VICTORY IS THEIRS

Nicaraguans Inflict Defeat on Allied Enemies.

PUSHING ON TO CAPITAL

Hondurians and Salvadorians Utterly Routed in Two Battles.

> Camp in Hands of Enemy. Intervention Is Near,

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, March 23 .-The Hondurian and Salvadorian forces have been defeated by the Nicaraguans near Choluteca. The Nicaraguans cap-tured the positions of the enemy with the ald of artillery. Furthers details of this engagement are lacking. Six Nicaraguan steamers are operat-

ccessfully on the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts.

GREAT DEFEAT FOR BONILLA

After Ten Hours' Fight, Army Flees, Abandoning Camp.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, March 23.-Advices received from the front today, say the army of President Bonilla of Honduras has been attacked and defeated near Nariata by the Hondurian revolutionists and Nicaraguan army after 10 hours hard fighting.

Bonilla's troops, it is said, left be-hind them camp equipment, artillery, rifles and ammunition. Among the prisoners captured are several leading officers of the Hondurian forces. Many were killed and wounded on both sides. The Honduran Revolutionists captured 300 prisoners, three pieces of artillery, also a full supply of ammunition therefor

One estimate of the casualties places the killed at 200 and the wounded at 150. Two hundred Government soldiers joined the Revolutionists during the fight. The disaster for President Bonilla is now complete and it is believed that Tegucigalpa undoubtedly will be captured. The towns of Canayagua, La Esperanza. San Padro and Sula have announced themseives in favor of the revolution.

TRYING TO RESTORE PEACE

Root Proclaims the Fact at Dinner. Close Alliance With Mexico.

WASHINGTON. March ZL-'I propose a toast to the peace which Mexico and the United States are endeavoring to establish in Control America and everlasting peace between Mexico and the United

States."

This statement by Secretary Root at the dinner given tonight by the Mexican Ambassador and Mrs. Crel in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Root, set at rest all doubt as to joint movement for pacification which the two neighboring republics have initiated and showed how close the relations between Mexico and the United States have become.

Mr. Root's toast followed toasts pro-posed by Mr. Creel to the Presidents of the United States and Mexico and to the American Secretary of State. The senti-ment suggested by Mr. Root was received great enthusiasm and the dinner became an affair of international

WILL AGAIN OFFER MEDIATION

United States and Mexico Think Opportune Moment Is Near.

WASHINGTON, March 23, - Mexico and the United States will again offer their good offices in settlement of the Central American troubles when an opportune moment arrives, which, it is believed, cannot be far distant. If the offer of the two great republics to hasten arbitration is unaccepted, it is generally believed here that joint intervention is inevitable.

REACH TEGUCIGALPA TODAY

Nicaraguan Army Approaches Capital of Honduras.

WASHINGTON, March 23 .- Mr. Cores the Nicaraguan Minister, received a dispatch today from Mr. Ganez, the Nicaraguan Minister of Foreign Affairs, confirming the press reports of a great victory for the Nicaraguan army near Maraita. In addition, he says the Nicaraguan army probably will take Tegucigalpa tomorrow.

LOUIS GLASS INDICTED

(Centinued From First Page.) Schmitz was insistent that that should be

done. The meeting broke up without any decision being arrived at.

The object of the boodlers was so nalpable that the objection to the scheme increased until they reached the conclusion that it was useless to continue the argument further. They gave up the attempt and turned their attenquent revelations have shown."

SCHMITZ DENIES OVERTURES

Says Has Nothing to Confess, Therefore No Confession.

SAN FRANCISCO, March E.-Mayor Schmitz made his first statement for Schmitz made his first statement for publication when he said to the Associated Press this morning that a story to the effect that he had offered to confess was absolutely false.
"I have nothing to confess," said the Mayor, "and there will be no confession from me for that reason."
It was the first statement or denial that the Mayor had made since the confession of the supervisors and the wholesale return of indictments against Ruef, The publication of a story this morning that

be broke the reserve and stience of the executive and aroused unfelgned in-

"It is false, absolutely false," reiterated the Mayor, "I have nothing to confess. There is nothing that I could confess, therefore it is impossible that I could have sent any one to Heney or Burns or that I have had any such intention. I re-peat, there will be no confession from me, because there is nothing to confess."

BROTHER'S TALK IS EVASIVE

Denies Detweller Is Guilty, but Contradictory as to Whereabouts.

TOLEDO, O., March M. Abram K. Detweller, who was indicted in connection The Pyramid Drug Company, with the bribery cases in San Francisco, mid building, Marshall, Mich.

is a well-known capitalist of this city. He is the largest stockholder of the I. H. Detweller Company, started by his father, who is now dead. The company is a sort of investment and real estate concern and loan company. Detweller, it is said, got his start out of foreclosures on property. In a statement tonight, George Detweller, his brother, said:

"There is nothing to this talk at all, All the dealings we have had in the telephone fropositions in the West are open

and the dealings we have take the op-phone propositions in the West are open and above board. Some weeks ago, when my brother went away, there was a story affoat to the effect that he was adolging officers, but that was wholly untrue. Yes he was in the city last night and he has gone West; he left last night." "Is your brother at present in Egypt?" was asked of him.

Well, that is a long way off," was the You say he is on his way West and rumor is that he is in Egypt. Which

'He is on his way to the Coast to face "He is on his way to the Coast to face whatever there is to face," answered George Detweller firmly. Continuing, he said: "I don't care to say anything further or discuss the case. There is nothing wrong and A. K. will take care of himself."

SUMMON LOS ANGELES MEN

Heney Will Dig to Bottom of Home Telephone Graft.

LOS ANGELES, Cal. March 23.—The Times today says: Special Deputy Sheriff Fox, of Detective Burns' staff, and con-nected with the office of Assistant Dis-trict Attorney Francis J. Heney of San Francisco, arrived in Los Angeles yester-day morning arrived in the Angeles yesterlay morning, armed with nur day morning, armed with numerous summons for prominent Los Angeles men, who are desired by the San Francisco grand jury in connection with the Ruef investigation. Although the papers do not state, it is known that the men are expected to tell what they know about the bribing of San Francisco supervisors in connection, with the granting of the in connection with the granting of the Home Telephone franchise in that city. Mr. Fox applied to Sheriff Hammel for assistance and a Deputy Sheriff was assigned to help him find the men wanted. The work was not completed until late last night. last night Those upon whom summonses were

served were: W. C. Patterson, J. M. Mo-Cable, A. B. Cass, president of the Home Petephone Company: James P. Adams, president of the Adams-Phillips Com-pany, and A. M. Dole, of Pomona. There are also several Pasadena citizens whose presence in San Francisco is desired, but their names have not been made public. with in San Francisco.

Ruef Will Withdraw Appeal.

WASHINGTON, March 23,-It is stated that counsel for Abe Ruef, of San Fran-cisco, will take steps in the Supreme Court of the United States on Monday

HATED AUTOGRAT IS DEAD

POBIEDONOSTSEFF. CURATOR, PASSES AWAY.

Oppressor of Common People and Confidential Adviser of Czar Nicholas of Russia Is No More.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 23 .- M. Pobledonostseff, ex-Procurator-General of the Holy Synod, died this evening M. Pobledonostseff has been in failing health for two months from a complica tion of aliments and extreme age, but his death was due immediately to inflamma-tion of the lungs. It is understood that M. Pobledonostseff has written his own oirs which will be published shortly

ICE TRUST WILL BE TRIED

Demurrers Killed by Cincinnati Court Under State Law.

CINCINNATI, March 23.-The Judge of dicted on a charge of maintaining a con-spiracy in restraint of trade. They will be compelled to stand trial under the pro-vision of the Valentine anti-trust law. Five companies and II individuals are named in the indictments

Frederick Driscoll Dead.

CHICAGO, March 22.—Frederick Dris-coll, commissioner of the American News-paper Publishers' Association, and widely known as a newspaper man, died here today after a brief illness.

Piles Cured Quickly at Home

Without Pain, Cutting or Surgery. - Instant Relief.

We Prove It. Sample Package Free.

Seven people out of ten are said to have Piles. Not one man in a million need have them and we are proving it every day at our own expense. We send a sample package of the wonder-ful Pyramid Pile Cure to any person

We don't do this as a matter of We don't do this as a matter of amusement or philanthropy, but be-cause it is to our interest to do so. We know that the sufferer from piles, tormented and driven almost crazy by this wretched trouble, will find such immediate relief that he will go at once to his druggist and buy a box and get well.

We know that we have got the greatwe know that we have got the great-est remedy in the world for piles, and we are ready and willing to stand or fall by the yerdict of those who make the trial. We have been doing this for some years now and we never yet have had occasion to regret it.

And the remedy at the drugstore is

And the remedy at the drugstore is exactly the same as the sample we send out. As, for instance, here is a man who got such immediate relief from the sample that he at once bought a box. Was it just the same? Undoubtedly, since it cured him after all sorts and kinds of things had failed.

Here is a sample of the kind of let-

ters we get every day and we don't have to ask for them: "Received your sample of Pile Cure and have given it a fair trial and it has proven the best I ever tried and effected a complete cure. I can recommend you highly in this vicinity. Have used your sample and one box and it

used your sample and one box and it has been a complete cure. It has been worth 100 to me.

"Thanking you for the sample and the cure, I will recommend you to everybody. Yours respectfully, Julius Mayer, dealer in feathers, ginseng and hides. Bedford, Ind."

Pyramid Pile Cure is for sale at every druggist's at 50 cents a box or, if you would like to try a sumple first.

if you would like to try a sample first you will receive one by return mail by sending your name and address to. The Pyramid Drug Company, 59 Pyra-

STORM RAGING ON Life Insurance Men

No Let-Up Apparent in Northern California.

HEAVY SNOW IN SISKIYOUS

Reports of Serious Damage Are Com ing in From Many Places-Railroads Are Paralyzed and There Is Great Loss of Livestock.

REDDING, Cal., March 21.—The beavi-est storms of the season raged here all last night and until early this morning. For a few hours it abated and then broke again. A terrific wind is now blow-ing and the rain is falling in sheets. Reports state that snow is falling all through the Siskiyous and Sacramento canyons, the precipitation being heavier than at any time during the past season. All the snowplows in this section have been put into commission and have made but little headway.

A third snowplar

out little headway. *
A third snowslide occurred at Cantara. A third showelide occurred at Cantara, and the wrecker from Dunsmuir hastened to the scene. Tunnel No. 3 is said to be caving in and Dunsmuir has an unverified report that in the Siekiyous many cave-ins have occurred. Conditions could not be worse along the upper route than they now are and the indications are that another storm will break tonight.

Damages the Prune Crop.

SAN JOSE, March 23.—Colonel Philo Hersey, president of the Santa Chara Company Fruit Exchange, is authority for the statement today that this present storm on top of the preceding one has destroyed half the prune crop of the Valley by washing the pollen from the bioseoms. The Guadahupe has broken out of its banks south of town and the wild deep stream is flowing through the suburbs, stopping streetcars and threatenburbs, stopping streetcars and threate ing to wash away many residences. A large warehouse in Milpitas, belonging to William Osterman & Company, one of the largest in the state, blew down early this morning.

The Worst Is Over.

OROVILLE, Cal., March 22-A heavy Storm has been raging with high wind since last night, and the river has ris-en about a foot. The flood situation here is completely in hand. The Western Paeffic roadbed at the lowest point is 20 feet above the high water mark. Snow has been falling but further flood is not feared.

Snow in the Coast Range.

M'MINNVILLE, Or., March. 23.—(Special.)—McMinnville has been in the grasp of the equinoxial storm for the last two days. A heavy wind came up Thursday night and a heavy rain fell Friday and Friday night. A cold south wind was blowing and considerable snow fell in the foothills west of McMinnville. There is no cessation in the storm as yet.

TIGERS WIN AT VICTORIA

Portland Basketball Team Victors by Score of 43 to 23.

of the West._

The NORTHWESTERN NATIONAL Invites your attention to its new agency proposi-tion as embodying the most desirable business opportunity afforded in the life Insurance field.

The reorganization of its agency forces and the entry of additional Western States offers especially advantageous positions for reliable men who desire to establish permanent business connections.

Record for 1906. Total Imcome\$1,510,897.08 Excess of income over Dis-bursements 766,060,58 Paid Policyholders and Ben-514.758.81 Increase in Surplus....

January 1, 1907. Insurance in force... ...\$22,963,978,00

Total paid Policyholders and Beneficiaries..... 5 882 679 89 Admitted assets... 101,718.04 Surplus ...

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"It is the purpose of the management to place the Company in the very front rank of sound American life companies.
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Prest, Nat. Bank of Commerce
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President and General Manager

Executive Committee. For further information address Northwestern National Life Insurance Co.,

Tigers in today's basketball match with the Fifth R. C. A., at the Victoria Ar-mory, the final score being 43 to 23. Portland took the lead from the outset, and in the first half had 21 to 17. In the second half the superiority of Port-land was even more signally shown. the visitors scoring at will.

The attendance and general interest and the work of the visiting team sat-isfied all expectations. The Tigers leave for home in the morning.

Lumber Ship Drags Anchor.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 23.—A spe-lal to the Post-Intelligencer from Port lownsend says: The British ship Dudhop, Captain

Dernier, lumber-laden from Port Gam-ble for Callao, dragged her auchors in the high wind of today and is imbed-ded in a rift of shelving beach mud. No damage is apparent, and it is believed that she can be floated tomorrow without great difficulty

Land Office Receiver Dead.

CEYENNE. Wyo., March 31.—Edward A. Slack, receiver of the land office, a well-known newspaper man and a ploneer of Wyoming, died in this city today, aged

Will Be Equipped to Lay Mines.

VICTORIA. B. C., March 23.—(Special.)—It was nothing but the Portland as a mine-laying vessel.

Every man who has 300 can wear the best hat

Dining-Room Specials

Extension Tables

\$26.00 6-foot Extension Table; 42-inch square top; pedestal base; claw feet, and quarter-sawed oak top Price\$20.00

\$38.50 6-foot Extension Table; 44-inch round top; quarter-sawed oak pedestal and top; finished weathered or golden\$28.50

\$49.00 8-foot Round Exten-

sion Table; 48-inch top; all quarter-sawed oak; heavy claw feet; finished weathered or golden\$37.50 \$17.50 6-foot Round Extension Table; 44-inch top; 6inch legs; golden finish. Price\$13.50 \$52.00 8-foot Round Extension Tables; heavy carved pedestal and feet; 48-inch

golden\$40.00 \$78.50 8-foot Pedestal Table: 60-inch round top; heavy claw feet; all quartered oak finished, weathered or golden\$59.00

top; full quarter-sawed oak,

and finished weathered or

Buffets

\$46.50 Oak Buffet; top 44 inches long, 19 inches wide; full swell glass front; 10x40 French bevel mirror; golden or weathered finish\$37.50

fet; strictly Mission in design; 14x40 French bevel mirror; top 24x48 inches. \$37.50 Buffet; top 22x46 inches; 18x40 French bevel shaped mirror; lead glass front; weathered or golden

\$67.50 Weathered Oak Buf-

finish\$26.50 \$36.50 Golden Oak Buffet: 12x38 French bevel mirror; full leaded glass front. Price\$27.00 \$42.00 Buffet, in quarter-

bevel mirror \$30.50 \$82.50 Combination Buffet and China Cabinet, in quarter-sawed golden oak; three mirrors on top, and full mirror back\$66.50

sawed golden oak; full

French leg; four drawers,

and one door, 18x40; French

China Cabinets

\$24.00 China Cabinet, in golden or weathered oak: bent glass ends ... \$19.00

\$40.00 China Cabinet; one mirror in back; bent glass ends, and front finished in weathered or golden oak. Price\$31.50

\$46.50 weathered oak China Cabinet; one mirror in back and one glass shelf; bent glass front and ends; full claw foot\$35.75

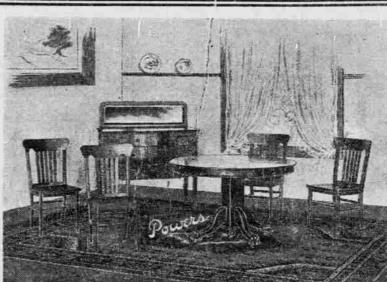
\$26.00 Mission China Cabinet; lattice door and ends; weathered finish .: \$19.50

\$69.50 weathered oak Combination China Cabinet and Buffet; canopy and mirror top; leaded glass front and bent glass ends .. \$53.00

\$42.50 quarter-sawed golden oak China Cabinet; two mirrors in back and one glass shelf; bent glass front and ends\$33.00

Great Dining-Room

TERMS-\$8.00 DOWN



Powers'

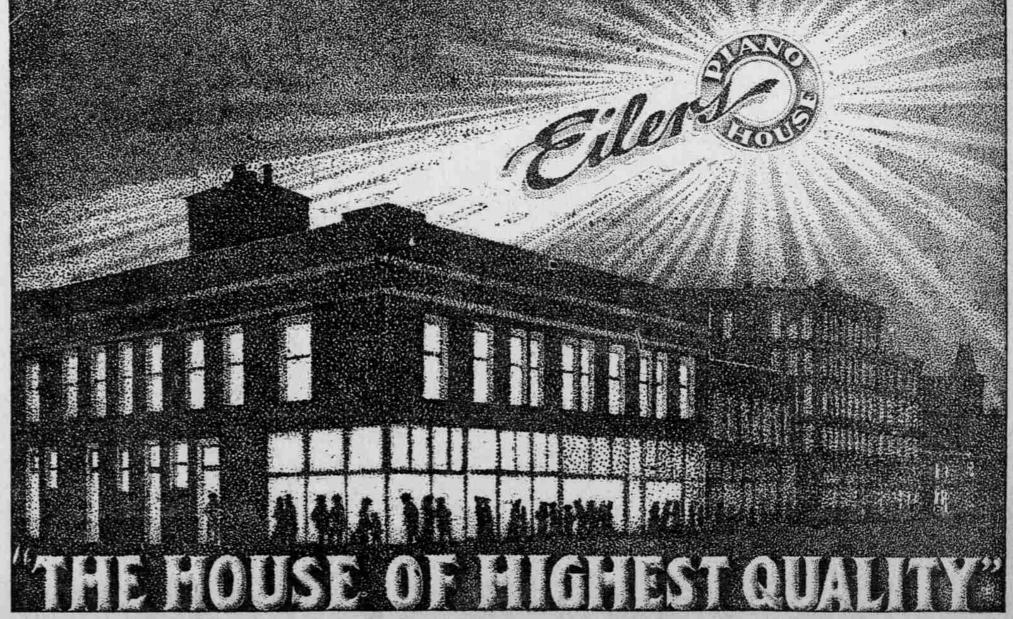
Great Dining-Room

TERMS-

\$8.00 DOWN

\$2.50 A WEEK This is an exact picture of the outfit, and it consists of the following pieces: 1 oak Buffet, \$28.50; 1 6-foot claw-foot pedestal extension Table; 4 dining chairs, \$2.75 each; and 1 9x12 Tapestry Brussels Rug, \$20.00. Golden or weathered finish.





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