Thousand Troops Surround Insurgent Camp, Preparing to Attack Rebel Leaders.

REPUBLIC 18 TRANQUIL

Except for Shock to Business, Affairs Are as if Incipient Revolt Had Never Occurred

In Nation.

HAVANA, March 17.-The indications tonight are that the Government is in a fair way to crush promptly the incipi-ent revolution that broke out in the province of Santa Clara Monday night. Palace officials announced that the father of two members of the band of insurgents had visited General Monteaguado, chief of the guard at Camajuani, and told him that the insurgents implored the elemency of the government and were anxious to surrender, on the promise that their lives would be spared.

Troops Surround Rebels.

General Monteaguado, accompanied y a strong escort, thereupon started for by a strong escort, thereupon started for the insurgent camp. The insurgents are now surrounded by a cordon of more than 1000 rurales, but owing to the rugged country it will be extremely dif-ficult for the troops to come to close quarters with them.

The government claims to have been informed of the conspiracy several weeks ago, and President Gomez determined to embrace the opportunity to make a striking example of the leaders. For this purpose he directed a great concentration of troops in the vicinity of Vueltas in order to make short work of the affair.

Island All Tranquil.

All sections of the island show com-plete tranquillity. The government is fully satisfied that the affair is purely

socal stocks on the Havana exchange again declined heavily today and the trading was practically at a standsith. Business interests generally deplore the outbreak, which has given a severa blow to public confidence.

MILITARY HEADQUARTERS MAY GO TO SEATTLE.

Washington Congressmen Appeal to War Department and Hear That Sound City Will Get Prize.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 17.—All members of the Washington Congressional delegation to-day united in a letter to the Secretary of War protesting against the removal of the headquarters of the Department of the Columbia from Vancouver Barracks to Seattle or elsewhere. They insist that the headquarters should remain where now located.

TAFT CAUTIOUS AS TO JUDGE

President Will Take Time to Pick

New Member of Federal Bench. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March II.—President Tart is proceeding slowly and cauffously about the selection of a new Federal Judge for the Western district of Washington, and probably no appointment will be made for some little time. He has talked individually with various members of the Washington delegation, but they are yet to meet and consider the matter with a view to formulating a joint recommendation to the President. Mr. Taft reserves the right to make his own selection of a Federal Judge, and is determined to appoint the most suitable man among all who are available. Politics will cut no figure in his selection. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash-

MORRISON CORNER IS SOLD

Lot on Fourteenth Street Bought by Local Capitalist for \$37,000.

The northeast corner of Fourteenth and Morrison streets is the first sale made of upper Morrison-street reality in some time. The deed was put on record yesterday, with the consideration placed at \$37,000. The corner lot, 50x100 feet, is opposite the Lincoin High School, and is considered one of the most attractive in that part of the city. F. O. Northrup conducted the transaction, which was the transfer from E. S. Merrill to Robert W. Wilson, a Portland capitalist. There is a two-story frame building on the lot, which is to be removed soon to give place to a five or six-story brick family hotel. Morrison-street holdings are held quite strongly, there being few sites obtainable at anything like figures attractive to investors. The opening of Morrison street to Washington, favored by practically every owner from Third to the end of the street if accomplished. Morrison street to Washington, favored by practically every owner from Third to the end of the street, if accomplished, is now believed to be one of the best improvements that could happen for the strengthening of values, according to the sponsors of the movement.

Mr. Northrup says he has great contained in the future of the street, but, while having a number of clients willing to invest in that part of the city, he experiences some trouble in finding sellers.

Since he has arrived at Pasadena, Mr. Harriman has seemed to be in uncertain health, though he has been fairly active and buoyant in speech. That his rest in the last few weeks has been beneficial is conceded by his physicians and attendants, but that his health is satisfactory and that he has made the gains expected is not conceded. He visited the

sea coast at Long Beach today, returning late this afternoon.

WIZARD BOUGHT BUSINESS Shippers Played Poker and Got Re-

bates Before Merger. CHICAGO, March 17.—Competition be-tween soliciting agents for the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific railroads, prior to the so-called Harriman merger, became so active that representatives

became so active that representatives of the roads sought to buy business from shippers. Such was the statement of A. H. Ginz, former traffic manager of the South Bend Plow Company, today in the Chicago hearing of the Government's dissolution suit against E. H. Harriman et al.

Speaking of the activity of competition before the merger, Mr. Ginz was asked: "What methods did the competing agents pursue?"

agents pursue?"
"They went so far as to try to buy W. H. Knight, ex-general agent of the Union Pacific, testified on the competition between the railroads prior to the amai-gumation of the Union Pacific and South-ern Pacific. He said:

"Competition was so active that the railroads loaded the cars while the shippers played poker in a nearby hotel and were given rebates, instead of paying for the loading of cars."

C. S. Stebbins, assistant to the general

anditors, Union and Southern Pacific sys-tems, said the freight traffic over the merged lines aggregated \$1,000,000 monthly and that the passenger traffic was cor-respondingly large.

HARRIMAN WILL SEE CANAL

Wizard Will Go Yachting to Isthmus and View Big Waterway.

NEW YORK, March 17.—E. H. Har-riman's yacht Sultana is being fitted out here for a sea trip. The captain said tonight that his orders were to proceed to New Orleans on Saturday. From there, it is understood Mr. Harriman and a party of friends will go to Panama to inspect the canal work.

DEMOCRATS GO ON STRIKE

REFUSE TO SERVE ON COMMIT-TEES CANNON NAMES.

Open Revolt in House Against Ignoring of Clark in Selecting Minority Members.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Bartlett Georgia) and James (Kentucky) made good their caucus pledge not to accept a committee appointment unless first ap-proved by Clark, the minority leader, and flatly refused to serve on the committee on mileage, the membership of which was announced by the Speaker. No objection was made because of Bartlett's attitude, but it required a vote of the House before James was excused by the Speaker, although it was manifest that the votes were overwhelmingly against cascusing him.

When the Speaker undertook to fill the when the Speaker undertook to fill the committee on mileage, he designated E. B. Lewis, formerly member from the Third Georgia district, for a place on that committee. Bartiett called attention to the fact that Lewis was not a member of the present House. The chair acknowledged the mistake and immediately designated Bartiett for the vacancy. "I decline to serve," promptly respondine to serve," promptly respond ed Bartlett.

"Then the chair appoints the gentle an from Kentucky, Mr. James," said

man from Kentucky, Mr. James," said Speaker Cannon.
"And," said James, "the gentleman from Kentucky declines to serve." Falling back upon the rules, the Speaker put the question to the House. The Democratis generally voted to excuse James, but the opposition from the Republican side was overwhelming. The vote was viva voce, and while it was unquestionably against excusing James. now located.

Senator Jones this morning had a talk with the Secretary of War about the proposed removal, but found the Department not ready to act. He was given to understand that if the headquarters are moved, it will be to Seattle, rather than to Portland.

The full committee on mileage as announced finally is: ounced finally is

Kennedy, Iowa; Lundin, Illinots; Gar-ner, Pennsylvania; Collier, Mississippl; and Denver, Ohio.

MONTENEGROISEMBROILED

AUSTRIAN MANEUVERS EN-RAGE POPULACE.

Warships Practice Landing Men Off Spinza and Natives Look Upon Move as War Threat.

CETTINJE, Montenegro, March 17.— Landing maneuvers being carried out by Austrian warships anchored off Spinza, Hersegovina, are exasperating the in Herzegovina, are exasperating the Montenegrians in that vicinity, and the authorities have had to take rigorous ns to prevent reprisals on the

GERMANY BACKS UP AUSTRIA

Dual Nation May Invade Servia to Enforce Demands.

PARIS, March 17 .- According to latest information, Austro-Hungary, with the support of Germany, has fully re-solved to send an expedition into Ser-via unless that country changes its present attitude.

PLAN TAXICABS FOR CITY

possibly the service may be in operation at a somewhat earlier date. "Taxis" have been such a general success everywhere that it is expected they will be

popular in this city.

The models that it is contemplated put-HARRIMAN WILL EASE UP

(Continued from First Page.)

velopment instead of waste, and this is possible only when competition is eliminated."

Since he has arrived at Pasadena, Mr.

Warner Against Contract Labor.

LANSING, Mich., March 17 .- Governor Warner sent a special message today to the Legislature recommending the abolishment of the contract labor system in penal institutions.

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Central Committee Reverses Its Former Decision on Indorsing Candidates.

DEFINITE PLAN IS ADOPTED

Meeting Is Called for April 7, When Organization and 400 Party Members Will Select Ticket and Adopt Platform.

Reversing its position in a week, the Republican city central committee, at a meeting last night, voted to hold an assembly Wednesday, April 7, when one candidate for each of the municipal offices to be elected next June will be recommended. The assembly is to consist of the members of the city central committee and 400 representative Republicans who are to be selected by the executive committee of the Republican city organ-ization, the members of which are to be announced by A. B. Manley, temporary ization, the members of which are to be announced by A. B. Manley, temporary chairman of the city central committee, Last night's meeting was attended by less than 40 of the 90 members of the city central committee.

The report of the committee on tem-porary organization, recommending the assembly, was adopted after some opposi-tion. It was submitted by a committee consisting of one member from each of the ten wards in the city. It was as fol-lows;

Report That Was Adopted.

We recommend that the members of the Republican city central committee meet to effect a permanent organization of the committee on Monday evening. May 10 next. That a permanent organization of the committee on Monday evening. May 10 next. That a permanent of the committee of the member from each ward, be selected at that meeting.

That a tempta by the effection of a temporary chairman by the effection of a temporary chairman of the effection of a temporary chairman of an executive committee, to consist of one member from each ward. The chairman and secretary of said central committee to be ex-officio members and such officers of said executive members and such officers of said committee, be held on Wednesday. April 7 next. That this assembly shall adopt a party platform and resolutions, and chail recommend to the favorable consideration of the Republican for each elective office, to be voped for at the primary nominaries election, to be held on May 8 next, and to take such further action in the interest of good government and Republicanis members and spiding election, to be held on May 8 next, and to take such further action in the interest of good government and Republicanis mem as may be deemed advisable.

After this report had been adopted, including a pidfn for selecting the 400 Republicans, C. E. Lockwood submitted a resolution authorizing the appointment by Temporary Chairman Manley of an executive committee consisting of one member from each ward, and directing this

Temporary Chairman Manley of an executive committee consisting of one member from each ward, and directing this committee to apportion among the several wards the #0 Republicans that are to be named for the Assembly.

This committee in the resolution, which was adopted by a divided vote, is instructed further to recommend to another meeting of the city central committee. Wednesday night, March 31, the names of the 400 Republicans who shall, with the members of the city central committee, constitute the membership of the proposed assembly. Precinct committeemen are given the privilege of suggesting to the executive committee the names of prominent Republicans residing in their respective precincts.

Meeting Called to Order.

The meeting was called to order by Major J. P. Kennedy, chairman of the Republican county central committee, who declined to receive the report of the proceedings of the committee. meeting a week before. J. P. Kertchem, seconded by J. F. Singer, appealed from the decision of the chair. In the meantime, however, Mr. Kennedy surrendered the chair, by calling J. Frank committee

endered the chair by caring 3. Frank innott, vice-chairmau, to preside, Chairman Kennedy Insisted that it was not within the province of the committee o consider the questions proposed to be abmitted. The duties of the county censubmitted. The duties of the county central committee, he asserted, were prescribed by law and did not include a consideration of the subjects sought to be presented by Secretary Kertchem. After some further discussion Mr. Kertchem asked permission to withdraw his motion appealing from the decision of the chair, but his second would not consent to it and, being stated, Chairman Kennedy's position was sustained. The county committee then adjourned, only to be reconvened immediately as the city central committee.

Mr. Kennedy declined to serve as chair-Mr. Kennedy declined to serve as chairman of the city committee, explaining that in his opinion the organization had been illegally formed. C. B. Merrick nominated Socretary Kertchem for chairman, but the latter declined and named A. B. Manley, who was elected temporary chairman. Mr. Kertchem promptly tendered his resignation as secretary and McKinley Mitchell was elected to fill the vacancy.

Legality of Membership Questioned. A question as to the legality of the membership of the city central committee having been raised, Chairman Manley held that those members of the county central committee residing within the city ilmits constituted the city central committee. Frank Middleton, seconded by J. F. Singer, proposed a motion to the effect that no action taken by the meeting should be considered the action of the city central committee. This was ruled out of order by Chairman Manley, whose position was sustained when an

New Vehicles Promised for Service

Here by June 1.

Portland is to have a taxicab service early this Summer that is expected to compare favorably with the service in Eastern cities. The Portland Renault Taxicab Company pians to have 15 taxicabs on the streets by June 1, although possibly the service may be in operation at a somewhat earlier date. "Taxis" have been such a general success every have been such a general success every that the service is a somewhat carlier date. "Taxis" have been such a general success every the service of the companies of the city central committee, but was called to order by Chairman Manley, whice position was sustained when an appeal was taken.

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jected to by any sincere Republican.

The temporary organization of the committee was completed with the election of M. G. Griffin as vice-chairmanand H. B. Dickinson as treasurer. Another meeting of the city central committee will be held in the Selling-Hirsch Hall Wednesday night, March II, when the personnel of the 400 Republicans that will constitute the membership of the assembly a wask later will be the assembly a week later will be announced by the executive committee. Chairman Manley announced last night that he would appoint the members of

the executive con

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Congressmen of Pacific to Oppose Lumber Tariff.

UNITE FOR \$2 SCHEDULE

Northwesterners and Those From Other Lumbering Sections Will Wage Bitter War on New Rate on Rough Woods.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash-OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 17.—Congressmen from the Pacific Northwest will unite in a fight for the restoration of the duty on rough lumber to \$2 per thousand. After the tariff bill was introduced today all members from Oregon, Washington and Idaho were interviewed, and all announced their purpose to onvose the lumber schedule. were interviewed, and all aumounced their purpose to oppose the lumber schedule as fixed by the ways and means committee, and to join with the large number of members from other lumber-producing states in an effort to get the old duty, or at least a much higher duty than now favored by the committee. There is every indication that the lumber schedule will lead to a most bitter fight when the bill is in the House, with the result much in doubt.

The fact that Forester Pinchot now advocates the \$2 duty on lumber will influence some Eastern men who defer to

LEAD MINERS OBJECT TO CUT

Loss in Tariff Reduction.

DENVER, March 17.—Following in-formation that the new tariff bill pro-vides for a reduction in the rate on lead contents of ores from 1½ to 1 cent per pound, comes the amouncement of the determination of Western mining men to fight this reduction, which they declare will have the effect of closing nearly all the low-grade producing mines in the United States. DENVER, March 17.-Following in-

the low-grade producing mines in the United States.

To this end Secretary J. F. Calibreath, of the American Mining Congress, today issued a call for a meeting of operators to be held in Salt Lake City next Monday, March 22. It is expected that Idaho, Utah and Colorado will be largely represented.

Sented.

Mr. Calibreath favors a vigorous campaign against this feature of the new tariff bill, and will seek to have head-quarters established at Washington and a good delegation of interested people there to urge Congress to defeat the proposed reduction on lead ores. He will leave Denver the latter part of this week for an extended trip through the West.

"The people of Colorado alone will lose \$400,000 annually." says Secretary Callbreath, "if the duty is reduced to I cent a pound. Not only that, but thousands tenand of men will be thrown out of employment and milling and reduction work to
the value of many millions of dollars will

DEPEW GIVES CARNEGIE DIG

Says He Should Give Other Fellows Like Opportunity.

NEW YORK, March 17 .- Disapproval of Andrew Carnegie's liberal tariff views was expressed by Senator Chauncey M. Depew tonight in an address at a dinner Depew tonight in an address at a dinner given at the Lotus Club in Mr. Carnegie's

"A veteran standpatter like myself," declared Mr. Depew, "thinks that those who, supplementing the tariff with extraordinary business ability, have accumulated large fortunes, should now to the other fellows who may have like ability a like tariff opportunity."

ALCOHOL NO LONGER DRUG

Scientists Decide It Is Not Even Good as Medicine.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Alcohol virtually has no therapeutic uses, judging from the discussion at the semi-annual meeting here today of the American Society for the Study of Alcohol and Other Draws One medical scientist contended that al-cohol gradually was being eliminated as

KING APPLAUDS WRIGHTS British Ruler Sees Two Flights by American Aeropianist.

PAU, France, March 17.—King Edward witnessed two flights by Wilbur Wright today and showed enthusiasm over the remarkable accomplishments of the

American aeroplanist. Wilbur and Orville Wright, and their sister, Miss Wright, were presented to the King.

Wilbur Wright then conducted the King to the aeroplane shed, where the latter minutely examined the mechanism of the machine, which was decorated with American, British and French flags. The King watched the preparation for the ascension with the greatest interest, taking a possition with a group for a pho-Wilour wright then conducted the king to the aeroplane shed, where the latter minutely examined the mechanism of the machine, which was decorated with American, British and French flags. The King watched the preparation for the ascension with the greatest interest, taking a position with a group for a photograph.

taking a position with a group for a photograph.

Mr. Wright made the first ascension alone. He remained in the air several minutes, performing several evolutions with the utmost precision around the king and his party, and coming to the ground without difficulty.

On the second flight Miss Wright was a passenger. They soared at a great height and then skimmed along the ground and disappeared in the direction of Pau. They reappeared in six minutes, descending amid applause from the King and other visitors.

King Edward warmly congratulated Mr.

MEN WHO HELD UP RIO GRANDE CARS ARE TRAPPED.

Three Men in Jail and Man and Woman to Be Arrested-Fooled Out of \$200,000.

FORT COLLINS, Colo., March 17 .- John Potts, who lives in a cabin, 25 miles from Fort Collins, and E. J. St. Clair, a cow-boy employed by Lady Moon on her ranch near Fort Collins, were arrested tonight, charged with having heid up the Denver & Rio Grande eastbound train at Military Junction, just outside of Den-ver, on February 27.

The Fort Collins police force has been

working on the case for some time and has had the two men under surveillance for more than two weeks. Postoffice In-spector McKee, of Denver: the United States Marshal and Detectives Leyden States Marshal and Detectives Leyden and Ustick were sent for, as the local officers expected desperate resistance. The men were arrested on the street and made no resistance.

The officers made another arrest at lavermore, Colo, late tonight, but have not yet brought their prisoners to Fort Collins. Another man and a woman are under suspicion as accomplices and will be arrested to East.

be arrested in Fort Collins before morn The robbers made a thorough search of the mail and express in the hope of securing \$200,000 in gold buillon being transferred from the San Francisco mint to the Denver mint. The buillon was sent over another route and the robbers secured but a nominal amount.

cured but a nominal amoun Bogota Quiet Once More. WASHINGTON, March 17.—Reassuring advices reached the State Department today from Bogota, the capital of



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