donned his batting clothes for the first time this season and he looked good to the crowd with a pair of hits, one a two-bagger. It was almost the first time, too, that the fans have had a chance to see him run a base, but he says he intends to circle them constantly hereafter. Burg was also hitting, but that's nothing so new. Omaha played a very clean game all the time, Hickey's one error being due to haste rather than incapacity.

OMAHA. AB. R. H. O. A. Burg, lf..... Genins, cf.... Fleming, rf... Dolan, ss..... 34 6 27 14 Totals UNIVERSITY Totals ..... maha ..... Earned runs: Omaha, 1. Two-base hits:
Dolan, Hickey. Bases on balls: Off Graham, 3: off Gaines, 2. Struck out: By Risley, 2: by Graham, 3: by Gaines, 1. Double
plays: Hickey to Hayes, Bender to Raymond, Rhodes to Bender to Raymond,
Stolen bases: Burg, Fleming, Hickey,
Wild pitch: Graham, Hit by pitched ball:
By Graham, 2: by Gaines, 2. Time: 1:10.
Umpire: Keith.

GAMES OF NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pittsburg Wins Opening Game from St. Louis on a Single and Out and an Error.

ST. LOUIS, April 17.—Pittsburg won the opening game against St. Louis at League park today by a score of 1 to 0. The visitors' count came in the sixth on Leach's single, Kruger's miss of O'Connor's grounder and Phillippi's out at first. Both pitchers performed brilliantly and it was a great duel throughout. Attendance, 10,600. Score: PITTSBURG

R.H.O.A.E.

Farrell, 2b. 0 2 4 4 0 Davis, rf. 0 1 1

Barclay, lf. 0 1 2 0 0 Clarke, lf. 0 1 4

Hartman, 3b 0 1 1 1 0 Beaumt, cf. 0 0 6

Smoot, cf. 0 1 4 0 0 Wagner, ss. 0 2 2

Kruger, ss. 0 0 1 3 4 Bransfd, lb 0 1 14

Donovan, rf. 0 1 1 0 0 Ritchey, 2b. 0 0 2

Hazelton, lb 0 1 7 0 0 Lesch, 3b. 1 2 0

Hazelton, b 0 1 7 0 0 Lesch, 2b. 1 2 0

Ryan, c. 0 0 4 1 0 O'Connor, c. 0 0 4

Yerkes, p. 0 0 0 3 0 Phillipl, p. 0 0 0 Totals ... 0 7\*26 12 4 Totals ... 1 8 27 15 \*Beaumont out on bunt strike.

New York, 7; Philadelphia, 0. New York, 7; Philadelphia, 6.

NEW YORK, April 17.—The National league hase ball season was opened here today on the Polo grounds with a game between the New York and Philadelphia tenms, which resulted in a victory for the home club by a score of 7 to 0. Pitcher Mathewson succeeded in shutting out the visitors and his delting and pitching were the features of the game. Twenty-four thousand people passed through the turnstiles and the local rooters were in high glee over the victory of the New York players, most of whom are new to the ranks of the professional players. Hulswitt, the Philadelphia shortstop, was particularly clever and the work of Douglass, who covered first base for Philadelphia, was also good. The weather was exceptionally fine. Score:

PHILADELPHIA. NEW YORK.

Thomas, cf. 0.0 2 0 0 Dunn. ss. 1 1 1 2
Barry, rf. 0 2 0 0 Delsh ty, rf. 1 2 0 0
Browne, If. 6 0 2 1 0 Jones, cf. 0 2 2 0
Douglass, 1b. 0 11 0 1 Thisiman, cf. 0 0 0 0
Jacklitsch. 0 0 1 2 2 5 Lauder, 3b. 0 1 2 1
Rulswitt. ss. 0 1 1 5 0 Doyle, 3b. 1 0 11 1
Hallman, 2b. 0 0 0 2 1 Jackson, If. 1 2 0 0
Hallman, 2b. 0 0 0 2 1 Jackson, If. 1 2 0 0
Sells, p. 0 0 0 2 0 Smith, 3b. 1 1 0 2
Sells, p. 0 0 0 2 0 Matheware, p. 0 0 1 5
Deerg. 5 0 0 0 0 0
Totals NEW YORK Totals ... 0 4 24 21 2

\*Batted for Voorhees 

Brooklyn, 2; Boston, 1,

NEW YORK. April 17.—The opening of the season between the Brooklyn and Boston Base Ball clubs of the National league at Washington park this afternoon was a pitchers' battle from start to finish in which Conovan out-twirled Willis. The game was won by the Brooklyn players, with a score of 2 to 1. On the winning team Hildebrand showed up very strong as a batter, although he only scored one

## BROOKLYN.

Secretary of War Will Personally Superintend the Removal of Troops.

REFUSES TO DISCUSS NEW GOVERNMENT

R.H.O.A.B.
0 0 0 0 Keeler, rf. 0 0
0 1 3 1 0 1 0 Dolan, cf. 0 2
1 0 4 2 0 McCrrr, lb. 0 0
f. 0 0 1 0 0 lahles, se. 2 2
0 1 1 0 0 Flood, 3b. 0 1
0 0 2 2 0 Hildsh'nd, lf 0 1
0 0 2 2 0 ersia, 3b. 0 0
0 1 1 0 0 Donovan, p. 0 0

Chicago, 6; Cincinnati, 1.

CINCINNATI, April 17.—The Cincinnatis lost the opening game here today mainly through their inability to land on Taylor. Chicago landed on Swormsted rather lively. Judge Leuders of the police court made the opening address and tossed the ball into the diamond. Over 10,000 spectators were present, the largest crowd that has witnessed a ball game in this city in years. Score:

CHICAGO

Totals ... 6 11 27 11

e Slagie, cf... e Miller, if... e Denter, Sb... e Coughlin, rf. e Chance, c...

CINCINNATI R.H.O.A.E.

... 1 7 27 17 1

Standing of the Teams,

S. U. I. BASE BALL SCHEDULE

Includes Game with Nebraska on

Iown Field on the Twenty-

Sixth Day of May.

IOWA CITY, Ia., April 17-(Special.)-The

1-Knox college at Iowa field. 3-Cornell college at Mount Vernon. 6-Nebraska at Iowa field. 9-State Normal school at Cedar

v 17—Purdue university at Lafayette.
v 20—Grinnell college at Iowa field.
v 22—Upper Iowa at Iowa field.
v 23—Simpson college at Des Moines,
v 24—Agricultural college at Ames.
v 27—Cornell college at Iowa field.
v 30—University of Minnesota at Cedar
de.

Falls. May 10—University of Minnesota at Min-

eapolls.

May 12—Luther college at Decorah.

May 13—Upper Iowa at Fayette.

May 14—Knox college at Galesburg.

May 16—Lombard college at Galesburg.

May 16—University of Illinois at Galesburg.

Rapids.

May 31—Coe college at Cedar Rapids.

BURKETT KEEPS UP FIGHT

(Continued from First Page.)

S. Martin, C. H. Pembroke and G. W. Rob-

ertson as carriers. The routes embrace an

The postoffice at Morgan, Decatur county,

Ia., will be discontinued April 30 and there-

after supplied by rural carrier from Line+

In One of the Houses Burglars Bring

of Water.

Their Victim a Drink

PEORIA, Ill., April 17 .- Professional bur-

glars accomplished three of the most dar-

ing robberies ever known in the state of

Illinois this morning, when the residences of Flavel Shurleff, George H. Littlewood

and Dr. George T. Gray were entered be-

tween 3 and 4 o'clock and upward of \$2,000

in money and jewelry was taken by them

The two latter burglaries were committed

in the near vicinity of the first.

after the police had been notified and were

While robbing the houses of Shurleff

and Littlewood the burglars were discov-

ered, but kept their victims at bay with re-

is troubled with heart disease and one of

while the other watched with a gun. As

the burglars were leaving the Gray resi-

dence Dr. Gray fired several shots at them.

Mrs. Shurleff also fired several shots in the

air to hurry their departure. The police

Reception Given by Friends to Prest-

dent-Elect of Williams

College.

KANSAS CITY, April 17 .- Rev. Dr. Henry

Hopkins, president-elect of Williams' col-

lege, was given a farewell reception by

McPherson post No. 4 of the Grand Army

of the Republic, Department of Missouri,

Many ex-confederates participated in the

Hopkins, Major William Warner and others.

Dr. Hopkins will deliver his farewell ser-

mon at the First Congregational church, of

which he has been pastor for many years.

next Sunday. He will depart for the east

FIRE RECORD.

Barton, Alabama, Destroyed.

iness portion of this town, including the

postoffice, was destroyed by fire last night.

Quarterly Dividend Declared.

BARTON, Ala., April 17 .- The whole bus-

the robbers brought him a drink of water

THREE

have no clue.

in this city tonight.

next week.

Loss not known.

DARING ROBBERIES

Played, Won, Lost.

nicago.

hicago ..... hiladelphia

... 1 2 24 8 0 Totals ... 2 7 27 12 Some of the Courts-Martini Ordered Earned runs: Brooklyn, 2. Two-base lit: Dahlen, Stolen bases: Demont, Dolan, Dahlen, Sacrifice hit: Keeler, First base in bails: Off Donovan, 4; off Wills, 2. Hit by pitched bail: By Willis, 1. Struck out: By Donovan, 3; by Willis, 8. Time of game; 30. Umpire: Brown, in Philippines to Be Tried in United States on Account of Witnesses.

NEW YORK, April 17 .- Secretary Root started for Cuba today on the steamship Esperanza. Discussing his trip he said: I am going down to look over the field and lay plans for the withdrawal of our troops from the Island on May 20. There is no great significance 'n my trip. I want to be on the ground and see for myself just what the situation demands before I issue the final orders.

The secretary would not discuss the prospects of the new Cuban government 'I am not prophesying," he said. "My function ends with carrying out the orders of the government to withdraw our troops and leave everything in as good condition as possible for the new Cuban government to take control.'

Mr. Root would not discuss his order to General Chaffee to court-martial General Jacob Smith.

"Peltz batted for Swormsted in the ninth "I have said all I intend to on that sub-Earned runs: Chicago, 4. Two-base hits:
Beckley, Beck, Lowe, Tinker, Taylor,
Three-base hits: Miller, Taylor, Stolen
base: O'Hagen, Double plays: Tinker to
Lowe to O'Hagen, Doubs to Steinfeld, First
base on balls: Off Taylor, 2; off Swormsted,
4. Struck out: By Taylor, 2; by Swormsted, 2. Time: 1:50, Umpire: Emsile. ject in my order to General Chaffee." He "Some of the courts-martial will be held in this country because the regiments from which witnesses are needed have been brought home and it will be much easier to secure the evidence wanted here than in Manila. "I cannot now say whether any of the officers against whom charges have been preferred will be tried in Manila."

### DEATH RECORD.

George Coon, Strang.

STRANG, Neb., April 17,-(Special.)-George Coon died at his residence one and a half miles from Strang, aged 58 years. Mr. Coon was a member of Company F, Sixteenth lowa infantry, during the civil war. He was captured on July 22, 1864, and was in Andersonville prison nine months. He tunneled out once, but was soon downed by bloodhounds and put back in the stockbase ball seagon at the University of lown begins Thursday afternoon with a game with the Rock Island Three-I league team, Coach Williams has rounded his men into good shape in the month of practice which the men have had. The schedule for the ade. He homesteaded here in September. 1871. Eight sons and two daughters survive him, his wife having died some time the men have had. The schedule for the season is: April 17, 18, 19, 22, 22, 24—Rock Island league team at lowa field. April 25—Coc college at Iowa field. April 25—Grinnell college at Grinnell. April 29—State Normal school at Iowa field.

Mrs. Sarah H. Johnson, Linwood. LINWOOD, Neb., April 17. - (Special.)-Mrs. Sarah H. Johnson, aged 65 years, died Wednesday. She moved to Linwood in 1860. where she has resided ever since. She was the first postmistress here, taking charge of the office when it was established, June 1, 1868. The first school here was also taught by her. She leaves a husband, one sister and an adopted son. The funeral will be held Friday at 2 p. m. from the residence.

### Mrs. Wray, Waco.

WACO, Neb., April 17 .-- (Special.) -- After brief illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Purrington, Grandma Wray died on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Wray was a pioneer settler of this county and was born in Scotland March 15, 1817. At her death she was 85 years old. The deceased came to Nebrasks and York county in 1874 with her husband and homesteaded land south of Waco.

H. W. 'Killen, Adams.

ADAMS, Neb., April 17 .- (Special.)-Prof. H. W. Killen, principal of the Sterling area of 123 square miles, containing a pop- schools, died at the home of his mother in Adams at an early hour this morning. His illness was very short. Funeral arrangements are being made by the Masonic fraternity, of which he was a member. The services will be held here on next Sunday

Dr. H. Allen, Odell.

BEATRICE, Neb., April 17 .- (Special.)-Dr. H. Allen of Odell, this county, formerly a resident of Beatrice, died at his home there yesterday, aged 78 years. Deceased located in this county-early in the seventies, and practiced medicine until about ten years ago. He leaves a widow and one son.

## HYMENEAL.

Two Marriages at Beatrice.

BEATRICE, Neb., April 17 .- (Special.)-Yesterday Miss Mamie Hewekerl, one of Beatrice's popular young women, and Charles R. Root of Cheyenne were married at the bride's home in this city. Rev. W. K. Kearns officiated. After a wedding trip of a week in Denver and Salt Lake City the volvers and talked to them. Mr. Littlewood young couple will take up their residence in Cheyenne, where Mr. Root has made his headquarters for the last year. Tuesday evening at the First Presbyterian parsonage occurred the marriage of Harry B. Pope of this city and Miss Carrie Hervey of Tecumseh. Mr. Pope is an employe of the Nebraska Telephone company at this point. The couple will make their home FAREWELL TO DR. HOPKINS in this city.

## Easterday-Bowen

AVOCA, Ia., April 17.-(Special.)-A very pretty wedding was held in the First Presbyterian church Thursday evening. The contracting parties, Miss Grace May Bowen of this city, and Mr. Fred Ralph Easterday of Lincoln., Neb. Rev. C. E. Cushman of the First Congregational church officiated. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's par ents. Mr. and Mrs. Easterday will be at home to their friends after June 1, 2520 reception. Addresses were made by Dr. Vine street, Lincoln, Neb.

> Corbet-Cruger. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., April 17 .- (Special.)-George Corbet, the young man who

was one of the principals in the prize fight at the armory the other night, was married last night to Miss Marie Cruger of this city. The couple will continue to reside here for the present.

Change in Boundaries.

TOPEKA, Kan., April 17.—The Seventh Day Adventists' national conference, in session in this city, is considering a proposition to change the boundary line of the northwestern and southwestern union conferences. The plan embraces the scheme to cut off the states of Kansas, Missouri and Colorado from the southwestern conference and form a central conference. More than 600 ministers are attending the meeting. NEW YORK, April 17.—The directors of the International Power company today declared a quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent on the common stock. This is the first dividend declared on the common

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