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### HILLSBORO, OREGON, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1897. KILLED WITH AN AX.

## Further Hostile Actions by Greece to Epitome of the Telegraphic statement of the Cretan question has

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News of the World.

EVENTS OF THE DAY

#### the Two Hemispheres Presented In a Condensed Form.

Dr. Langley Hall, 83 years of age, a pioneer of Oregon, died at Oakland. The office of the Pittsburg Post was almost totally destroyed by fire. The loss is \$60,000, well insured.

Harry Banquist was knocked overhoard by the boom of his fishing-boat and drowned in the Columbia near Astoria.

J. Danach, a traveling man, was held up and robbed of \$70 by three masked men while driving through a grove near Roseburg.

Capt. Chas. Swanson, of the pilot schooner Jessie, was drowned in As-toria harbor while attempting to board his vessel from a small rowboat.

Cuban sympathizers held an open-air meeting in Tacoma and denounced Premier Canovas. The Spanish flag was trailed in the mud and then burned. A resolution was adopted praying that Weyler might be subjected to the same torture by his victims.

The arrangements for the inauguraion of President McKinley are rapidly earing completion, and the indications are that in point of brilliancy and atiractiveness the ceremonies, the decora-tions and the festivities incident to inauguration week will be more lavish than those of former years.

A prominient church member of Pen- bill. dleton, Or., has headed a subscription list with \$5 for the relief of Jim Hemsthe lives of his two companions by panions in the shaft below.

Charles Frohman and his manager, C. B. Dillingham, of the Garden theater, gave a special performance of "Heartscase" (by courtesy of Henry Miller and his company), to the clergy-men of New York. The theater was closed to all except the clergy, and no seats were sold. The box office men and ushers were dressed in long black coats and black ties, and the playhouse and its strange audience had every appearance of a church. There were 1,063 ministers and their friends present, including a number of ministers from New Jersey. The only denomination that sent regrets was the Metho- to without comment. dists.

The Prince of Wales has bestowed

Berlin, Feb. 17. - A semi-official been published here as follows: "In reply to the representations of the ministers of all the great powers at Athens to the Greek government yester-

TERSE TICKS FROM THE WIRES day, pointing out the danger to European peace from the attitude taken by Greece contrary to international law, An Interesting Collection of Items From M. Skouses, minister of foreign affairs, declared Greece would occupy Crete.

POWERS ORY HALTI

He Prevented.

"In view of this fact the imperial government no longer considers it consonant with its dignity to take further diplomatic steps at Athens. After an exchange of views with the cabinets of other great powers the comminander of

the German warship Kaiserin Augusta, which will arrive at Canea within the next few days, has received instruct tions in conjunction with the commanders of the naval forces of other great powers assembled in Cretan waters to prevent any hostile act upon the part of Greece, and also to cooperate with them in every possible way with a view to restoring order and

averting bloodshed."

CLOSING RUSH BEGUN.

House of Cangress to Begin Night Sessions.

Washington, Feb. 17 .- The general rush of business which marks the clesing days of congress was forcibly brought home to the members of the house today by the adoption of a special

order for night sessions tonight and tomorrow, for consideration of private pension bills. By the terms of the order these sessions will terminate at 11:30 P. M.

On motion of Hitt, the house condiplomatic and consular appropriation

This was suspension day and the speaker recognized Reeves, Republican, worth, the Rossland miner who saved of Illinois, to move the passage under suspension of the rules a substitute for thrusting his arm into the cogs of a the senate bill appropriating \$250,000

Clayton-Balwer Treaty Discussed.

Washington, Feb. 17 .- A bill was passed providing penalties for starting fires which may be communicated to inflammable growth on public lands. Davis of Minnesota presented a resolution requesting the submission of all correspondence with the German empire relative to American insurance

Morgan's resolution for the abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty then came up and precipitated a parliamenttions, start from a spark, and are quenched with a deluge. One reason senate went into executive session. in favor of insurrection to idle, stary-As the doors were closed Morgan ing and debt-burdened people is more potent in exciting war than a thousand took the floor on the Clayton-Bulwer be engineering a plan to get a lottery bill through the Nevada legislature, parently very anory and his remarks reasons against insurrection are in preparently very angry and his remarks serving peace. For that reason, Dalwere along the line the open session inzell at this time is a dangerous writer." dicated. Mr. Sovereign then devotes consid-

#### WARNED BY SOVEREIGN German Farmer Murdered by Ilis Partner. Seattle, Feb. 16 .- In the outskirts Savs Private Dalzell's Reof Bliet, a sparsely settled community

pool of blood outside the door and an

Newspaper Office Fire.

totally destroyed by fire this morning,

the building is not yet known. The only other tenant in the building was

Gleason, the railroad ticket broker,

whose loss is small. The Commercial

Gazette, next door to the Post, was in

imminent danger, but good work by

the fire department saved that plant,

the only damage being caused by water.

The Commercial Gazette's presses and engines are, for the time being,

mercial Gazette were promptly tender-

ed the use and services of machines,

presses and offices of the other news-

papers in the city. The Post will be issued from the office of the Leader

Preparations for the Inauguration.

Washington, Feb. 16 .- The arrange-

ments for the inauguration of President

McKinley two weeks from next Thurs-

day are rapidly nearing completion,

and the indications are that in point of

brilliancy and attractiveness, the cere-monies, the decorations, and the festiv-

ities incident to inauguration week will

be more lavish than those of former

years. In the decorations of the ball-

room, finer results are expected than

ever before. All spectacular effects will

be avoided, and a more artistic and

harmonious arrangement of flowers,

lights and bunting will be secured. About \$13,000 will be spent by the

inaugural committee in decorating the

main ballroom and the private rooms

until a new plant can be established.

Pittsburg, Feb. 16 .- The office of

marks Will Lead to War. SECRET REVOLUTIONARY BANDS The cabin was entirely destroyed, and Are Being Organized in Every Part the dead man's fate is told by a large

of the Country to Resort to Revolution. Chicago, Feb. 16 .- A Times special hair on it. The sheriff and coroner

investigated the case this afternoon, from Denver says: with the result that Andrew S. Kraus, J. R. Sovereign, grand master workman of the Knights of Labor, has writ- Folzke's partner, is locked up in the ten a sensational letter to the Indus-trial Advocate, with Private Dalzell's arson. No one saw the crime commitexhortation for war with a foreign na- ted, but circumstantial evidence is tion as his text. He declares that se- strong against Kraus. The two men cret revolutionary societies, known as had lived together for eight years, and the Industrial Army are being organized in every when drunk they frequently quarreled. part of the country, with their mem-Kraus denies all knowledge of the trial Army are being organized in every bers leagued together to resort to war crime, claiming he slept in a cabin some distance from the scene of the the populace" which they cannot se-cure by the ballot. He deprecates Private Dalzell's talk as being in a as a means of obtaining "remedies for

line which might tend dangerously to

fan this sentiment into open flame. He asserts that should a revolution come, he will not be among the cowards nor on the side of the plutocratic classes. His letter is dated at Sulphur Springs, Ark., February 5, and is in part as follows:

"Private Dalzell, in a recent article in the Washington Post, writes a long tale of woe. He mentions our 2,000,-000 enforced idlers, our many tramps, the overcrowding of our penal institu-tions, the increase of landlords and curred in the senate amendments to the tenants, the hopeless increase of debt, and a long list of other lamentable con-

disabled. The paper's edition tomor-row morning will be printed at the Press office. Both the Post and Comditions. Concluding, he says: 'Civilization, as Napoleon said of armies, travels on its stomach, and it is very hungry, for the most." But where can it be filled? Hence all this unrest, all this wild war talk and discussion of rapidly turning windlass and in that for closing the crevasses in the Mis- silver and gold and tariff by people Trom falling on the heads of his com-substitute appropriated the same sum

to be deducted from the sum due under the Eads contract in case the courts should decide he was liable for repairs and not otherwise; either insurrectionunder his contract with the government. The bill was passed. which heaven hasten, if it shall quiet these people and give them rest, if only the honored rest of the patriotic grave, fighting for humanity."

Replying directly to sentences quoted, Mr. Sovereign says that what the people of the United States need is an agitation at home that will force them to test against their own social and economic disorders, but that it should come through insurrection, with all its companies. The resolution was agreed revolting horrors, is a proposition re-pulsive to all the higher impulses of humanity. Continuing, he says:

"Insurrections, like great conflagra

HEROISM MINER'S Sacrificed Himself to Save sixteen miles from Seattle, Edward

Bolzke, a German farmer, was killed with an ar Friday evening, about 7 o'clock, and the perpetrator of the crime attempted to cover up his work by dragging his victim's body into the house, to which he applied the torch.

self Upon a Whitring Windlass. ax which shows blood stains and black

general, "and when we want to fight Spokane, Feb. 15 .- A rare act of them, we have got to go to them. We have full control of all the open counheroism, such as deserves to be recorded in history and song, was performed at Rossland, B. C., today, which saved the try." Jim Hemsworth to be one of nature's

and in every one the Cubans have been Jem Smith and Frank Conson were working at the bottom of a narrow victorious. shelf of the Young America mine, at a depth of nearly 150 feet, engaged in General Macco, they are full of patriotloading ore into an iron-bound bucket, ism, and the fight is being conducted on the plans outlined by Maceo. One while Jim Hemsworth's duty consisted expedition had landed there not long in hauling the bucket to the surface by ago with needed supplies, and the genmeans of a windlass. The heavy bucket filled with ore, had almost reached the eral was in good spirits over the outtop of the shelf when the iron crank of the windlass snapped in two like a bit Rivera spoke of the good work acthe windlass snapped in two like a bit of pine, burling Hemsworth to the

manded by young Lunn, of Jackson-Springing to his feet half dazed by the blow, Hemsworth saw the windlass ville, and said that he wanted another. In one of the last expeditions, an amwhirring around at a frightful rate of speed as the loaded bucket shot down the shaft upon the men below. He had not a second to lose. There was just one chance to save them, and he took most by the gun, and other places had that chance. Jumping forward, he threw his body upon the cogs of the whirring windlass, thrusting his arms and shoudler between the swiftly revolving wheels. Their iron jaws crunched and tore the flesh, crushed nerves, bone and sinews, tore ghastly

wounds from finger-tip to shoulder, but the windlass stood still. With an awful jerk the bucket stopped just above the heads of the two men far down the shaft.

las under Major Consartez. The pa-cificos were encamped near a lake ten miles south of Matanzas. They were Pale as death, with the blood flowing in streams and suffering intense agony, Hemsworth never uttered a cry nor afraid to come into the city because small pox and other diseases were so even a sound, as the jaws of the wheels pinioned him fast as in a vice. Superintendent Shields, who witnessed the camp, his soldiers burst in upon them accident from a short distance away, rushed to Hemsworth's aid and blocked with wild yells, shooting as they adthe machinery.

As Hemsworth staggered back and was about to fall, Shields caught him knowing what to do, the others rushed in his arms, at the same time exclaim-"My God, Jim! This is awful!" ing: "My God, Jim! This is awful!" "Oh, what's the difference?" replied the plucky fellow, "so long as I saved the boys?"

His wounds were dressed and the injured man made as comfortable as could be under the circumstances. The attending physicians are at this time attending physicians are at this time attacked at the lake, and that they "I am pleased to meet you, Mr. Cor-unable to state how serious Hems- killed ten insurgents in the fight that bett," said his excellency, making a

THE BIG FIGHT LOCATED THE DYNAMITE GUN. It Has Eambled Bivers to Hold Pins

ARGUS

Cincinnati, Feb. 16 .- The Commer-

"The Spanish do not come out of

His army consists of over 5,000 men,

While the men regret the death of

complished by the dynamite gun, com-

COLD-BLOODED MURDER.

tangas Province.

Cincinnati, Feb. 16.-The Commen

says: A letter from Matanzas today

tells of the cruel butchery of a camp of

pacificos by a band of Spanish guerril-

A Spanish Outrage.

To Protect the Advertiser.

their entrenched camps," wrote the

Carson City Is Chosen by Dan Stuart.

NO. 48.

THE PUGS WILL MEET MARCH 17

Corbett Meets the Governor of Nevada and Exchanges Congratulations -Sharkey and Maher.

Carson, Nev., Feb. 15 .- Dan Stuart has at last arrived and has annound that the big fight between Corbett and Fitzsimmons will occur in Carson, March 17. Although Stuart had reiterated all the way up from Texas that he had not decided where the fight was to be held, it did not take him long to make up his mind after he got here. The pugilistic impressario gives as a reason for the selection of Carson in prescrence to Reno, that the Carson people had worked hard for the passage of the prizefight bill, while Reno citi-zons were opposed to it. Stuart thinks that the facilities for the accommodation and transportation of a big crowd at Carson are fully sufficient, and says that he has made very satisfactory ar-rangements with the railroad.

If the matter can be arranged to suit him, Stuart will offer big purses for a live-bird shooting tournament, which he expects will be attended by all the noted shots of the country.

No announcement as yet has been made from any official source as to where the pavilion will be built, but it probably will be in the heart of the city, and a few minute's walk from the railroad. A local agent gives it outthe railroad. A local agent gives it out-that the first building, owing to the short time in which to erect it, will not be a permanent one, and therefore there will be many places in the heart of the city where it can be erected without in-terfering with anyone. There will be many other attractions at the same time, if present plans are carried out, and most of them will be in the pugiland most of them will be in the pugilistic line. Just what men will meet in the ring besides Corbett and Fitzsimmons, Stuart will not say, beyond that two of them will be Sharkey and Maprevalent. Major Consartez was sent her, if these men can come to any agreement, and will fight for a reasonto bring them in. Surrounding the able purse.

Corbett and the Governor.

vanced. Five fell at the first fire, two being women. Alarmed and scarcely Reno, Nev., Feb. 15 .- There was a big crowd at the depot to meet Jim Corbett when he passed through on his way to San Francisco. Governor Sadinto the shallow water of the lake, en-deavoring to hide under the leaves of the big lilypads and other large-leaved ler, of Nevada, was among those who plants. The troops selected their hu- came down from Carson to take a peek man targets and began shooting them, at the world's champion. Just as soon and only ceased when not a head was as the train stopped the governor clamvisible. Major Consartez's official re- bered aboard and was introduced to port says that his detachment had been Corpett by A. Livingston.

worth's injuries are likely to result, but unless he is hurt internally they women and children, were killed. figure and broad shoulders. "And I am pleased to meet you," re-

cial-Tribune's special from Jackson-ville, Fiz., says: Colonel Frederico Perez Carbo, late dispatch chief gen-eral to Maceo, received a letter from General Ruis Rivera from the Pinar His Two Companions. ONE OF NATURE'S NOBLEMEN del Rio section today. It spoke in the highest terms of his men, their enthusiasm in the cause, and denied in strong terms that that province was pacified. Prevented an Ore Bucket From Fall-

ing Upon Them by Throwing Him-

lives of two miners and proved plain lim Hemsworth to be one of nature's noblemen.

the Post, on Fifth avenue, was almost ground. causing a loss to the paper of about \$60,000, well insured. The loss on

ple supply of ammunition for it had come over, and it was being used very often to the damage of the Spanish. Artemisa has been laid in ruins alfelt its power. The Spanish Mode of Warfare in Ma cial-Tribune's special from Key West

up in Dr. Nansen, the Arctic explorer, the special medal of the Royal Geo- ary fight. Upon motion of Hoar the graphical Society.

San Francisco capitalists are said to having been encouraged to make the attempt by the ease with which the prizefighting bill was passed.

The house committee on Pacific railroads has decided to report favorably the bill drafted by Representative Harrison, which provides for the creation of a commission to settle the indebtedness of the Pacific roads to the government

It is said that Speaker Reed with forestall legislation, other than tariff, at the extra session of congress by appointing only two committees, those on ways and means and on mileage, and reserving the appointment of other comthe regular session. mittees until While the action is unprecedented, members say it would be legal.

George Davies, a prominent commission merchant of Cleveland, O., was shot and killed by his wife at their residence in that city. The tragedy was the result of a long series of quarrels. Mrs. Davies when taken into custody wept bitterly, and said her husband had treated her unkindly and called her bitter names.

During the voyage from Hampton squadron, which reached Charleston. three men were lost overboard from the battleship Maine, one man was crushed other was fatally injured and six others were so badly hurt that several may lose limbs. The officers say the voyage was made in the worst gale ever experienced by the fleet.

A press representative who visited the poor houses of the famine district The barroom was crowded with ousof India says the inmates were found to be in a deplorable condition. The buildings were overcrowded and medical attendance was lacking. A man No one attempted to disobey, and while outside of one of them was dead and three of the men kept them covered another was dying. A girl of 5 years with pistols the fourth went through in weight. The skin in all cases was drawn over the faces, showing the outlines of the skulls and the limbs and joints had the appearance of those of articultated skeletons. It is estimated that the present famine is the greatest of the century, and will greatly surpass that of 1876, both in area and severity. The famine belt is 1,800 miles long by 400 miles wide.

Michael Munckacay, the celebrated artist, is hopelessly insane. A Vienna correspondent says that for months, while at Codesburg, suffering from spinal paralysis, Munkacsy was brood-ing and melancholy. Suddenly, in an The son finally brained his father with excess of madness, he attacked and an ax, and then told his mother about nearly strangled the attendants and one the deed. of the doctors. Accordingly he was

sent to the insane asylum. The doctors report the paralysis is increasing with alarming rapidity, and that the pros-pects of his recovery are very re-mote at his home in this city last night.

#### Conference Bill Taken Up,

erable space to a history of two secret Washington, Feb. 17 .- The house revolutionary orders known as the Iron committee on coinage today took up Brotherhood and the Industrial Army, again the bill for an international now being formed in this country, and monetary conference. Representative for fear Mr. Dalzell may not know Hartman, the Montana member of the what these societies are doing, he committee, urged that action be taken quotes several sentences from the preas soon as possible in view of the aplude of a secret circular now being disproaching death of the 54th congress. tributed by one of the secret societies, viz.:

reached such a crisis in the destinies of

this American republic. One hundred

years of national existence has demon-

strated that the fabric policy of our

government contains within its warp

and woof the elements of its own de-

struction, with the fact that the ballot

has proven a most lamentable failure

as a safeguard of free institutions. In

the closing of the nineteenth century

we see a class despotism establishing

itself upon the ruins of the republic.

An oligarchy is now in power, and al-

ready the hideous phantom of imperi-

alism overshadows us, as embodied in

the plutocratic claims of the federal

court and acts of unbridled military

despotism, characteristic of the federal

Continuing Mr. Sovereign says:

Scarcely a day passes that I do not

"What is to be done? We have an-

government of today.

Burned a Gambling House. "Comrades: There comes a time in Chicago, Feb. 17 .- Citizens of Elmthe affairs of men and nations when hurst, a small town twenty-five miles desperation compels the human mind west of here, burned to the ground the to pause and bring to its aid that elelarge shed recently erected there by ment of reason discarded. We have

Barney Zachariah, the Chicago gambler, in which poolselling, faro and roulette had been conducted for several days. Almost every day 400 or 500 gamblers from Chicago visited the resort. A few days ago the residents raided the pollroom, but could find no evidence of gambling. Six men, however, supposed to be connected with the movement, were arrested. During the night two watchmen were employed

to watch the place. Early yesterday Roads of Admiral Bunce's blockade morning a mob of indignant citizens attacked the building, and after driving away the watchmen, set fire to the building. The gamblers say they will to death on the cruiser Marblehead, an- re-open as soon as another can be built.

> Held Up a Saloon. Chicago, Feb. 17.-Four robbers armed with revolvers entered J Myer's

pealed in vain to the ballot. Every saloon at Fourteenth street and Newtrial of strength in the political arena berry avenue and held up the place. has resulted in victory for the unscrupulous money power. History proevs that you cannot be freed through the tomers at the time, and the robbers ordered every one to keep in the rear of ballot. the saloon and hold up their hands, receive one or more appeals to join one of age weighed only ten pounds, and the pockets of each man, securing sev-several adults were under fifty pounds eral watches and some money. He being formed in this country, and then took \$15 from the cash register. offers of money and arms are frequent-The men were driven into a small ly received if I will give my efforts to room in the rear, and after fastening the cause of revolution. Thus far I have persistently declined to give aid and escaped before the imprisoned vic- or encouragement to such a movement. But if, through the writings of such tims could release themselves.

men as Dalzell, revolution comes, in A clever Parisian has invented a ma- spite of all efforts to prevent it, I will chine that can split a human hair

not be found among the cowards, nor on the side of the plutocratic masses." lengthwise into thirty-six strips. In conclusion, Sovereign fires a part-Brained His Father With an Az. ing shot at Dalzell, by warning him to Pineville, Ky., Feb. 17.-Gilbert Brock was killed yesterday by his son desist from recommending war as a re-lief to the people. One word, he says, Willis in Leslie county. The father in favor of war with a foreign country,

would multiply tenfold a desire for revolution at home. New York, Feb. 16 .- After two days New York, Feb. 17 .- William P. St. play, the great international team John, ex-president of the Mercantile chess match between the United King-National bank, and treasurer of the dom of Great Britain and the United

Democratic committee, died suddenly States, ended in a win for Great Britsin, shortly before 6 P. M.

set apart for the use of the president and vice-presidential parties.

A Race With Death. Chicago, Feb. 18 .- Six men had a race with death on the lake last night and won by a hair's breadth. They were the crew of the big supply tug A.

C. Vanraalte. This tug carries sup-plies to the crib off Sixty-eighth street, and while returning to her dock she sprang a leak while bucking a tremendous ice floe. Then for three hours the six men bat-

tled with the ice and faced death while they were tryig to keep their boat affoat long enough to reach her dock. The tug managed to get into Calumet river, but the fire was dead. The men were up to their knees in water. In answer to signals of distress the fire-

boat Chicago responded and took the grew ashore.

#### Druuk and Reckless.

Portland, Or., Feb. 16. - Frank Nagle, a shoemaker, was run over and instantly killed near Weidler's mill last night by the Northern Pacific incoming passenger train, No. 1, which arrived at the Union depot at 7:30. The man was in an intoxicated condition, and was evidently attempting to cross the track in front of the rapidly approaching train, in which reckless effort he sacrificed his life. The pilot of the engine struck Nagle in the head and back, carrying him a distance of seventy-five feet under the pony truck of the engine, and leaving the frightfully mangled remains lying beside the track, near the foot of Savier street.

Italian Cisims Filed.

New York, Feb. 15.-The corre-spondent of the Herald in Rio Janeiro, Brazil, telegraphs that the Italian minister has presented new and heavy claims for outrages upon Italian sub jects. The wrongs for which redress is demanded are alleged to have been committed by Brazilians in the state of

Matto Gressoa during the revolution which occurred in the administration of President Peixoto.

#### Burled in a Snowslide.

Brigham, Utah, Feb. 16 .- A snow slide rushed down on the Cottonwood canyon last night and struck the cabin occupied by John Anderson, Andrew Anderson and Andrew Miller, burying the men under tons of snow. After six hours' work, Andrew Miller and John Anderson were taken out badly bruised, but not dangerously hurt. The dead body of Andrew Anderson was recovered an hour later. venge.

Pittsburg, Feb. 16 .- Mars, Pa., a town of 800 inhabitants, on the Pittsburg & Western railroad, twenty-three miles north of this city, was badly scorched this morning. The fire start-ed at the passenger station. It de-stroyed the National Oil Wells Supply necessary to the farmers of Eastern Company's large buildings and a half a Washington. Resolutions were also

dozen smaller ones. The loss is esti- adopted recommending moderate reducmated at \$100,000, about one-third of tion in freight and passenger rates, and which is insured. It is believed the fixing the maximum rate on wheat bestation was set on fire after it had been tween any two points of the state at looted by thieves.

hope to save his life. His arm, how ever, in all likelihood will have to be amputated at the shoulder.

ANNEXATION OF HAWAII. president to give the house any

Thurston on a Missionary Visit to This Country.

San Francisco, Feb. 15.-Lorin A. Thurston, ex-minister of Hawaii to the United States, arrived from the islands today. Thurston, as president of the a New York paper. The resolution Annexation Club of Honolulu, expects was referred to the committee on forto accomplish considerable missionary eign affairs, and a report is expected next week. Mr. Cummings said as work in aid of the annexation movement before his return home. His misto the resolution: "If an Englishwoman on an English sion is not an official one, he says, and vessel had been stripped by Spanish officials, as it has been alleged that an he has not been sent here either by the government or by the Annexation Club. American woman was stripped, within He says, however, that if the opportunity presents itself, he proposes to exert his best efforts to aid the annexation

movement. He says: "The all absorbing theme of discussion in the islands just now in annexation. As the day for the inauguration manhood and the keenest sympathy of McKinley approaches, interest in the annexation question is becoming in-tensified and widespread. The Annexwith savage inhumanity." ation Club has been reorganized, and Land and Title Register, in its issue of now has a membership of 6,000. February 15, will have some novel this number, a third or a fourth are suggestions for legislators in regard to natives. The natives are joining the movement with the idea that the ana state bureau of advertising. The arnexation of the islands to the United ticle is headed "A Needed Reform," States is their only salvation from the and says:

"The census of the islands has just been completed. The census shows a population of \$1,000 natives 8,000 halfcastes and mixed races, 24,000 Japanese, 21,000 Chinese, and 25,000 whites, including Americans and Europeans. The official returns have occasioned some surprise. It was generally presumed that the Japanese population was greatly in excess of the

London, Feb. 15 .- A late dispatch to every legislature in session now. the Times from Canea says the entire Mohammedan population of Malevsi. Temenos, Pirgiotiga and Monofasti entered Heraklion, attacking and assault ing the Christians in the streets and pillaging the shops and houses. It is stated the soldiers assisted in this world of plundering. The local prefect at Sitia reports 300 Mohammedans killed in that district, and he is afraid the Mohammedans in the town of Aitia will massacre the Christians out of re-

Garfield, Wash., Feb. 15 .- At the Evansville, Ind., Feb. 16 .- The river meeting of Whitman county farmers to protest against the proposed abolition

down with the current. The immense piles of ice which were left by the

assured.

Washington, Feb. 16 .- Representaplied Corbett.

"You proved by signing that glovetive Cummings, of New York, has offered a resolution requesting the contest measure and giving the people what they wanted that there was no information concerning the incident of hypocrisy about you. It needed some the stripping of two lady passengers on governor with the courage of his convictions to break the ice in matters of board the steamer Olivette in the harbor of Havana by Spanish soldiers and this kind. It is to be hoped your exdetectives. The resolution recites that ample will be followed, and that there will be less hypocrisy about things of the alleged occurrence was described in this kind in future.

#### HARRISON'S REPORT.

#### Advantages of a Commission in Dealing With Pacific Roads.

Washington, Feb. 15 .- Representative Harrison, of Alabama, today made. forty-eight hours Morro castle would a report to the house from the commitcome down, or some apology would be tee on Pacific railroads for the settlemade for it. I doubt if even Japan ment of the affairs of the Pacific roads would have stood it. Furthermore, if by a commission. Mr. Harrison says the American government stands it, in that it has been demonstrated that it is my opinion it indicates a total loss of impossible to place the

> 00 that intelligent action can be

St. Paul, Feb. 16.-The American taken. The report continues: "The debts due to the government are daily growing larger and means of payment smaller. Foreclosure proceedings are pending against the Union Pacific, and this road is likely to be sold, and the government's claim "We suggest to the honorable memsgainst the same disposed of before the next regular session of congress. If bers of the various state legislatures now in session all over this land the this should occur, the most valuable establishment of a bureau of advertisand important part of this great line of ing on the same general lines as the state bureaus of insurance. Thourailway across the continent will have passed to other hands without the presands of dollars are annually stolen servation to the government of the from the merchants of every importmany valuable rights and privileges it ant city in this country by itinerant now has."

It is argued that a better price can be obtained for the Union and Central Paadvertising solicitors who are either frauds themselves or paid servants of fraudulent concerns. A simple system of registration would do away with cific jointly, but that congress cannot conduct the necessary negotiations. The advantages of a commission con-Marked copies of the issue of the pasisting of secretaries of the treasury per will be sent to every member of and interior and the attorney-general, are pointed out, one of them being that all information relating to the roads is in these departments.

#### An Electric Blissard.

Butte, Mont., Feb. 15 .- The most peculiar storm ever known in this section set in at 11 o'clock tonight. The wind rose to almost a hurricane and enow began to fall. With the storm, were the most vivid flashes of lightning and terrific peals of thunder.

#### The President's Last Reception.

Washington, Feb. 15 .- President and is still rising. The guage indicates Mrs. Cleveland gave their annual re-85.1 feet, 4.1 feet above the danger ception to the army and pavy and pavy Ars. Cleverand gave their and mars. Cleverand gave their and mar re-s5.1 feet, 4.1 feet above the danger ception to the army and navy and mar-line. A large amount of loose gorger ine corps at the White House tonight. It was the final state reception of the official term of Mr. Cleveland, and, with the exception of that given by Mrs. Cleveland to the public last week, orge still hang on, and are creating the crowd was the largest of the season, the greatest apprehension among river men and merchants of this city over the position in which the city is left.

Washington, Feb. 16 .- Information has been received from Venezuela that the arbitration treaty signed in Washington by Sir Julian Pauncefote and Senor Andrade has safely reached Caracas, and will be laid before the Venezuela congress as soon as it convenes. It

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ratification of the treaty is practically

The Ohio Biver Flood.

Hundreds of Mohammedans Killed.

figures given."

# Japanese, who are elbowing them in various fields of labor.