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WAR OFFICE REFORM

tion Is Demanded.

THE SENSATION IN ENGLAND

Decisions of Lord Lansdowne and Lord Wolseley Reversed-He Refuses to Quit and Will Demand Trial by Court-Martial.

LONDON, Dec. 27 .- The War Office has begun the promised reform of the army in a sensational manner. It has demand ed the resignation of Major-General Sir eu the resignation of Major-General Sir Henry Colville, commanding an infantry brigade at Gfbraitar, and recently com-manding the Ninth Division of the South African field forces. General Colville refuses to resign and is now on his way to Teachard

The news is all the more startling as the question of General Calville's respon-ability for the Yeomanry disaster, at Lindley, last May, was fully investigated by the authorities when General Colville returned from South Africa last Summer. After the inquiry, General Colville was reinstated in his command at Gibraltar

a September last. The attitude of the War Office indicates that a new regime in Pall Mail will re-verse the decisions of Lord Lansdowne and Lord Wolseley in regard to some of the recent commanders in South Africa.

General Colvills, like General Methuen, has always been a great social personage in London, and a prominent elubran. He has had a most distinguished military

eymoon in a balloon. The Times, dealing editorially with the ahnouncement, says: "It is regrettable that Mr. Broderick

has fell constrained to reverse the judg-ment of Lord Lansdowne. He may have unanswerable reasons, but their force will have to be fully proved in order to jus-tify his refusal to be bound by the ac-tion of his predecessors."

The Daily Chronicle comments less scverely, but in a similar tone. The other papers make no reference editorially to the matter, although the incident has made a sensation. It is understood that General Colville will demand a trial by court montal. court-martial

FROM THE SOUTH SEAS.

Australian Prospector Killed and

Eaten by Blacks.

VICTORIA, B. C. Dec. 27. - From Guernaland the news was received by the Miowera that a prospector named P. Kil-lane had been killed and esten by the blocks when h lane had been killed and esten by the blacks whom he engaged to pack for him. He was missed, and, after some scarch, his remains were found by the police, and from their disposition it was believed the blacks had killed and enten him. From the evidence which afterwards came to light this was proved. He had evidently made camp when he was killed, having probably made finds in the vicinity. Gold is reported having been found in Samon, near Apin, and a company has been formed there to develop the mines. Chief Matsafa is becoming restless, and December 6 sent an invitation to the chiefs of the native government in Samon asking them to meet him at Mu-linit. The object of the gathering was

Intu. The object of the gathering was not known. Governor Tilloy and Judge Gurn, after a tour of the Islands, left Pango Fango for New Zealand. The Mlowera brought advices of a raid on British possessions by the Tugeri tribs from During New Yorks and the States of the

on British possessions by the Tugeri tribe, from Duich New Guiana. A squad, of police met the pirates at the mouth of the Morehead River. A fight on the water ensued, in which the police cas-tured or sunk five junks. No prisoners were taken but it is setting of the prisoners were taken, but it is estimated that over 30 were shot or drowhed. There were no casualities among the government forces. Afterwards the Tugeri made another raid

of Damara Land. The bulk of the capital will be held jointly in London, Paris, Ber-lin and New York. The German Govern-ment, which was formerly extremely dis-couraging loward the efforts of foreign General Colville's Resigna-tion Is Demanded

Russian Consul to Bombay.

97. PETERSBURG Dec. 2.-To occupy he post of First Russian Consul at Bom-ay, the Government has appointed M. Klemm, for many years in the Foreign Office service in Central Asia, and latter-ly Secretary of the Russian political agency at Bokhara. Russia secured the right of consular rep-

resentation at Bombay after long and dif-ficult negoliations, the British Govern-ment being slow to admit that the com-mercial interests of Russia justified the departure. The real objection, naturally, was fear that the Consulate would serve for political instead of commercial pur-poses.

Panama Canal Company's Report.

PARIS, Dec. 27. - The new Panama anal Company, at its annual meeting today, adopted the report, in the course of which the directors, referring to the United States Commission's report, say: "The president of the company is not pursuing negotiations at Washington. Should it be found impossible to arrive within a reasonable period at an equita-ble understanding with the United States, we shall seek and submit to you the means to actively carry on our work. It is neither possible nor permissible to say any more on the subject today."

Condition of Bereaford.

LONDON, Dec. 27.-Lord William Berea-ord, who has been suffering from peri-onitis, passed a very hed night and much anxiety was felt this morning. Later in the day it was announced that Lord Beresford had rallied slightly since this morning, but that his condition was very grave.

Discinius Letter to Kruger.

THE HAGUE, Dec. 27 .- On the reason This mad a most distinguished military career, has been repeatedly mentioned 'n bing of the Senate today Senator Ren-dispatches, and is familiarly known as "Odgers." He is also known as an author, and on the occasion of his marringe president of the Senate to Mr. Kruger, thorized the President to express sympa-thy with Mr. Kruger.

> Turks Assaulted a Bridsh Charge. CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 27. - Some Furkish soldiers have grossly assaulted and multreated the British Charge d'Affaires, Mr. De Buksen, and other members of the British Embasey in the vicinity of the powder magazine at Makrikein, Sharp demands for redress have been made to the Porte.

Alleged Paderewski Duel.

PARIS, Dec. 27 .- The Prefecture of Po ce has not heard of the alleged due in which seconding to a report circulated in New York City, Padrewski, the planist, was killed, on a small island in the Seine. The music publishers, Chanthe Seine. The music publishers, Chan lens and Durand who have business re lations with Paderewski, do not believe he is here

Prussian Diet Summoned. BERLIN, Dec. 27.-The Prussian Diet mas been summoned to meet January 8.

RUN ON BALTIMORE BANKS Result of the Failure Wednesday of

the Old Town.

BALTIMORE, Dec. M .-- A scare among the timid depositors of the several sav-ings institutions of the dity was the only noticeble result of the walture Wednes-day of the Old Town Bank. Runs occurred on nearly all the savings institu-tions, but the most noticeable was upon the Savings Bank of Baltimore, the City the Savings Bank of Baltimore, the City Savings Bank and the Hopkins Place Sav-ings Bank. Crowds of persons were as-sembled upon the sidewalks in the vicinity of these banks long before bunking hours this morning, and in each case the doors were opened before the usual hour in order to accommodate those who wished to withdraw their droposits. In each case the demands were complied with.

10 were shot or drowned. There were no cnsualities among the government forces, Afterwards the Tugeri made another raid on the Morehead River villages, killing is persons. The Tugeri tribe for years has given a great deal of trouble. Six months ago they concluded terms of pence with the British, a most claborate ceremony being carried out on the occasion of the City Savings Bank. At the Hortz City Savings Bank. At the Hopkins, which remained open for businers until nearly nightfall. \$50,000 in round numbers Sixth Cavalry. was paid to depositors. In no case were the doors closed until the crowd had been ccommodated. Judge Stockbridge today appointed J.

ceived an order to get out of the country. He decided to make his way to Kiso Chao, and started for the Grand Canal. He was accompanied by one native serv. ant and the native head man gave him protection until he reached the canal. He secured a small junk and at once em-barked on his iong journey. He had not gone far before he fell into the hands of Bayes who robubed him of his clothing THE EMPEROR OBJECTS KWANG HSU THINKS THE POWERS Flying Column Sent Out by Von

Boxers, who robbed him of his clothing and money. He was then altacked with typhold fever, and while desperately sick fell into the hands of a second band of Boxers. They threatened to bind him up and deliver, him over to the authorities, but finally permitted him to go.

Railroads of Manchuria

Prince Ching, the Chinese peace commis-sioners, have heard from the Emperor, Kwang Hsu. Prince Ching called on the ST PETERSBURG, Dec. 27 .- The No voe Vremyn's Vladivostock correspond-ent stands by the story that the Russian Government is about to take over the Manchurlan 'railrosds. He says Comformer for consultation, remaining over an hour. The' court objects strenuously to reducing the forts, and also to allow Manchurlan 'railroads. He says Com-mander Keller has left Viadivostock formto reducing the toris, and also to allow-ing permanent legation guards, which it seems to think could be made sufficiently large at any time it was desired to men-ace the court liself. After the confer-ence it was decided to hold further commander Keiler has left Viadivostock form-ally to deliver the roads to the govern-ment's representatives. The correspond-ent also says the Chinese caused losses amounting to only 4,000,000 rubles. The arrival of larger or smaller bodies of coldiers from China is announced daily from Southern ports. leation with the court before seeing

son at Yang Tsung by 100 men, with horses and three guns. A fiying column of 1600 cavalry will acour the country between To Block Wu Sung Channel. SHANGHAL Dec. 27 .- Many Chinese war

COLONEL ASA BIRD GARDINER

DEMAND TOO MUCH.

Waldersee to Scour the Country

-Boxers Are Without Arms,

FEKIN, Dec. 22-Li Hung Chang and

the Ministers. The British have increased their garri-



EX-DISTRICT ATTORNEY, OF NEW YORK COUNTY, WHO WAS REMOVED BY GOVERNOR ROOSEVELT.

nese troops. Colonel Tuillek's regiment will remain to destroy the towns he recently captured. This action is taken owing to the fact that a number of Box-ers unquestionably mode them their head-quarters. The British authorities say they do not expect serious trouble from the Baxers, mainly because they lack arms. Fortunately the Chinese Govern-ment feared to trust them with arms, lest

a rebellion against the dynasty be undertaken. Otherwise the danger might have been serious. British soldiers have been found dead outside the Temple of Henven with bul-lets in their heads. The murders are belived to have been committed by Chinese, A detachment of the Sixth United States Cavairy, Ninth Infantry, and Fifth Artil-

lery will leave tomorrow to investigate the reported burning of native Christians by Boxetz, as reported by the Rev. Mr. Kelly, the Prosbyterian missionary. The expedition will be commanded by Lieu-ten-nt-Colonel Theodore Wint, of the

Institute, the American Philological As-sociation, the Modern Language Associa-tion, the Dialeet Society, the Society for Biblical Research and the Spelling Reform Association. The societies held separate meetings this afternoon and completed ar-rangements for the work mapped out for the congress, which held its first session this afternoon. Provost Harrison welcomed the dele-rates at the general meeting of the stor-

SEVEN

SOCIETIES

cuss the Possibility of Arseni-

cal Poisoning in Beer.

revolution of the response was made by President Gilman, of Johns Hopkins, who is president also of the Oriental Society. Following a few remarks by President Following a few remarks by President Martin, of the University of Pekin, the programme of the meeting was entered upon. Addresses were made by President Benjamin Ide Wheeler, of the University of California, on "The Cause of Phonetic Uniformity," and others,

CHEMISTS IN SESSION.

Discussed the Possibility of Arsenical Poisoning in Beer.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27 .- The possibility of arsenical poisoning in beer was the topic of popular interest at the opening of the convention of the American Chemical So-clety today. The 500 chemists from ali parts of the country turned from disourses on atoms and elements and joined in the argument growing out of the recent wholesale poisoning in England. Dr. Ed-ward Gudeman charged the browers with willfully introducing into beer an arsenical antiseptic to prevent the fermentation of the beverage from progressing too far, and his assertion was the sensition of the session. Several other chemists spoke on the question, urging that all beer and other liquors brewed should be thorough-by anniverd to protect the commerce

Ity analyzed to protect the consumers from the dangers of poison. A, Schall, secretary of the society, read a paper by Charles A. Parsons, of New Hampshire College, Durham, N. H., in which a recipe was given for distinguish-ing oleomargarine from butter. The sam-ple, the writter sold, should be placed in boiling milk and cooled, being stirred through the process. If the fat collected into a ball, the sample is oleomargarine;

into a ball, the sample is oleomargarine; if not, it is butter. In the afternoon the members of the society visited local points of interest, while in the evening the delegates dined at the Auditorium and President Me-Murtrie delivered an address upon "Con-dition, Prospects and Future Educational Requirements of the Chemical Indus-tries."

Southern Educational Association.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 27 .- The tenth nnual convention of the Southern Eduational Association met here today. Addresses of welcome were delivered by Governor J. Home Tyler and othern R. B. Fulton, chancellor of the University of Mississippi, president of the association. delivered his annual address. The morndelivered his annual address. The morn-ing session was concluded with a paper rend by Miss C. S. Parish, professor of physiology and philosophy at the Ran-doiph Macon Woman's College, at Lynch-burg, Vå., on the subject. "Education for Southern Women." This afternoon the association had six conferences and inter the members attended a reception at the executive mansion. HUNOLULU, H. I., Dec. IS.-HORSHIE is about to Nave a temperance crusade led by' the Woman's Christian Temperance Union and the Ministers' Union. Two ministers of the Woman's Christian Tem-

Geological Society.

petance Union, Miss Jessie Ackerman and Miss Ada Murbutt, are expected here on the steamer Copile on December 23, and after they have started the agliation, Rev. Dr. Chapman, of the Anti-Saloon League, of Oakhand, will come. He is ex-ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 27.-The sessions of the Geological Society of America operand at the Albany Boys' Academy this morning. Dr. G. M. Dawson, director peeted orly in January. It is part of the plan of the crusade to arouse sentiment in favor of the hill Congressman Littledent of the society, delivered his address, after which a number of scientific papers were read. The meeting will last three field, of Maine, introduced in the House, to prohibit absolutely the sale of intoxi-

THE DUTCH RAID.

brewing, walked from Osgood to Ver-sallies at night and pacted the streets till dawin armed with a revolver. For sevi-oral hours she walted under the window of her husband's cell, ready to challenge any who came to do him harm. Her tears being finally allayed, Mrs. Jenkins start-ed for home. No sconer was she out of sight than a mob gathered. Dragsing out the five men, the members of the mob killed them in succession by beating MET CONVENTION OF ARCHABOLOGICAL AND PHILOLOGICAL ASSOCIATIONS. out the five men, the members of the mob killed them in succession by beating them over the head with a musket stock. Mrs. Jenkins was compelled to fice to save her own life, coming to Chicago. Here she brought sult for \$600 damages against Sheriff Bushing's bendamen, be-fore Judge Baker, in the United States Circuit Court. The suit dragged along for three years and finally the bondsmen decided to settle outside of court. Chemists in Session in Chicago Dis-PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27 .- Learned men

and women from every educational cen-ter of the United States gathered at the University of Pennsylvania today to atdecided to settle outside of court. Mrs. Jenkins, when compelled several months ago to go to Ripley County to at-tend the trial of the case, was protected by a bodyguard of Government detectives. She will go to Versailles next weak to get the \$4900. University of Pennsylvania today to at-toud the opening session of the Con-gress of Archaeological and Philological Societies of America. Seven distinct so-cletics were represented, about 300 deta-gates being in attendance. Among the organizations represented are the Ameri-can Oriental Society, the Archaeological Institute, the American Philological As-meriation the Modern Tamerare American Statematics and the Society of Society and Society (the Society Society) (the Society Society Society) (the Society Society) (th

CHURCH AND STATE.

Question Before the Philippine Commission.

MANILA, Dec. 27 .- The Philippine Com last night.

MANILA, Dec. 7.—The Philippine Com-mission has completed the tariff bill and mailed it to Washington for approval. The decision of the commission will be made public Monday. The first question dealt with by the commission affecting an issue between the church and the United States Govern-ment is whether the control of the San Jose Medical College is vested in the Gov-ernment or in the church. The college ernment or in the church. The college was established by bequest in the 17th century, and the Jesuit order was given its control. When the authority of the Its control, when the authority of the Jesuits in the Philippines caused, the Spanish Government assumed direct con-trol of the college, and later permitted the Dominican order to conduct San Jose College as part of the University of Santa formas. Following the American occupa-tion, a representative of the people in-sisted that the college, under the treaty of Paris, came into the control of the of Paris, came into the control of the United States, and ought not to be con-trolled by the church. The church au-thorities claimed the church had full lega, possession. General Otis finally closed the institution. The first hearing took place shortly after the commission arrived. Archbishops Chapelle and Nozaleda made the measuration for the church. If the the presentation for the church. If the

commission decides that the control is vested in the Government, litigation is considered probable. Death of Lieutenant Slack.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.-A. cablegram from General MacArthur at Manila, re-relved at the War Department today. announces the death of First Lieutenant Walter T. Slack, of the Forty-seventh Volunteer Infantry, from dysentery, on Christmas night. Lieutenant Slack was born July 10, 1815, at Grayson, Ky. He was appointed a Second Lieutenant of the Second Kentucky Volunteer Infantry at the outbreak of the war with Spain and was honorably mustered out in Octob 1886, In August, 1899, he was commission Octob a Second Lieutenant in the Forty-seventi Volunteer Infantry, and in November of

that year he embarked with his regimen for the Philippines. He was promoted to be a First Lieutenant on August 25 last,

FOR INAUGURAL PARADE.

Names of Civil Societies Which Will Participate Desired. WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.-The inaugural committee, which has charge of making up the great inaugural parade for March

4, has written to each Senator and Repre-sentative, asking for the names of any civil organizations or associations in the civil organizations or associations in the various states which may be considering the question of attending the inaugural ceremonies to be held here March 4. The committee desires to secure the names and addresses of all such organizations in order, that they may enter into corre-spondence with them, and make provision for their reception upon reaching Wash-here.

The members of Congress generally have turned these requests over to the papers in hopes that they may bring the matter to general notice in the several cities and states, and bring forth expressions from the respective civic organizations re-ferred to.

It is not expected that very many, if any civic organizations from the Pacific Coast will attend, at least in any consid-erable number, but the committee is just as anxious to hear from them as from organizations from more easterly clifes. It is desired that these matters be given prompt attention, in order to avoid any unnecessary delay in laying out the gen-eral programme. Such organizations from Oregon and Washington should forward their names and addresses to members of their respective state delegations, in order that there be no confusion or misstanding. Members of these two delegations have chosen this method of bringing this matter to public notice, and trust al organizations which contemplate partici pating in the inaugural exercises will re-spond at once,

THE DEATH ROLL.

Old New York Merchant.

will be a free man and that he is hiding with friends. At the expiration of a month after the time a patient leaves an asylum under the state leaves an asylum under the state lunacy law he canno brought back.'

It was learned last night that Mr. Chan-er always believed his relatives were his memics, and for that reason the general opinion is that he has gone to West Virginia, where he owns a large stock farm. He often talked of going there and living a quiet life.

WRECKED A SALOON.

W. C. T. U. Woman Created Excitement at Wichita.

WICHITA. Kas. Dec. 27.-Mrs. Carrie Nation, president of the Barber County W. G. T. U., entered the Carey Hotel bar-room, and with a stone smashed a \$300 painting of Cleopatra at her bath, and a mirror valued at \$300. A warrant was sworn out by the owner of the saloon fixtures, charging Mrs. Nation with ma-licious destruction of property. She was taken to the county jail. Mrs. Nation sent two demands to the sick-bed of Gov-ernor Stanley, for him, as Governer of the state, to come to the city jail and take charge of her defense. On Stanley's refusal, she telegraphed for Jerry Simp-WICHITA, Kas., Dec. 27.-Mrs. Carrie refusal, she telegraphed for Jerry Simp-son, her old neighbor at Medicine Lodge. With a hatchet Mrs. Nation recently simashed all the bur fixures at Klona and Medicine Lodge. She arrived here

Army Bill Prospects. WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.-Representative Hull, chairman of the House committee on millitary affairs, apparently does not share the fear expressed in some quar-ters that the Army reorganization bill will fail at this session of Congress and a makeshift temporarily continuing the

will fail at this seasion of Congress and a makeshift temporarily continuing the present arrangement resorted to. "I have canvassed the situation in the Senate," said he today, "and I believe that the differences between the two houses upon the measure will be adjusted within a week after the bill goes to con-ference." ference.'

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Then Trin and Yang Tsung in obedience junks, inden with stone, have been an-to Field Marshal von Waldersee's orders chored off Wu Sung, presumably to block to be on the aleri, in view of the French, the channel in case of an emergency.

report of an engagement with 2500 Chi CRUSADE IN HAWAIL About to Be Started by the Temperance People of Honolulu. HONOLULU, H. I., Dec. 15 -- Honolulu

being carried out on the occasion of the viceregal visit to the islands of the Straits

DEMANDS AN INQUIRY.

Dreyfus' Letter to Premier Waldeck-Rousseau.

PARIS, Dec. 21 .- Dreyfus has written to the Premier, M. Waldeck-Roussen, classing as another falsehood the recent statement of M. Henri Rochefort, in the Intransigeant, that he (Dreyfus) had sent to Emperor William, of Germany, in 1894, a letter stolen from the German embassy at Paris, and which, annotated by the Emperor, constituted formal proof of the ime "for which I have been twice un-stly conderined," and adding: "My in-cence is absolute and legal. I am not justly conde nocence is absolute and least. I taked by the author of the bordereau annotated by the Emperor, which is a forgery, nor e original authentic bordereau, written Esterhezy to save Henry. All the principals of my injustious condemnati are still alive. I am hot despoiled of all my rights. I still retain that right of every man to defend his honor and have the truth proclaimed. I, therefore, havs the right to ask you to order an in Colonel Picquari has written to M. Wai sck-Rousseau, warmly protesting against he inclusion of himself in the amnesty deck-Rot He says he does not wish to owe his rehabilitation to such a measure, and in dignantly repudiates the rumors that compensation will be offered to him, nonthat he has been amnestied. He declares that, in order to demonstrate the false-ness of such stories, he renounces his appeal to the state council placing him on the retired list, thus disposing of the accusation that he is seeking advanceme or decoration

Russin Tried to Bluff Corea.

TACOMA. Dec. 27 .- Oriental advices state that Russia's Minister to Corea was recently received in audience by the Em-peror of Corea, whereupon the Minister proposed that he should have the privliege of interfering in Corea's civil admin istration with the object of introducing re-forms; also that negotiations with other powers should be referred to the Russian Minister before taking action. The Em peror called a meeting of his Privy Coun-cil to consider the proposals. The govern-ment became uncary and in an official communication asked the Russian Minister if he was in earnest. The Minister then back down, stating that he had no recollection of making such propositions. was granted special privileges, how One of these permits Russia to in crease its military strength in Corea and construct a large fort at the port of Masampho

London Dock Fire.

LONDON, Dec. E.-One of the most se-rious fires which have occurred in the East End of London during the last 10 years, broke out today at the East India Docks. Five immense sheds, filled with Docks. Five immense sheds, filled with svoids, including 1000 bales of hemp and quantitles of jute, were consumed. The shipping in the neighborhood and other warehouses were only saved by the great exercises of the firstmen. exertions of the firemen

Development of Damara Land.

CAPE TOWN, Dec. 27 .- A strong inter-CAPE TOWN, Dec. II.-A strong inter-national syndicate has been formed for the development of the mineral resources E. W. Grove's signature is on each box 25c.

B. Ramsay co-receiver, to represent the court, of the Oid Town Bank. A third receiver will be appointed Morday.

Failure of Mexican Bankers.

MEXICO CITY, Mex., Dec. 27. - The allure of the well-known banking firm of Francisco Martinez Nerrete & So Guadalajara, has created a sensation in this city, where the firm has for many this city, where the firm has for years been identified with its busine lopment. The liabilities are \$7,235,060. and it is believed by bankers conversant with the affairs of the firm that its as-sets, if properly handled, will yield a surplus over all claims. The failure is due to the financial stringency.

Michigan Bank Closed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.-The First Na-onal Bank of White Pigeon, Mich., was ed tonight by order of the Controller of the Currency on receipt of telegrams from National Bank Examiner J. W. Sel-don that the board of directors of the bank had passed a resolution requesting the Controllar to the body the Controller to take charge. Examin Seldon has been appointed receiver. ' bank was last examined September 25, which time fts resources amounted \$160,023, and its liabilities \$165,023. amounted to

Grand Rapids Merchant Fails.

GRAND RAPIDE, Mich., Dec. 27.-Fred-erick W. Wurzburg, one of the oldest and most prominent of the local merchants, ay filed a trust mortgage for a total \$80,000, covering his entire stock of goods in his big building on Canal today of \$90,000,

The Columbian War.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.-United States harge Beaupre, at Bogota, has cabled to State Department that he has been informed by the Colombian Government that the invading troops were overtaken by the government forces at Rosario; also that their leader, General Uribe was defeated at Corazel, in the Province of Bolivar. He was retreating with a few remaining followers through the Depart-ment of Migadalena, toward the Vene-zuelan line. The war is said to be pro-gressing favorably for the Colombian Government

Byyan's Candidacy.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.-Charles A. Walsh, of Iowa, secretary of the Democratic National Committee, who arrived here today to assist in arranging for the meet ing of the National executive committee in January, makes denial of the report that the present organization of the Democratic party is planning to make Bryan

the Presidential candidate in 1968. "There is no foundation for such' a story," said Mr. Walsh. "As the late reas sent out by the committee says 'It is not desired to advance the inter-eves of any man or faction': that is what the organization declares, and that is all I care to say about the matter."

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

CONGERS' EXCEPTIONS.

Reservations in the Signing of the Joint Note.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.-A special to the Herald from Washington says: It has developed that Minister Conger signed the agreement drafted by the Min-

isters in Pekin and presented to Prince Ching on Monday with several im: mary on additional with several important servations. Among these reservations re the following: Rejection of the terms agreed upon by

the Powers and presented to the Chinese envoys does not bind the United States to join the other powers in resuming hostillties The United States is not bound to main-

tain permanent guards in China or to prevent the importation of arms and ammunition. Other reservations were made by Mr.

Conger, but their character will not be made public by Secretary Hay until he receives from the Minister the text of the

Mr. Conger acted under instructions in ppending to the agreement a statement of the position of the United States. The authorities were apprehensive that the lowers, in case of the refusal of China to accede to the demands, would be under the impression that by signing the agreement this Government was piedged to enforce compliance with the terms. The President did not propose to be placed in any such position, and he di-rected Mr. Conger, therefore, to make clear the attitude of the United States.

CRUELTY OF THE TROOPS.

Made the Subject for Remarks in

French Chamber of Deputies. PARIS, Dec. 27.-In the Chamber of Deputies today, Marcel Sembat, Radical Socialist, representing one of the districts of the Seine, called attention to the re-ports of cruelty on the part of the European troops in China. He said the French soldiers were no further from re-proach than the Russians. They had committed similar atrocities. He also pro-

tested against pillage, which, he asserted, had been carried on systematically, and he accused the missionaries of participating therein. The Minister of Marine, M. de Lanes-

san, replied that the government had ordered an inquiry and would severely punish all the guilty persons, but, as a con-solution, he was able to say that the

French soldiers had been much less barbarous than those of other nations. The government, the Minister continued, had rdered all the articles sent by General Frey to be returned to China and restored to the Chinese Government. Mr. de Lanessan concluded with the expression of hope that the reprehensible acts com-mitted would not be renewed.

Experiences of a Missionary

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 77.-Rev. Father John Weig, a Catholic missionary who went through the recent Boxer troubles in China and escaped after a series of des-

perate experiences, is in San Francisco on his way to his former home in Ba-varia. He was stationed in Southern Shan Tung, and 20 native villagers were Shan Tung, and 60 native villagers were under his charge. When the Boxers be-gan their murderous campaign he re-

United States training ship Adams. which is one of the vessels which trained her guns on the city of Honolulu during the days of the provisional government,

cants to the aborigines of the Pacific Islands over which the United States exer-

an abbearance, and there is much spe lation as to the cause of her lateness,

Francisco by late British mails

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responsible. A searching investigation by

tery, and will probably never be known Bennett had kept his relations with he

ing. The men amused themselves gather

ing "enow" from the pipes of her re-frigerating machinery, and for a time there was lively throwing of snowballs, something never before seen here.

Chinese and Japanese Claims.

that Governor Dole, of Hawali, will

thought that the two were together

Little Has Been Accomplished by the Boers in Cape Colony.

days.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 .- A dispatch to the arrived here vesterday on her first visit

since annitation. She is on a cruise from San Diego with 125 naval apprentices on Fribune from London says: Little light is thrown upon the military hoard. She will leave here about January situation in Cape Colony by the official and press dispatches. The system of rail-road and wire communications has evi-dually here thereas a state of the system. 8, and is to be back in San Francisco in the middle of March. The British sloop of war, Icarus, from d and wire communications has evi-tly been thrown out of gear by the Esonimait, arrived here vesterday, after er invasion, but no important town or

having storped at Hilo for several days. She leaves here for a cruise among the Islands of the South Pacific, after which station has been occupied and the raiders are not in sufficient force to accomplish any useful result. There is the worst useful result. There is the worst ible weather not only for military opshe will return to Esoulmalt. The new Oceanic straimship Sierra, which was due here last Monday night erations, but also for ordinary railway traffic, for the rains are incessant, the There at flood and the drifts impassable. One body of raiders is reported in Zuurberg and another is moving toward or Tuesday morning, has not yet put in

Prieska after cutting a wide circuit, but supposed she was detained at San there is no evidence that all these rough riders in the east and west number more than 2000, if they are so many. The pur-suit of them is difficult when they are It is now thought that the suicide of the famous American scout, Frank Bennetr, was due to remorse on hearing of ready to break up in small squads whenever they are menaced with attack. Lord Kitchener needs sinews of iron and nerves of steel in order to endure the in-Schneider, and that her death was also by sulfide, for which Bennett held himself essant strain of campaigning of this police falled to bring forward any of that Bennett gave her the poisson. kind, but the force of his will and enerry is felt wherever he goes. Whatever alarm there was in Cape Colony was dis-pelled when it was known that he was How she secured the drug remains a mys-

ersonally directing the operations at secret from his friends, and though it is De Aar and Nauwpoort.

Public interest here is centered upon he final stage of Lord Roberts' journey rom Madeira and Gibraltar, and upon the night when the girl took the poison, this has not been proved. When she behe honors which will await him when he came ill Bennett made many inquiries arrives in England. The rumors are re-vived that his name will head the New Year's list of honors, but a Dukedom seems out of the question and an Earl-dom is more probable, with possibly the about her, and after her death he was seen little. He retired to his room and shot binzelf the next day. The extraordinary spectacle of a snow-ball fight on the water front of Honolulu blue ribbon of the Order of the Garter. The Queen has a ribbon to spare since no successor has been appointed to the late Duke of Argyli. was witnessed today. It was when the cold-storage steamer Albion, which cam here from San Francisco with meats and other market goods, had finished discharg-

Buller's friends, would be sorely disointed if his name does not appear in the New Year's list, and White, Hunter, French, Ian Hamilton and Pole-Carew are regarded as probable winners in the lottery of decorations.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 .- It is expected DAMAGES FOR LYNCHING.

of Her Husband.

Japonese growing out of the destruction of their property at Honolaiu at the time of the bubonic plague outbreak. It ap-pears that the Chinese claims are less CHICAGO, Dec. 27 .- Mrs. Lulu C. Jen kins, now of Chicago, has just been awarded 44000 for the lynching of her, hus-band in Ripley County, Ind., three years ago. The money will be paid over by the eight bondsmen of ex-Sheriff Henry Bushthan was at first estimated, and that the total of the Japanese and Chinese claims are, approximately, \$1.600.000. The Chi-nese Government has not been in a condi-tion, of late, to exert pressure in behalf of the claims of its citizens, but the Jap-aneze authorities have been actively look-ing on the total of the claims after the mur-der. This puts an end to a case that has aroused attention all over the United States. William Jenkins was one of five men ifor a flow rougested a short

countrymen, and now seem of fair way of securing partial remunera-tion. Governor Dole suggested a short time ago that the matter be referred to the Hawaiian Legislature, and this was approved by the officials here as the best means of adjusting the matter. There means of adjusting the matter the Legis-the Hawaiian Security and Lisie Levi, an aged solider. There was a fight in which shots were the security sheriff.

There was a fight in which shots were fired at a deputy Sherff. Jenkins, with the others, was arrested and taken to jail at Versailles, Ind. Mrs. Jenkins, suspecting that mob violence was



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Dr. A. T. Sanden NEW YORK, Dec. 27 .- Joseph Theodo White, an old merchant of this city and a veteran of the Sevonth Regiment, is dead. Mr. White was born in 1512 in this city, and was the youngest son of Joseph Fairchild White, of Danbury, Conn. He CORNER FOURTH AND MORRISON PORTLAND, OREGON began his business career when only li years of age. At the age of 16 he rep-resented and managed an agency of a Now York firm in New Orleans. During Dr. Lyon's the gold excitement in 1849, he went to San Francisco, and engaged in general merchandise business. PERFECT

John Howard Jones.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. - John Howard Jones, who from 1888 to 1878 was agent of the Northwestern Associated Press in Chicago, and for the greater part of that time agent for the Western and Call-fornia Associated Press. died at his home in this city today, aged 64. His reports of the Chicago fire in 1871 gained him con-siderable fame. For a number of years Mr. Jones was superintendent of the western division postal station in this city.

Aged 107 Years.

MONTROSE, Pa., Dec. 27.-Michael Ma-loney, a farmer of Lexon Township, is dead at his home, at the age of 107 years. Mr. Maloney was a native of Ireland. Liver Ills. Father of Congressman Sulzer. Doctors Say;

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.-Thomas Sulzer father of Congressman William Sulzer of New York, died today, at his home in Elizabeth, N. J. He was 55 years of age.

Disappearance of Chanler. NEW YORK, Dec. 27 .- The Times says

There is every reason to believe now that John Armstrong Chanler, the millionaire who escaped from the Bioomingdie Asy-lum at White Plains on November 28 last intends never to return to that institu tion. Samuel B. Lyons, superintendent of Bloomingdale Asylum, said last night that he firmly believes that Chanler has gon for good.

"I believe," said he. "that Mr. Chanle is waiting for a month to expire so h



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a recommendation to the Hawaim Legis-lature, which meets in February, for the settlement of the claims of Chinese and

pears that the Chinese claims that the than was at first estimated, and that the