EVENTS OF THE DAY

News of the World.

An Interesting Collection of Items Fro the Two Hemispheres Presented in a Condensed Form.

A wind with the velocity of 45 miles an hour swept through St. Louis, and five people are reported injured in different parts of the city from falling

Proposals for an arrangement between the contending forces in Bolivia are now under consideration by the leaders, and it is hoped they will result sueconfully.

A severe snow storm has been raging in Minnesota and over into South Dakota on the west and into Wisconin on the east. The snow drifted badly, and traffic was delayed.

Three tugs for use among the Philippine islands have been purchased by the United States at Hong Kong. They are each of about 100 tons, 87 feet long and draw eight feet of water.

A terrific wind storm visited Okla-hama City, O. T. For half an hour it blew a perfect gale, while the rain fell in sheets. Nearly 100 houses were blown down. The damage is cetimated at \$50,000. No lives were lost.

The ship Marion Chilcott will take from Puget Sound 800 tons of hay, oats and bran, and 400,000 feet of lumber to Manila for government use, in response to a recent order received by Quartermaster Robinson at Seattle.

The dispatch from the Italian government asking from China a concession of the port of San Mun, has been changed into a note of demand, and China, which had refused to cede the port, in answer to the request will now

probably yield to the demand. The Cuban assembly has impeached Gomez and dismissed him from the army for having agreed with United States authorities to dishand the Cuban army without consulting the assembly. When Gomez was informed of the action of the assembly, he replied: "All

right; I enjoy the situation." Admiral Sampson has sailed with his flagship the New York, and the Brooklyn, from Harana for Puerto Cortez, on the coast of Honduras. The Indiana and the Texas, of the North Atlantic squadron, sailed from Havans for Cienfuegos. The ships will meet again in the course of a week, probably off the Venezuela coast.

The Red Cross Society of New York has shipped \$20,000 worth of medical at Manila.

A rupture is imminent between Italy and China, over the latter's refusat to cede a coaling station to Italy at San

The British cruiser Talbot, which was sent to New York to convey the remains of Lord Hershell to England, has sailed.

The Madrid authorities have offered Aguinaldo a ransom of \$1,000 for each officer, \$100 each for the privates, and \$50 for each civil servant.

Advices from Honolulu dated March 1 state that Princess Kanilani was not expected to live 24 hours. Rheuma tism of the heart was the cause of her

Both houses of the Oklahoma logists. sign the bill

The Canadian government has decided to construct a telegraph line to has been captured by American troops the Klondike country. The pian is to after an hour's fight. The loss to the build a line between Lake Bennett and Filipinos was 30 killed and 16 prison-Dawson City at once.

The Whitinsville cotton mill, at Whitinsville, Mass., and the cotton mills at Linwood and Saundersville have announced an advance in wages.

About 3,000 operatives are affected. The British minister has informed the Chinese foreign office that any attempt to repudiate the railway con-

tract will be regarded as a breach of faith meriting retributive measures. The government has concluded to in-

augurate stringent sanitary measures in Cuba and Porto Rico. Apparatus for destroying garbage is being shipped to the principal cities of both islands.

Crown Prince

An army winter hospital at Savannah, Ga., of 47 buildings, has been opened for patients. The first ship-ment of invalid soldiers from Cuba have been received by the hospital ship Missouri.

Welcome A. Botkin, husband of Cordelia Botkin, convicted of the murder of Mrs. John R. Dunning, of murder of Mrs. John R. Dunning, of is being made to secure the exercise by Dover, Del., has applied for a divorce the United States of its good offices in on the ground that his wife has been convicted of a felony.

The 12 dynamite cartridges found back of the exploded areenal at Toulon, France, are of foreign manufacture, and French authorities are now convinced the destruction of the arsenal was due to foul play.

Bur News Items. Two surveying parties are locating the line of the electric road between Tacoma and Seattle, a distance of 80 miles. The road is expected to be in operation by November 1.

A double tragedy is reported from of the tragedy.

LAIER NEWS.

A dispatch from Rome announces that the pope has suffered a renewal of fainting fits, but it is added that his Epitome of the Telegraphic physicians do not regard his coadition

The appellate court, at Chicago, has uunanimously sustained a decision rendered by Judge Tuley last summer, TERSE TICKS FROM THE WIRES that express companies are obliged to furnish war revenue stamps to all ship

> The sovereign camp Woodmen of the World, the fifth largest fraternal and beneficiary order in the United States are in biennial session at Memphis, Tenn. The session will last ten days or two weeks.

> Mrs. Minnie Adams has been arrest ed at her father's home, in San Fransisco, on suspicion of having murdered her two-year-old illegitimate child, John Richard Gray, by administering a dose of earbolic acid.

Senor Quesada, of the Cuban junta in Washington, has received a cablegram form Santiago which says: "The people of Santiago disauthorize the assembly, sustain Gomez and are preparing a public manifestation."

At the annual meeting of the Associated Chambers of Commerce in London, a resolution was passed urging the British government to maintain the 'open door" in China and prior British rights in the Yang tse Kiang valley.

A contract has been concluded between the German government and Cecil Rhodes, the British South African magnate, for the construction of telegraph line in East Africa. A contract for building a railroad through the same territory is upon the point of conclusion.

Rear-Admiral Hichborn, chief naval constructor, in his statement of work accomplished on the vessels now building for the navy, shows that there are now actually under construction, or al-ready contracted for, 51 vessels of various types, ranging from battle-shops to

According to a dispatch from Pinar del Rio, five sisters of the American order of Sacred Heart have been ordered iway from Cuba by Archibshop Chapelle, papal representative. The nuns the reason given is the "old hatred against the Indian sisters."

Armed Italian strikers have prevented other miners from taking their places at the Hidden Treasure, Ute and Ulay mines, near Lake City, Colo. The sheriff may call on the governor for troops to maintain order. strike was declared on account of an order requiring all miners without families to take their meals at the mine boarding house.

The torpede-boat Fox, built at Portand, has arrived at San Francisco.

The navy department has abandoned all hope of the recovery of the armored ruiser Cristobal Colon, sunk in the pattle of July 8, at Santiago.

The navy department is informed by Admiral Dewey that the supply ship Nanshan has left Manila with supplies for the new naval station at Guam.

A correspondent of the state departnent, writing from Ponapi, Caroline islands, says the inhabitants like everything that is American. They are hoping and praying, he says, that the Americans will take possession of all of the islands, and, if not all, at least the island of Ponapi.

The differences between the Raisin-Growers' Association and the packers of California, have been finally adjusted. The association will make the sales and the packers will receive a ture have passed a bill prohibiting the liberal commission. The packers will practice of Christian science in Okla- form an oragnization with a capital of homa. The governor, it is said, will \$500,000, of which \$10,000 is to be in

> The city of Pasig, east of Manila, ers. The Americans' loss was one man killed. Six were wounded. The man killed is Private C. E. Thorn, of the Twentieth Kansas. The battle was fought by Wheaton's divisional brigade.

A search steamer which has returned to Brisbane, Queensland, from Cook-town, on the Endeavor river, this colony, feports that three schooners and 80 luggers were lost and that 400 colored persons and 11 whites were rebels were killed, 16 more taken pris-drowned during the recent hurricane oners, and the Americans lost six men on the island which require personal that swept the northwest coast of

There has been a popular demonstration in Christiana, Norway, against Crown Prince Gustaf, Duke of Wormland, who was recently appointed regent on account of the illness of his father, King Oscar. The prince was returning from the military club when he met a crowd of people, who hooted him, hissed him and pelted him with snowballs.

A determined though unofficial effort behalf of China. The matter has not yet been brought officially to the attention of Secretary Hay, but it is understood that he is aware of the wishes of certain interested persons, and the advantage, from their point of view, which would accrue to this government in case of such action.

A monument costing \$40,000 is to be erected over the grave of a simple Kentucky private killed in the San Juan fight. The soldier was only one of many wealthy men who were prepared to go to the front in any capacity.

The Danish East Asiatic Company, Nanaimo, B. C. Dave Evans shot Lib- limited, which, besides being a steambie White dead and committed suicide ship company, owns large forests and in their room at a hotel. Both were commercial establishments in Siam, public entertainers. Unrequited love lately ordered four more 10,000-ton is supposed to have been the caused steamers for its line between the Baltic and the far East.

ON THE AGGRESSIVE

American Army Stormed the

City of Pasig.

The Filipinos Unable to Stand Before the American Troops-They Fir to the Jungles.

Manila, March 15 .- At daylight to lay Brigadier-General Lloyd Wheaton's divisional brigade, consisting of the authorities. Already this recognition Twentieth infantry, the Twenty-sec is assured, but it remains for the conand infantry, eight companies of the suls at Apia to carry it into formal panies of the Oregon volunteers, three the treaty of Berlin. Dr. Salf will jungle, driving the enemy into Pateros. troops of the Fourth cavalry and a reach Washington the latter part of mounted battery of the Sixth artillery. this month. He will then proceed to three wounded. Scott's battery shelled the city and woods effectively. Assumption of the municipal president three many crossed the river from Pasis. Two companies of the The adaynce was sounded at 6:30 A. a smart trot across the open to the right, eventually reaching a clump

commanding the rear of Guadlupe. Supported by the Oregon volunteers. In reaching this conclusion, the offithe advance opened a heavy fire on the
cials of the three powers have decided bodies of the rebels back upon Pateros. rebels. The response was feeble and desultory, apparently coming from few

volleys into the bush.

A small! body of rebels made a determined stand at Guadalupe church, but was uunable to withstand the as-

sault. At 7:30 a river gunboat started toward Pasig. The rebels were first ennear Guadalupe. Steaming slowly the gunboat poured a terrific fire from her gatling guns into the brush. For an hour the whirling of the rapid-fire guns alternated with the booming of the heavier pieces on board.

In the meantime Scott's battery sahore was shelling the trenches and driving the enemy bok. The artillery then advanced to the bridge of bamboo and drove a few of the enemy's sharpshooters away with volleys from their are all daughters of Indian chiefs, and carbines. The artillery then advanced and met with no opposition.

enemy toward his support and then ad- the County and Commercial banks. vancing on Guadalupe. The artillery moved to a ridge commanding Pasig and SURRENDERED VOLUNTARILY. Pateros. By this time the enemy was in full flight along a line over a mile long, and the firing was discontinued temporarily, in order to give the troops She made the run from Astoris in 45 a rest before making the attack on to the News from Santa Fe, N. M., nours.

Pasig. The enemy's loss was believed says: Oliver M. Lete and William

gagement. It was raining heavily. resumed the attack on Pasig. Scott's surrendered this morning to Judge battery, supported by two companies Parker, at Las Cruces. on Guadalupe by the road along the months, Deputy Sheriff Casey having river bank, the remainder of the Twentieth regiment and the Twenty-second Upon the assurances of the governor regiment following with the reserve of

Oregon volunteers. At 11:30 A. M. the column came it contact with the enemy, and the gunboat steamed to the firing line and cleared the jungle on both sides while the battery took up a position on a bluff at the right. The first shot from the American field pieces at 1,200 yards' range dislodged a gun of the enemy at Pasig. After the town had been bly's action in deposing Maximo Go-shelled the Twentieth regiment lined mex from command of the army will up on the bluff and the Twenty-second cause no change in the administration's place, with the cavalry in the center, mander authorities in Cuba will conwhereupon the enemy retreated to the tinue to recognize Gomes and to deal town. The gunboat then moved into with him. It is not believed the tura bend opposite, and a hot fire on the moil which has been created temporarrebel position was maintained along the whole American line until 2:20 P. M., when preparations were made for the attack.

At 8 P. M. our gunboat started in modified. pursuit of the enemy's armed tag.

chasing her to the lake. At 3:30 P. M. a large body of the enemy was discovered working around the right flank, and the Twentieth regiment was moved to a commanding ridge. The rebels were met opposite Pateros, but bolted. Thirty of the Director of Posts Rathbone over a num rebels were killed, 16 more taken priswounded. The whole American bi-

vouscked at 5 o'clock. About 700 rebels were reported to be marching northward a few miles to

the southwest. Spain Cannot Pay.

pines, it is said here, must remain in abeyance, as the sum demanded by Aguinaldo is so enormous that the government cannot pay it. General Rios, the Spanish commander in the Philippines, in an official dispatch acquainting the government with the fact that Major-General Otis has stopped the neotiations for the release of the Span sh prisoners in the hands of the rebels,

"I protest in the name of humanity, and believe the time has arrived to appeal through the consuls to the good offices of the powers."

For a Two Weeks' Vacation.

Washington, March 15.—President and Mrs. McKinley and a party of friends left the city at 6:45 tonight for vacation of two weeks at Thomasville, Ga., where the train is scheduled to arrive at 4 o'clock tomorrow after-The president occupied the magnificent private Pullman observation car Iolanthe, at the rear of the special train, the remainder of which ras made up of a compartment car, a sleeper, a dining-car and a combination smoking and bargage car.

FAIR WAY OF SETTLEMENT. ADVANCE IS

Satisfactory Understanding Reach

Washington, March 15.-After numeorus conferences and the exchange of notes between Secretary Hay, the British' ambassador and the German ambas-ador, a atisfactory understanding has been reached between the three REBELS HELD OUT BUT AN HOUR powers interested in Samos as to the FILIPINOS BURNED CITY OF PASIG conditions there. This seeks to open a new account of Samoa and to obliterate the troubles among officials which have recently occurred there. To this end, Dr. Wilhelm Salf, who has been nominated by Germany as presi-dent of the municipal council at Apia, to succeed Dr. Raffel, will be recognized by the British and United States Washington volunteers, seven com- effect, in accordance with the letter of dency, with the approval of the three M., the cavalry leading the column at powers, is expected to smooth out matters among the officials and go a long way toward adjusting the entire mat-

not to attempt a settlement of the desultory, apparently coming from few samoan kingship for the present. In the meantime, the status quo is to be column was swinging toward the town of Pasig, the left advanced, pouring standing reached, there will be no move to attempt a settlement of the One man was killed.

During the night the enemy burned the town of Pasig.

General Wheaton's brigade finished the work of cleaning out the rebels to catablish, permanently, one or the around Pasig. other of these claimants on the throne conference as soon as all the informa-tion on the subject is obtained. with a sharp fire from the enemy while crossing the river.

CALIFORNIA BANK FAILS.

The Drought Responsible for the Pinancial Situation.

San Luis Obispo, Cal., March 15. The bank situation here is still unsatisfactory The County and Commercial banks are still closed. President Venable, of the Commercial, said to-

"If it does not rain very soon in order to make better times, our bank will not be reopened."

J. P. Andrews, president of the Andrews Banking Company, the only bank now doing business here, stated that rivet, each regiment deploying on in making collections for the closed

Two Men Charged With the Murder of Colonel Fountain and Son. Denver, Colo., March 15.-A special to be severe, but only eight Americans Gilliland, charged with the murder of were wounded at this stage of the enand his little son, on the white sands After a short test, General Wheaton of the Sacramentos, in February, 1897. Twentieth regiment, advanced have defied the officers for the past 18 been killed while trying to arrest them. that they would be protected from mob violence, the men surrendered voluntarily. The Fountain murder was supposed to be the result of the prosecution of cattle rustlers.

Impeachment of Gomez. New York, March 15 .- A dispatch to the Tribune from Washington says: News from Havana of the Cuban assem ily will make necessary any change in the plans for the withdrawal of the volunteers, though if the developments seem to require it, the plans will be

Hurried Trip to Cubs.

Washington, March 15 .- Postmaster-General Charles Emory Smith will leave here next Wednesday on a hurried trip of three or four days in Cuba. The object of the trip is a conference with

Potlatch at Fort Rupert. Victoria, B. C., March 15 .- The steamer Willapa brings news that a big potlatch is now going on at Fort Madrid, March 15.—The position of Rupert, where nearly 1,200 ladians the Spanish prisoners in the Philip. are said to be gathered. Dancing and the making of presents is being carried on in great style. The chief of the Rupert tribe is trying to induce all the other tribes to join with him in a big peace society, intended to put an end

to jealousies and intertribal quarrels.

The Par at San Francisco San Francisco, March 15.—The tor-pedo-boat Fox, built at Portland for the government, arrived here today. She made the run from Astoria in 45 hours, but at no time was going at full speed. She did not come to anchor on her arrival, but went direct to Mare island. She will be turned over to the government in a day or two.

Immediate Action Necessary. Washington, March 15 .- The war lepartment has determined to muster out and bring home all the volunteers in Cuba, with the exception of the volunteer engineers and immunes. The ecessity for immediate action has been especially strict at all Southern ports. case the crops will be saved.

Gen. Wheaton Driving the Rebels Before Him.

at the Front-American Advance Is Slow. Manila, March 16 .- Late vesterday,

General Wheaton's column encountered the enemy in such force between Pateros and Taguig as to necessitate a change in the original plans. The cavalry attacked a rebel stronghold in the jungle, driving the enemy into Pateros.

Later the enemy crossed the river from Pasig. Two companies of the Second Oregon infantry cleared the right bank after a sharp engagement, and then retired with three wounded. In the meantime the Washington

The Washington volunteers have The kingship will be settled by a full captured and burned Pateros, meeting

Today's fighting was like that of the past week, the insurgents occasionally making a stand, but event-ually fleeing. Their loss is supposed to have been small, as the Americans were unable to see the enemy in the

thickets. The progress of the American advance is slow.

Branlis Sorita and Jose Ruiz, the Spanish officer who were recently tried by a military commission for the embezzlement of \$10,540 (Mexican), funds devoted to 22 maintenance of prisoners, and who were convicted and sentenced to pay a fine of \$2,500 gold and to undergo three years' imprisonment at hard labor, have had the term The infantry had been sent forward in extended order, the Washington regiment resting on the bank of the too much pressure is brought to bear months, in view of previous confined. ment and certain circumstances justireaching a station and furnishing its banks, several business houses may be support. The entire column wheeled toward the river, driving the Barrett is investigating the affairs of that he established an alibi. that he established an alibi-

> Manila, March 16 .- Brigadier-General Wheaton's column advanced today beyond Pasig to the shore of Laguna de Bay, sweeping everything before it. The enemy made a running fight, and suffered severe loss.

The rebels' avenue of communication north and south is now closed, mile from the river to the lake. The rebels are in force at Pateros and Taguig.

Two of vesterday's wounded, Private Stewart, of the Twentieth infantry, ment at Chicago since 1895, testified toand Private Munson, of the Twenty- day before the government court of insecond infantry, are dead.

OTIS WILL BE SUSTAINED. Spain Cannot Ransom Prisoners Held by Aguinaldo.

Washington, March 16 .- General E. S. Otis, in forbidding further negotiations between the Spanish at Manila and the insurgents, touching the surrender of the Spanish prisoners held by the latter, acted on his own authority. The government has not sent him any instructions upon this point, but it will unquestionably support him to the extreme in any action of any kind he may take.

It is said at the state department that there have been exchanges between the United States and Spain, through indirect channels, touching these particular prisoners, dating back to the signature of the peace protocol last August. The United States government undertook finally to secure the release of the prisoners. It never contemplated trying to secure their release by ransom, but simply through the suppression of the insurrection and cannot be held, by any requirement of international law, to do more than has been done to secure the release of the prisoners.

Advised to Ratify Treaty. Madrid, March 16. - Correspondencis says the cabinet has advised the queen regent to ratify the treaty of peace with the United States immediately without awaiting the reassembling of the cortes. The presence of 300 soldiers repatri-

ated from Cuba at a te deum celebration yesterday in memory of the Carlists who were killed in the colonial wars, exemplifies the intrigues of the Carlists to gain the support of the disbanded troops. An investigation shows dium sthat the Carlists paid five pesets to method. each soldier attending the service.

Shot His Wife and Himself. Denver, March 15 .- John W. Ratcliffe, a rooming-house keeper at 1736 California street, this evening shot and fatally wounded his wife, and then put a bullet into his own breast. He will die. Ratcliffe has been ill for some time, and is thought to have been mentally unbalanced. He is 65 years old.

California Crops May Be Saved. San Francisco, March 16 .- A good rain has been falling steadily since early this morning and indications for its continuance are very favorable. The weather bureau reports rain as far south as San Luis Obispo. Grain in many setctions of the state is just on any punishment that may be meted vite women, without distinction of the brink of destruction, and if the brought to the attention of the war de- rain does not visit the needy sections partment on account of the quarantine within the next two weeks the wheat regulations against Cuba, which go crop will be a failure, but the present into effect about May 1, and which are storm pormises to be general, in which cape criminal proceedings, and his pun-

SANTIAGO SUSTAINS GOMEZ. NEW STEAMER ASHORE

Washington, March 16 .- Senor Que sada today received a cablegram from Santiago which says: "The people of

Santiago disauthorize the assembly. sustain Gomez and are preparing a public manifestation." Mr. Qensada gave out the following

statement: "The action of the assembly in deposing me is in line with its conduct toward that faithful, unsullied patriot, General Maximo Gomez. I do not care to discuss it, as the assembly does

not represent the judicious sentiment the cause of the independence of Cuba, and for four years have tired my best to establish the basis of the most cordial relations between the United States and Cuba. Sure of the decision of the Cubans, and knowing well that the Americans will not misjudge them fax from Liverpool 10 days ago on her from these hasty and ill-advised acts of maiden voyage, and went to Portland

The dispatch received by Mr. Queeads from Santiago is from Judge Santhes, head of the supreme court of Cuba.

ITALY HAS SUPPORT.

Backed by England and Japan in Her

Rome, March 16 .- In the chambe of deputies today, Admiral Canevaro, minister of foreign affairs, made a comprehensive statement regarding Italy's action in China. He confirmed the reported recall of Signor Martino, Italian minister at Peking, and announced that Italy had obtained the approval of Great Britain and Japan before demand ing the concession at San Mun.

Great Britain, however, had request-ed, he said, that force should not be employed, and had promised, in return, to give her diplomatic support to Italy at the court of Peking. Other friendly powers, the minister continued, were then notified, and indicated their acquiescence.

THE IMPRISONED TRAIN.

Passengers Are Sick and in a Weak

Cheyenne, Wyo., March 16.-William Pettigrew, of Douglas, Wyo.; John Owens, of Wheatland, Wyo., and John Oakley, of Aberdeen, S. D., arrived here today, having walked form the Snowbound train at Iron Mountain to the relief train, a distance of 10 miles. Oakley had a foot frozen, and all are suffering from sourvy, the result of improperly cooked food. All those on the imprisoned train are victims of dysentery, and are in a weakened condition. Three women are on the train -Miss Anna Morrison and Lizzie Callahan, of Cheyenne, and Miss Mary Robinson, of Galeton, Pa. It will be impossible to rescue the imprisoned

Eagan Bought the Beef. Chicago, March 16 .- Colonel O. M. Smith, purchasing agent of the governquiry that the stores of cannel roast beef bought by him during the Spanish war were all upon the direct order of General Eagan, the commissary-general. He also stated that some purchases of canned beef were made without his knowledge by the commissarygeneral. Another important witness was Gustavus F. Swift, head of the packing house of Swift & Co. Good progress was made by the court today, but the end of the list of witnesses to be examined in Chicago is not yet in sight.

Chicago, March 16 .- A peculiar fea ture in regard to the superstition connected with number 13 was that of the leath of James Powers, a window washer, happening, as it did, on the 13th of the month. Powers was employed on July 13, 1898, to take the place of John Miller, window washer, who met his death on that day from falling from the same window from which Powers fell. The window is the 13th from the ground. The dead man was 26 years of age-twice 13. Miller, the first man to meet his death from the untucky window, had worked just 39 days-just thrice 13-when he was killed.

Cheap Metallic Lithium Madison, Wis., March 16.—Professor Kahlenburgh, of the department of chemistry of the University of Wisconsin, has discovered that by running a direct current of electricity through an hydrous organic solution of lithium chloride, the basic metal is thrown down as an amorphous precipitate of pure metallic lithium. Metallic lithium costs \$100 per ounce, while the chloride is comparatively cheap. The professor hopes to secure metallic sodium and potassium by the same

New Whiskey Distributing Company New York, March 16.-The Merchants' Distributing & Distilling Company has been incoprorated under the laws of this state, with a capital of the worst storms of the season is rag-\$5,000,000, of which half will be coming here today. Stockmen say this mon and the other half preferred stock. The new coropration comprises some of the largest whisky blending and distributing companies in the country. Returns to Face the Music.

San Francisco, March 16 .- Captain John M. Neal, Fourth cavalry, United States army, who disappeared from the Victoria contain the following extract Presidio last month for the purpose of from the Republica Filipina, the inescaping punishment for defalcation, is surgent paper:

on his return to San Francisco to secept

"Splendid demonstration of the Carlington of the Carlingto out to him. He will arrive on the class or age, unanimously requested State of Sunora, from Mexico, today. His friends have made good his defal-

Allan Liner Castilian Stranded at Yarmouth, N. S.

SHIP'S INSTRUMENTS AT FAULT

Sent to the Rescue, and Passengers Taken Off.

of the Cuban people or army.

"Unmoved by any selfish interests, I have devoted all my life to Portland, for Halifax, went ashore at Gannet rock light, near Yarmouth, this morning at low tide, in a dense fog, her compasses being deranged. Two compariments are full of water, and tugs have gone from Yarmouth to the scene. The Castilian arrived at Halia disgruntled and ambitious group, I to load cargo for return. She is 8,200 shall continue for the self-government, net remistered tonnage, being the reconstruction and order of my native largest Alian line steamer affoat. The ship is in charge of Captain Barrett and officers formerly of the steamer Parisian, the entire crew of the Parisian having been transferred to the new The steamer was due to embark mails and passengers here for Liver-

The steamer began leaking immediately after she struck, but the best discipline prevailed among the passengers. They returned to their berthe, and were callled out again to don life preservers, which many were wearing when they reached Yarmouth on tage at 8:15 this evening. The passengers and crew all saved their baggage. The steamer went on at low tide, which will be in

her favor.

The place of the disaster is a few miles from where the Moravian, of the Allan line, was lost some years ago.

STAYED IN THE TRENCHES.

Rebels Could Not Muster Courage to

Venture Into the Open.

Manila, March 14.—The Filipinos apparently had planned an attack upon the lines of General Otis and General Hale this morning, but their courage seemed to flinch, though they fired signals and kept up the fusillade along the American front for an bour. Our troops, in obedience to orders, refrained from shooting, with the exception of two companies of newly arrived men, who replied until they had suppressed the regiment of Filipinos. This body of rebels seemed under better leadership than most of the others. A white man was seen among the officers, endeavoring to lead them to the attack, but apparently all efforts to induce them to leave the trenches were

The American authorities in Manila say the city is now so effectively policed that a serious outbreak is impossible. They believe that the natives

are cowed. The presence of the families of officers is discoursged, and many are leav-ing on board the United States transports, some going to Japan for temporary residence. General Otis has remarked: "Manila is no place for women. This is war, not a pienie."

The British cruiser Narcissus has sailed for various ports in the island of Luzon, having on board British subjects who desire protection.

IN A FEARFUL STORM.

Steamer Pavonin's Boilers Rocked in Their Cradies.

Liverpool, March 14.-The officers of the Cunard line steamer Pavonia. Captain Atkins, from Liverpool, January 24, for Boston, which was towed into St. Michaels on February 1, disabled, and which arrived here yesterday morning in tow of two tugs, from Punta del Gado, Azores, maintain the utmost reticence regarding the steamer's experiences. It was gleaned from the crew, however, that the Pavonia passed through a terrible ordeal. Her troubles began with a terrible gale on January 30. For three days the engines were slowed and mountainous seas tossed the Pavonia like a shuttlecock. Then her boilers began to move in their cradles and to bump against each other. Eventually the engineers, after the most arduous labore, secured the boilers with ropes and chains, and the bumping ceased, but it was found that the steam pipes were broken. The crew assert that the vessel rolled so tremendously that it would have been impossible sometimes to walk on her innersides. Three boats were lost, part of the port rail and the galley were carried away, and the bakehouse was stove in. As the Pavonia lies at the dock she presents a pitiable, dam-

aged condition. Deaths of the War. Washington, March 13 .- The following statement has been issued, showing the total number of deaths reported to the adjutant-general's office between May 1, 1898, and February 28, 1899: Killed in action. 329; died of wounds, 125; died of disease, 5,277; total, 5,781.

Cheyenne, Wyo., March 13 .- One of blissard, following the extremely severe weather of the past six weeks, will undoubtedly cause heavy losses in cat-

tle and sheep. Women Want to Fight. Tacoma, Wash., March 14 .- Oriental papers brought by the steamship

cation, and it is understood he will escape criminal proceedings, and his punishment will be comparatively light.