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## The Weekly Chroniele．

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## latest object lesson．

Admiral Dewer has raised the
anish cruisers，Ista ne Cuba and Spanish cruisers，Isla he Cuba and
Isla de Luzon，which were sonk dur Isla de L Luzon，which were sunk dur
ing the battle of Manilu．Both hav been floated and are ．locked at $\mathrm{Ca}_{a}$ vite．The Admirals intention is th
bave them fully repaired and fite out to re－enforce his fleet． The two vessels in question，while
not of the latest model，were among
tie most effrective protected cruisers of Spain＇s Pacific squadron．Ench had a displacement of 1,030 cons， speed of sixteen knots，and a crew ock
160 men．Each carried four－incl Hontoria guns，four six－pounder and machine guns，and three forpede cubes．They were lighter than th Marblehead and Montgomery of ou
own fleet，bot carried as heavy arma ment．Light－draught vessels will b
needed in the Plilippines，and needed the thising the Spanish cruieers raising the two Spanish cruisers Ad
miral Dewey has made a valuable addition to his fleet at trifling ex pense．
If it is deemed importunt to save bay，how much more importont is to save the first class Spanish cruiser sunk in the vicinity of Santiago．One
of these，the Maria Teresa，was raised and floated and is now at the The government is making every at－ tempt to save the vessel，and，ev expense，the people will approve the
work．The same course should be followed with the Cristobal Colon， the Vizeaya，and the Almirante， Teresa in the battle of Santiago．
The e vessels were the pride of the Spanish navy．They came to Amer－ one of the best naval cofficersmand or rope．They were blockaded in San fingo harbor by our lieet，forced ou army，and in one of the greatest sunk by the guns of the American warships．
The Cristobal Colon，the best ves－
el tid the Spanish navy，was not in jared in battle．She was run on the beach．surrendered，and was taken the Americans．All the injury to
her was done by water and it was be－ her was done by water and it was be－
lieved at the time by the most ex－ perienced officers on the ground that ficolty and added to the American onvy at an expenditure of one－fourth Even if the Vizcaya and the Oquendo cannot be raised with profit
the experiment should be tried sel，the pride of the Spanish navy， 000 ．If she can be floated，and re paired so as to become a cruiser in the American navy，she will remain valor on the sea．Wherever she he first thought would be of the victory of the American fleet at Santiago，and the Cristobal Colon would be a constant reminder to the young of the high place won by our
navy through superior courage，dis－ cipline，ana skill．

## PAYING fOR NEW territory

## A g＇asta affairs has marked in the

 the United States in ：ts territorial ash maymet the time． his country．The law of ruthless seizure 18 not to be found in our his－ reated by us as one who mast give ing anything in return．Thet stern emand bag usually been enforced by her nations，but nat by the Unite disarm the foe，but pot to drive bim\section*{| from his possessions worse than | that is responsible for the ill treat－ |
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| empty－handed．Losers in modern | ment of the United States sailors and | wars usually pay a cash indemnity．fishermen in Canadian ports，and it is} rance was deprived of two entire Britain that is responsible for the do－ provinces in the last war with Ger－

many and paid to the victor $\$ 1,000$ ．
It is a bellef in the certainty of Brit－ 000,000 in addition．In the war 1878 with Russia，Turkey lost ter is still deeply in arrears for the cash indemnity also exacted．Prussis patd nothing for the annexation in
866 ，by military force，of the Danish provinces．Greece recently escaped of territory on the frontier and a casb demmity．Spain is found to fa：e mdemmty．
exceedingly
is made．
The practice of the United Stat than that of Europe．Almost in－ variably we have paid a direct sum in cash for territory aequired．Fo
the Louisiana purchase of 1803 rance received $\$ 12,000,000$ ．Spai 1819．Texas，with the standing of an independent state，came into th vantages as an equivalent，without
cask payment．The cession of Mexi cash payment．The cession of Mex payment by the United States
$\$ 15,000,000$ and debts assumed the extent of $83,500,000$ ．The Gads den purchase of 1853 cost 810,000 ， for $87,200,000$ ．While Hawaii came in this year without a direct payment the obligations assumed amount io
several millons．Porto Rico is re garded as a partial war indemnity． United States has been to pay a lomp cash sum，and one large enough to b senting the other side of the transac－

## Io ions．

To the acquisitions referred to and Rassia a total of $852,700,000$ ， verage of $\$ 21$ a square mile， give Spain $\$ 20,000,000$ for the Philip－ bout would be $\$ 87$ a square mile， bout 13e an acre．But the value or mind in making an estimate of thi nature．The offer includes impor－
tant advantages in addition to the ＊20，000，000 in casb．Spain will be the Phed to conduct commerce with the Philippine seaports on the same If the Spanish element there desire to continue business on old lines no
discriminating taxes will bar the way The United Stetes in eompleting the reaty also proposes to wipe out old Liberality marks the proposition tbroughout．Spain is enabled to be－ in a new era without the burden of rar claims of a vietor．She is lucky generous people． PRACTICAL TEST OF FRIENDSHIP A crisis is at hand in the Anglo－ American conterense．Out neigh and the St．Lawrence might prefer hat we should say the conference be ween the Canadian and the United tates commissioners；but，atter all British colony．It is the voice Britain，not of Sanada，that is to de－ cide whether the proceedings of the
conference，that has adjourned from Quebee to Washington，are to end in or in a series of mutual concessions． in fact，we are about to learn whether bich of late has been projected so frequently on the eanvas of inter－
national polities，really is the reflec－ tien of a sturdy friend or is the mere shadow ot a shade．
If the conference fails Britain must not be allowed to lay the blame
of failare upon＂Canadian obstinacy，＂ for Britain is the master and，owner of Canada，which has a part in the for Britain only by courtesy It is press willingness or unwillinguess to relinquish the inequitable treaty that
dentes us the right of a suitable war navy on the lakes，and that probibits he construction of gunboats or other lestination．IL is Britain，not Canada， destination．IU is Brilain，not Canada，The entifb crop of the United Kingdom


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tina，bat the Iatest accounts as to the ontlook for the wheat crop in
country are not unfavorablie．

## Sataratars Dnity． Ira Rowland，of White Salmon，is the cty．

Mre．A．E．Star
city from Dafar．
Cliyde Bonney is
in the city today．
Mr ，And Mre ，C．G．Roberts are up
om Hood River today．
Ernest Sherar came in from his ranch
t Hay Creek yesterday．
J．H．Cradlebaugh left this morning
a bueineess trip to Pertland．
M．M．and Thomas Glavey ar
from Kingaley on a basinesa visit． Chas．McAllister，one of the promi－
nent wool men，is down from Arlington． Mre．Maggie Conroy came up from
Portand laet night，and is the guest of
Mrs．G．W，Yans，
Mra．C．N．Thornbury，who has spent
he past ten days in Portland，retorned
home last evening．
Mre．R．C．Evans and Mise Effe
Evane，of White Salmon，are regittered
at the Umatila house．
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on a viat，cane up yeeterday，and will
return to his home at Moro in themorn． retu．
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W．S．Lytle arrived from Waseo yes－
terday morning and accompanied by
his dauhter，
tris to to Portiand． George Norman and sister．M1es
Molie，left this morning for Hood River． They，welt be toin morning tor thood their parente in
a few days，and together will go to Rose
barg，Or． Mr，and Mre．G．A．Van Anda are in
the city today from johns＇mil The
report having rad abont six inchee of
emow at the mill，which has moetly dig－ report having had
enow at the mill，wh
apppeared at preeent．

## Mike Callishan of Kingsley，is a vieitor in the city today． <br> James Grant and Z．Taylor are among the Antelope vieitorin the city． Mr．．ee Evans，Mosier，was in the <br> city office <br> J．Duff McAndie，A prominent gheep－ man and citizan of Antelope，apent yet－ terday and today in The Duliee <br> A．E．Lake，formerly of Wamic，but who Dow a resident of Moro，was in town today and gave us a pleasant call．

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Mies Carrie Butler came up on the
Mies Carrie Butler came op on the
evening train Sstarday，bavp eng ent
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Mies Ethel Grubbs，of Portiand，re－
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cont of the lilness and death of her
cister，Mre．Condon，returned to Port

## land thie morning．

Mrs．Fred W．Wilson arnved from The
Dalles on Friday，by private conveyance
Dalles on Friday，by private conveyance，
Mr．and Mre．Whiton have moved inte
the S．Stearns boooe and will make their th．S．Stearns．booee have will maved into their
home here．－Prinevile Journal．

## T．J．Moffitt，of Grass Valley io in town

Frank Graham，of Centerville，is reg．
ittered at the Umatilla．
Charies Colleary，Ed McDavid and
F．，B．Stimeon are over from Goldendale，
Mies Edus Erhart was a pasenger o
the boat this mornivg for a vieit wit
the boat this mornigg for a vieit with
friende in Porluand．
Dr．Jas，Qutheriand left on laite even
inge traid for Solkane，having epent
several daye in the city． Among our Hood River
are Joon Heirrich，Hang
Eyans and J．P．Hilitrom．
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Mife Mand Clake．Who ha ben
vieitiog her hant，Mre．Hadleg，at Moro， Mise Mand Clarke，who hat been
viititig her anit，Mre，Hadley at Moro，
returned home yeeterday afternoon．


## An Old Man＇s Last Hope．

Made helpless as a baby by a äreadful nervous dis－ ease he read of a case like his own，and had enough fimself an example to others who are suffering from of the nervous system．

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